



Title I, Migrant Education, & Special Programs

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NEWSLETTER



September 15 to October 15 is National Hispanic American Heritage Month

We celebrate Hispanic Heritage Month to recognize the achievements and contributions of Hispanic American champions who have inspired others to achieve success.



The Director's Message



1 - Ms. Luwando Wright, Director

Title I, Migrant and Special Programs

Two months have passed and the Title I, Migrant and Special Programs Team is off to a successful school year. The staff has worked diligently to provide service and support schools with conducting their Title I Annual Meetings/Open Houses. We have partnered with approximately 50 Title I schools/community events during the months of August and September. We are committed to providing stellar services and resources throughout the county to both Title I schools and community partners.

The seventeenth-century English author and poet John Donne stated, "No man is an island, no man stands alone." This means that no one is truly self-sufficient, everyone must rely on the company and assistance of others to thrive. As we move forward in this great work that we each collectively do to ensure that the students of the Broward County Public Schools system receive a safe and quality education, the Title I, Migrant and Special Programs department solicits your commitment by taking advantage of the services and resources that we offer to further build capacity for increased parent, family, and community engagement.

Can we count on you to join us? With capes on and superpowers on hand, the Title I Staff and I are committed to reaching and working with as many parents and families this school year!

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What's Happening in the Migrant Education Program: Migrant Heroes at Work!

A major goal of the Migrant Education Program is to ensure that all migrant students in the Broward County Public School system, excel academically and continue to achieve their goals. Part of that process requires us to monitor their academic achievement and align resources with their needs. One such resource is the College Assistance Migrant Program or C.A.M.P. CAMP provides financial assistance and support to full-time, first year in college students who participated in the Title I Migrant Education Program and demonstrate high academic achievement. This year, we are excited to have 6 of our very own BCPS scholars qualify for this outstanding opportunity. We have put them in contact with the CAMP program recruiter and are working with each student to ensure that all deadlines are met. As migrant advocates, this is our biggest reward; witnessing the success and achievements of the students and families we serve. Join me in congratulating these outstanding students and wishing them continued success.



Title I Executive Parent Advisory Council

The Title I Executive Parent Advisory Council (EPAC) activated the new school year on September 1st with the first meeting of the year. Our Director, Ms. Luwando Wright, welcomed veteran as well as new members to the EPAC team. EPAC elections were held with favorable approval of all elected to serve. The 2022-2023 EPAC officers are:

- Mario Marcano - Chair
- Pamela Vance - Vice Chair
- Dana Goodalle - Recording Secretary
- Shakeila Poole - Assistant Recording Secretary
- Dr. Priscilla McCray - Parliamentarian
- Melina Markos – Immediate Past Chair

EPAC is seeking new voting members to represent the North and South areas. We welcome all to the upcoming meetings that are held at the Title I office. Mark your calendar for the meeting dates below:

November 3, 2022

January 5, 2023

March 2, 2023

May 4, 2023

For more information about the Title I Executive Parent Advisory Council and to be added to the meeting invitation database, please call Ms. Annie Mosely at 754-321-1400.



2 - Mario Marcano - EPAC Chairperson



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4 - Dana Goodalle - EPAC Recording Secretary



