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TITLE I PARENT NEWSLETTER

WHAT'S NEW

Title I, Part A (Title I) of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, as amended (ESEA) provides financial assistance to local educational agencies (LEAs) and schools with high numbers or high percentages of children from low-income families to help ensure that all children meet challenging state academic standards. All Citrus County elementary, middle schools and Renaissance are Title I schools. If you would like any further information concerning Title I please contact: Rene' Johnson (Title I Coordinator)

COMING SOON

Title I is looking to create a Canvas page for our parent family engagement. Let us know if you have any ideas we should include in our "course"!

RESOURCES

The *i-Ready* Family Center is the place to learn how you can support and encourage your student's success with *i-Ready*.

<https://i-readycentral.com/familycenter/>

TECH CORNER

ACHIEVE 3000

Achieve 3000 is a research-based reading program that is used in grades 6-12. Achieve differentiates materials based on student Lexile levels. This program helps develop students' literacy skills with materials that meet their current abilities, and provides built-in scaffolds that support the process. It has embedded assessments to monitor student progress, increase motivation, and celebrate success.

WHAT'S PFE?

Parent Family Engagement!

Students who are engaged with their parents, guardians or families are more likely to excel in a multitude of educational areas!

- Learn to Read Faster
- Higher test scores
- Take more challenging classes
- Better attendance

With these areas and more, we can see why promoting parent family engagement is an important aspect for our students outcome.

WHAT IS I-READY?

For elementary students, i-Ready allows your teacher(s) to meet your student exactly where they are and provides data to increase your student's learning gains. i-Ready consists of two parts: Diagnostic and Personalized Instruction. The i-Ready Diagnostic is an adaptive assessment that adjusts its questions to suit your student's needs. Each item a student sees is individualized based on their answer to the previous question. For example, a series of correct answers will result in slightly harder questions, while a series of incorrect answers will yield slightly easier questions. i-Ready Personalized Instruction provides students with lessons based on their individual skill level and needs, so your student can learn at a pace that is just right for them. These lessons are fun and interactive to keep your student engaged as they learn.