

2026 - 2027 Amargosa Creek Middle School Annual Title I Meeting



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Purpose

All Title I Schools are required to hold an annual Title I meeting at the beginning of each school year to:

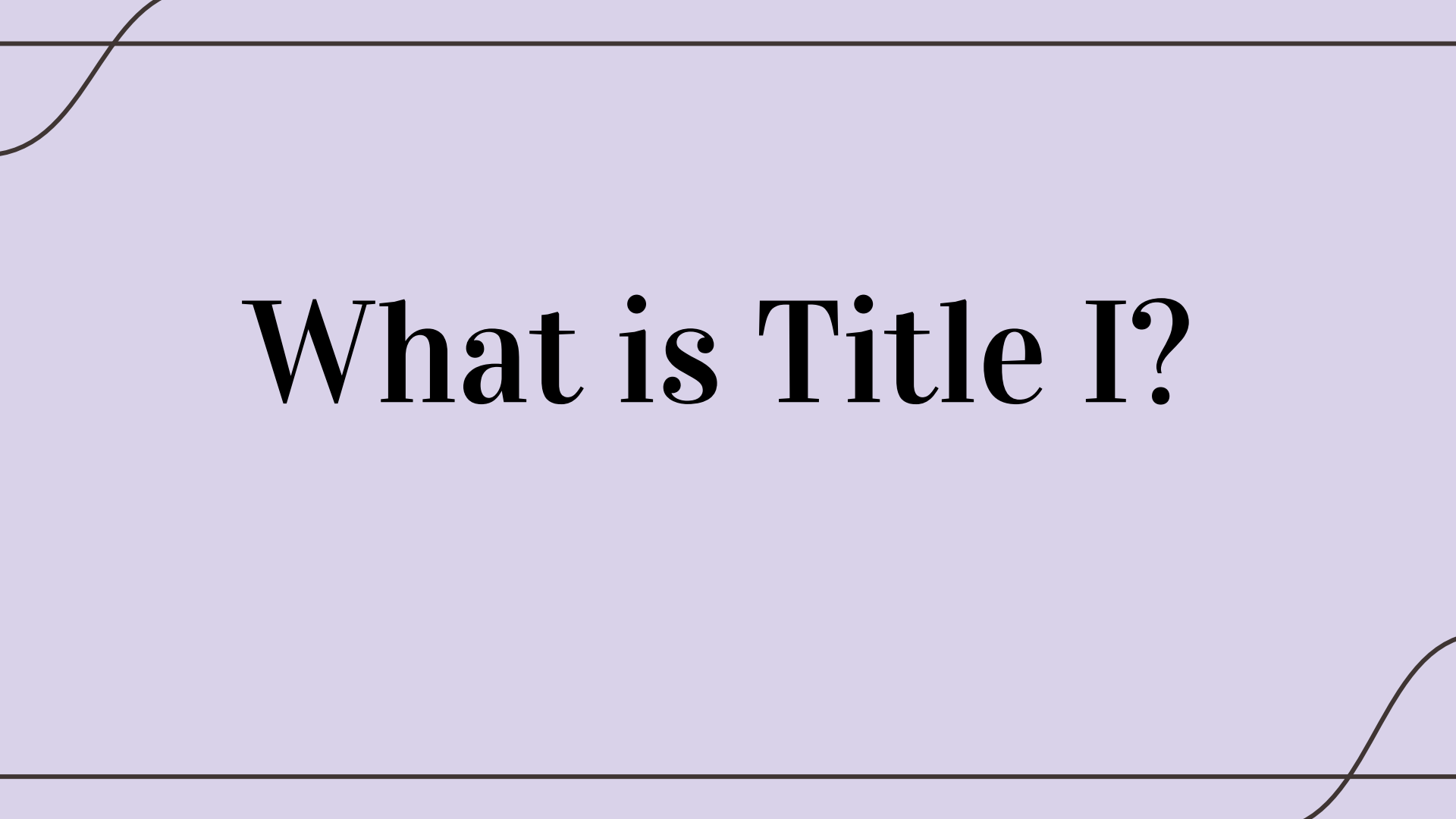
- Inform parents/guardians about Title I funding and programs
 - Share how parents/guardians can become involved and participate in Title I programs
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What is Title I?

Title I is...

- Title I is the largest federal assistance program for our nation's schools.
- The goal of Title I is a higher quality of education for every child.
- The program serves millions of children in elementary and secondary schools each year.

Title I Funding is used...

- To improve education for schoolwide programs in all core subjects
- To provide students a well-rounded education as defined by the school's plan
- To support advanced learning opportunities for struggling students

01 ACMS Title I Goals



School Goals for Title I Spending

- Increase overall academic achievement school wide
- Provide intervention and enrichment for all students
- Provide support for English Learners
- Provide Professional Development for Teachers and Staff
- Promote Parent Education and Involvement at ACMS



02

ACMS Parent
Engagement Policy
and the Home School
Compact

Parent's Right to Know

Parents have the right to know about the teaching qualifications of your child's classroom teacher in a school receiving Title I funds.

Parents Have the Right to Know...

- Whether the teacher has met State qualification and licensing criteria levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived;
- Whether the teacher is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification of the teacher; and
- Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.
- information regarding the level of achievement of their child on State required academic assessments.
- To the extent that it is feasible, all the above information should be provided in a language the parent can understand

ACMS Parent/Guardian Family Engagement Plan

Every Title I school, in collaboration with parents, must develop a school parent involvement plan. The ACMS Plan is reviewed and updated by the School Site Council Annually

The plan describes how the school will involve the parents in an organized, ongoing, and timely way in the planning, review and improvement of the Title I program at the school.

