

TITLE 1 KINGSWAY ELEMENTARY

2024-2025

FAMILY INVOLVEMENT PLAN

Kingsway Cougars...Proud to Lead

This policy has been jointly developed and agreed upon by our staff and parents. It reflects the goals of our Title 1 School Wide Student Success Plan and the beliefs of our staff, parents and community.



Family Reading Experience

Center Hours

Wednesdays

7:30-8:30 am and

3:10-3:30 pm

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The Goals of the Title 1 Family Reading Experience Center

- ★ **To involve parents in a home/school partnership for improving student academic achievement**
- ★ **To provide parents with learning strategies to help their child succeed.**
- ★ **To develop a love of books and enthusiasm for reading.**
- ★ **To increase parents' knowledge of the reading process.**
- ★ **To provide books for parents to use with their children.**
- ★ **To distribute current information and materials on effective parenting techniques.**
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Our Student Success Plan is located in the front office and on our website
<https://www.yourcharlotteschools.net/Page/24139>

The District Parent Involvement Policy is available in the office or visit the district website to view the policy. www.yourcharlotteschools.net

Family Reading Experience Center

The Title 1 Family Reading Experience Center is an integral part of the school wide effort to offer educational support to our families.

The atmosphere of the center is friendly, fun filled, comfortable, and informative.

Families are encouraged to come to the center and talk about their child's reading. Ask questions about agencies in the community that can assist them with any current needs.

The Family Reading Center is open on Wednesday mornings and afternoons throughout the school year. The center is stocked with many books of varied reading levels. All students in grades PreK-5 are welcome to attend with a parent. Parents help locate books that are "just right" for each child's current reading level. Having books on the correct level provides the greatest opportunity for reading skills to grow. Assistance is always available with book selection.

In addition to the weekly book check out, each child will receive a "keeper book" for their home library, earn "Liveschool" points, and be entered into our monthly drawing. We also host special events throughout the year. Keep a look out on our schoolswebsite and social media.

What is Title 1

Title 1 is the nation's largest federal program for schools. It provides funding for increasing student achievement. Each school district in Florida receives federal funds based on the economic level of families in a school's district.

The purpose of Title 1 is to:

- help every child receive a high quality education
- build capacity for parent involvement
- provide professional development
- meet the requirements of the ESEA federal mandates



At Kingsway Elementary School, Title 1 funds provide extended reading opportunities for your child. These funds assist with retaining some school employees involved with success in reading, professional development, opportunities for parent involvement, and the Family Reading Center.

School Family Compact

All parents will be asked to sign a compact. The compact is an agreement between the parents, the student and the school to help ensure each child's academic success. By signing the compact all agree they are going to work together to improve learning. This compact is required by the Federal Title 1 guideline

Parents are a Critical Part of Our School Team

Parents influence their children's education more than any teacher or school. Parent involvement can boost their child's achievement. By taking an active role in our school, parents show their children that they are valued and that education is important. Children learn that parents and the school are a team, working together to help them succeed.

How Parents Can Participate

- Read to your child daily
- Listen to your child read daily
- Attend the Open House/Annual Title 1 Meeting
- Attend Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Visit the Family Reading Center
- Participate in our volunteer program
- Participate in field trips, class activities, and projects.
- Participate in the development of our Student Success Plan.
- Join any of our school wide committees.



Parent Teacher Organization PTO
School Advisory Council SAC

Parent/Teacher Conference

Conferences are one of the most important ways parents and teachers work together as a team. Conferences are a helpful way for parents to share information about their child's special interests. It is also a good time for discussing the child's academic progress, and providing ideas on how parents can help their children at home. A translator is available upon request.

School Communication

- Remind
- School & District Websites
- Focus Portal
- Progress Reports/Report Cards
- Conferences
- Compact (Planner)
- Newsletters
- Informative flyers
- Reports of test results
- Social Media pages



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Because we try to remain a "paperless" as possible we encourage you to go to www.yourcharlotteschools.net/KES to receive important dates and information.