

# Title I

Zachary Community  
Schools



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Community School  
Board Title I Program,





# Title I In Zachary Schools

**Northwestern Elementary**  
Martha Davis, Principal

**Zachary Elementary**  
Jennifer Marangos, Principal

**Copper Mill Elementary**  
Dewey Davis, Principal

**Northwestern Middle School**  
Debby Brian, Principal

**Port Hudson Career Academy**  
Patrick Jenkins, Principal

## What is Title I?

Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act provides financial assistance to state and local educational agencies to meet the needs of educationally deprived, at-risk children. The goal of Title I is to provide instructional services and activities to meet the needs of disadvantaged children identified as

failing or most at risk of failing the state's challenging performance standards.

## How it Works

Title I, Part A, provides grants to school districts which then allocate most of these funds to individual Title I schools based on their number of low income children. Title I funds are most commonly used for instruction in reading and mathematics.

## What will Title I do for my child?

The Title I program will provide your child with extra educational assistance beyond the regular classroom. Title I programs generally offer:

- o supplemental instruction in reading, math and other skills.
- o additional teaching materials and equipment which supplement their regular instruction.

## Which schools does Title I serve?

Northwestern Elementary, Zachary Elementary, Copper Mill Elementary, Northwestern Middle and Port Hudson Career Academy participate in Title I, Part A. Money from the Title I program provides additional resources to the schools such as network cabling, computers and software, textbooks, consultant contracts, travel,

educational field trips, printing, tutoring, other equipment and supplies, staff development and parental involvement activities.

## Parental Involvement

Each Title I school develops a parental involvement policy for their school. Each spring the policy is reviewed at the School Improvement Committee meeting. Parents are encouraged to take part in this review. Contact your individual school for the time and place. Your child's school's parental involvement plan is available on-line and at each individual school.

## Title I Parents Right to Know

As a parent of a student at Zachary Community Schools you have the right to request information about your child's teacher, including licensure and certification, college major, and degree(s). You can also request qualification information on any paraprofessional assisting your child. This information is available at <http://www.teachlouisiana.net> or by contacting the School Board's Personnel Department at 225-658-4969.