A copy of the plan is on the school's website in English and Spanish.

ACMS Home School Compact

Every Title I school, in collaboration with parents, must develop a Parent/Student School Compact. The ACMS Compact is reviewed and updated by the School Site Council Annually

The Compact is a written agreement that outlines how the parents, the entire ACMS staff and the students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement, as well as describing how the school and parents will build and develop a partnership that will help children achieve the state's high standards.

A copy of the Compact will be distributed to students in their Advisory Period in the coming weeks. Please review the plan with your student, sign and return it to the Advisory teacher.

Parents and Title I

AMCS is required to dedicate 5% of the annual Title I budget to Parent Engagement and Involvement. Some of the ways ACMS has used this funding in the past include:

- Refreshments for ELAC and SSC meetings
- Printing materials for Family Engagement Activities
- Informational Evenings for New Parents

If you are interested in being involved with how Title I funding is spent on Family Activities in 2025 - 26, there are several Parent Groups you can join.

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Amargosa Creek School Site Council



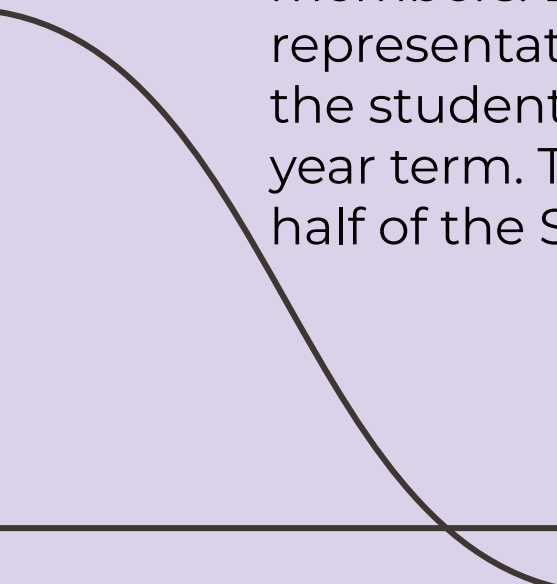
School Site Council (SSC)

The School Site Council is a team of parents, staff, students, and administrators who help guide school improvement at Amargosa Creek. The SSC provides input on school priorities and how Title I, Supplemental, and LCAP funds are used to support student success. Members serve two-year terms and typically attend 1 meeting a month during the school year

SSC Meeting Dates for 2026-27:

9/28/26, 10/26/26, 11/30/26, 12/14/26,
1/25/27, 2/22/27, 3/29/27, 4/26/27, 5/24/26

The Role of Community in the School Site Council



ACMS values the opinions and input of our parent community members. Every year we ask ACMS parents to elect representatives to serve a 2 year term on the SSC. We also ask the student body to elect 4 student representatives for a one year term. The elected parents and students make up one half of the SSC to ensure the voices of our families are heard.



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English Learner
Advisory Committee
(ELAC) &

District English Learner
Advisory Committee
(DELAC)

What is the English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC)?

The ELAC gives families of English Learners a voice in school programs, services, family engagement, and Title I spending. All families of English Learners are welcome to participate, and Spanish interpretation is provided at every meeting.

What is the District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC)?

DELAC brings together families of English Learners from across the district to advise district leaders and the School Board on English Learner programs and family engagement. Each school selects an ELAC representative to attend monthly DELAC meetings and share information back with their school community.

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Questions and Comments...



I have Questions...Who Do I ask?

Principal and Assistant Principal

Contact your student's principal or Asst. Principal if you have concerns about discipline, school safety, or the administration of GHS

Dr. Elizabeth Garcia, Principal
Christian Sandoval, Asst. Principal
Ms. Sarah Kleinberg, Asst. Principal

Counseling

Contact your student's counselor if you have concerns about your child's social emotional growth or mental well being

A - L: Mr. George Garcia
M - Z: Mrs. Marlen Cervantes

Family Engagement

Contact the ACMS Cougar community Center for questions about family and community activities.

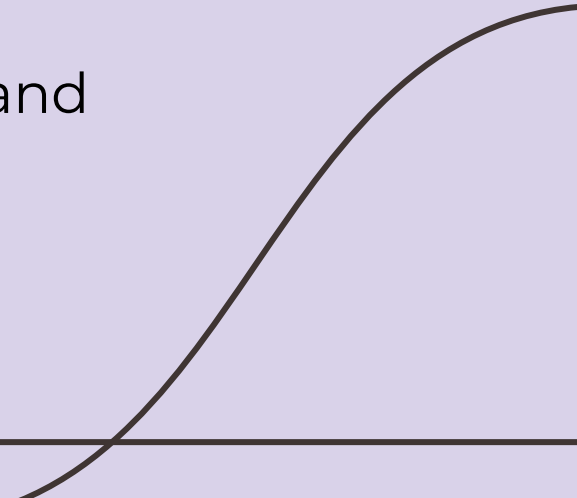
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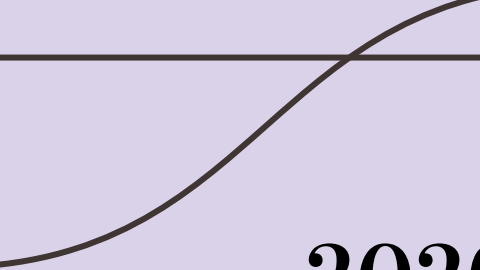
Family Ambassadors:
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Tutoring at ACMS

Ms. Shonda Williams will be offering tutoring for all students after school and Saturdays, starting in September (M, W, Th.) from 3:15pm-4:15pm.

Don't fall behind, visit the Room 114 and get help!





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Thank You for Joining Us