5 - Shakeila Poole - EPAC Assistant Recording Secretary



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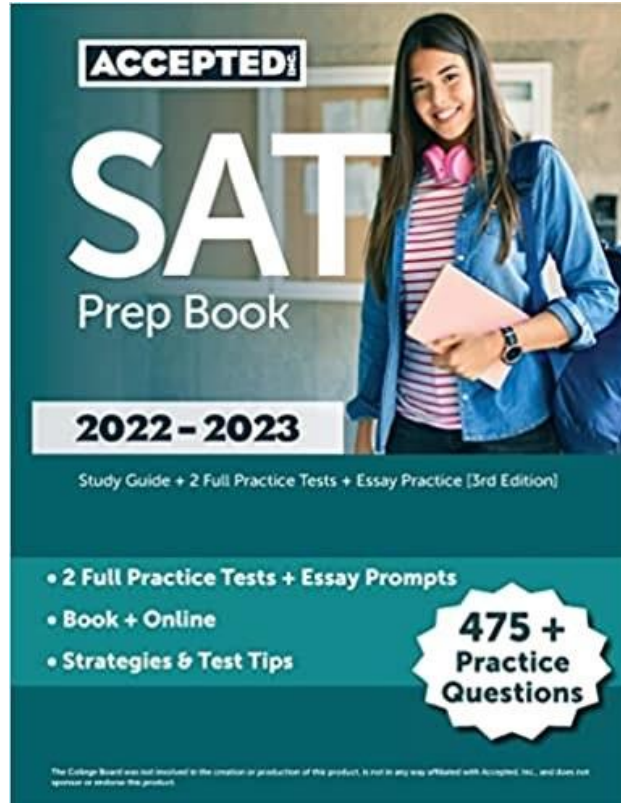
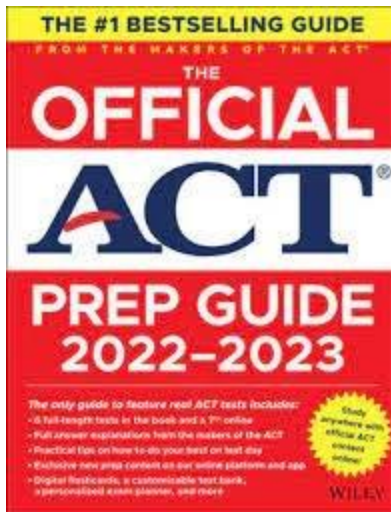
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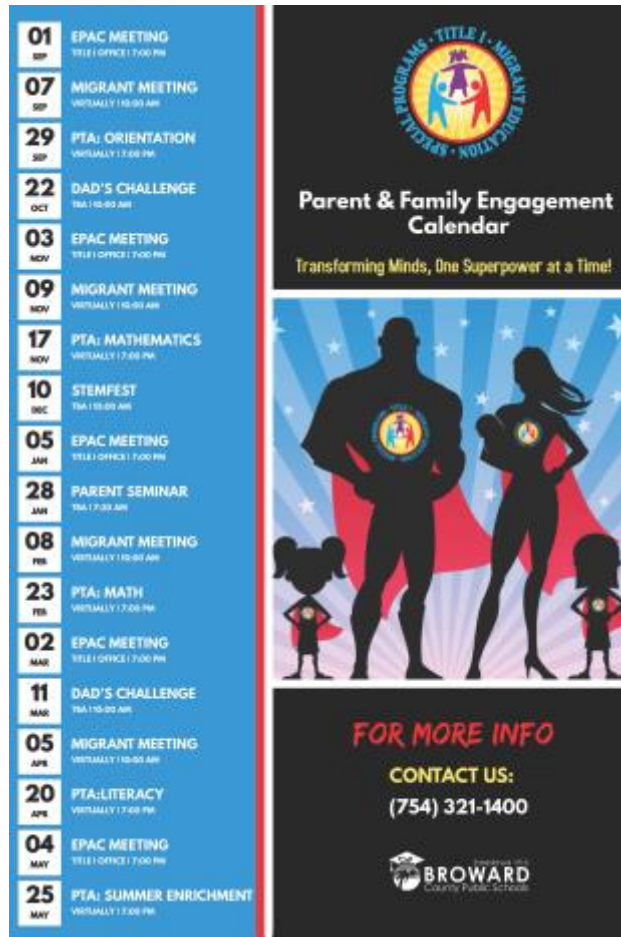
Title I Parent Representatives

Our department is proud to provide stellar service to our 191 Title I schools. We are known to provide supplemental funding and support to these identified schools however; one of our exemplar services is to engage parents and families in their children's education by offering engaging workshops through our Title I Parent Training Academy series.

We are most proud of the parents that have signed up to represent their schools as the Title I Parent Representatives. So far, we have over 500 parents registered to serve in this capacity. The main responsibility of the role, of a parent representative, is to attend our Title I Parent Training Academy workshops and share the information at their schools through either SAC meetings or PTA/PTSA meetings. They are also encouraged to invite other parents to be involved in the Title I PTA event series.

As a thank you for signing up, they will be welcomed with a Parent Representative Welcome gift that will include a Title I PTA Family & Family Engagement magnet, the Brain Quest game and other learning resources based on grade level of their children. It is our hope that the parents will be empowered in their roles as a Title I Parent Representative!





