



EVERGREEN UNION SCHOOL DISTRICT
Annual Title I Meeting

August 14, 2025 Minutes

- A. Principal White welcomed the parents and students who arrived at 5:00 p.m. and provided an overview of the topics to be discussed, as well as the outline for the Title I presentation.
- B. Title I Schoolwide Program
Principal White reviewed the Title I Schoolwide Program and explained the difference between school-based and schoolwide programs . He then gave an explanation of where your Title I dollars go.
- C. Parent and Family Engagement Policy & Compact
Principal White presented a draft of the EMS Parent and Family Engagement Policy, explaining that its purpose is to help parents understand the school's commitment to involving them in their child's education both in and outside of the school setting. He emphasized the policy's focus on involvement, building capacity, and accessibility. One edit was suggested: under section 1.4, subsection i (c), remove the word "and" at the end of the sentence.

He also shared a draft of the EMS School-Parent Compact, which outlines how the school, parents, and students will work together to ensure students meet academic standards.

Standards, Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

Principal White presented a visual illustrating how standards, curriculum, instruction, and assessment align to support student success.

- D. School Plan Goals
Principal White reviewed the LCAP goals for the group. In addition, he reviewed the School Plan for Student Achievement Goals - Communication with Families.
He detailed the various ways the school communicates with families, including providing information in the students' primary languages.

- E. Principal White had discussion at the end with attending parents to discuss ways to improve communication and address why many parents do not understand the importance of completing the Free and Reduced Lunch form. Parents expressed that, since all students currently receive free breakfast and lunch, they do not see the purpose of the form unless they are informed about the broader reasons and processes behind it. Several parents noted that without this context, the requirement does not make sense to them.

The meeting concluded with Principal White thanking the parents for their attendance, noting it was the highest parent turnout in several years.