VPK Open House

Title I, Migrant Education & Special Programs began the 2022-2023 school year deploying staff to various Title I Early Childhood Classes to share the resources and programs available through the Parental Engagement program.

Title I staff was disbursed throughout the district to share information about the Title Program. VPK parents and families viewed the Title I Resources video that showcased the various educational resources available to them. The 2022-2023 Parent & Family Engagement calendar was provided to encourage participation in our Title I Parent Training Academy event series.

Listed below are the amazing Superhero Title I VPK classes and teachers that were visited for Open House:

- A.C. Perry PK-8 (Ms. Cardin)
- Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Montessori Academy (Ms. Loubeau)
- Flamingo Elementary (Ms. Anderson, Ms. McNulty)
- Forest Hills Elementary (Ms. Platter, Ms. Waldmann)

- Horizon Elementary (Ms. Slyker, Ms. Huber)
- Markham, Robert C. (Ms. Francis, Ms. Kaya)
- Orange Brook Elementary (Ms. Love, Ms. Palmer)
- Oriole Elementary (Ms. Smith)
- Pompano Beach Elementary (Mrs. Burns-Philbin)
- Royal Palm Elementary (Mrs. Henry/HS-Ms. DeAsis & Ms. Mitchell)
- Sandpiper Elementary (Ms. Coffey, Ms. Estrada)
- Welleby Elementary (Ms. Whitesell, Mrs. Yong)
- Wingate Oaks Center (Ms. Lam)













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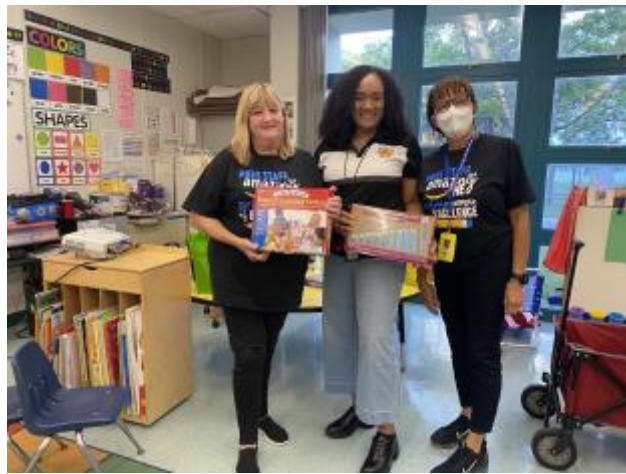














Community Events

City of Lauderhill's Multi-Cultural Community BBQ

On Saturday August 27, 2022, the City of Lauderhill hosted a Multi-Cultural Community BBQ at James Bradley Park. There were activities for the young and old; food, community vendors, music and games. The event was a great success and the Title I Team is looking forward to continuing the partnership with the City of Lauderhill.





James Hunt Elementary - Open House






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Upcoming Events

01 SEP	EPAC MEETING TITLE I OFFICE 1:00 PM
07 SEP	MIGRANT MEETING VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 AM
29 SEP	PTA: ORIENTATION VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 PM
22 OCT	DAD'S CHALLENGE TBA 1:00-03 AM
03 NOV	EPAC MEETING TITLE I OFFICE 1:00 PM
09 NOV	MIGRANT MEETING VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 AM
17 NOV	PTA: MATHEMATICS VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 PM
10 DEC	STEMFEST TBA 1:00-03 AM
05 JAN	EPAC MEETING TITLE I OFFICE 1:00 PM
28 JAN	PARENT SEMINAR TBA 1:00-03 AM
08 FEB	MIGRANT MEETING VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 AM
23 FEB	PTA: MATH VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 PM
02 MAR	EPAC MEETING TITLE I OFFICE 1:00 PM
11 MAR	DAD'S CHALLENGE TBA 1:00-03 AM
05 APR	MIGRANT MEETING VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 AM
20 APR	PTA: LITERACY VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 PM
04 MAY	EPAC MEETING TITLE I OFFICE 1:00 PM
25 MAY	PTA: SUMMER ENRICHMENT VIRTUALLY 1:00-03 PM




Parent & Family Engagement Calendar

Transforming Minds, One Superpower at a Time!



FOR MORE INFO

CONTACT US:
(754) 321-1400



Title I, Migrant Education & Special Programs

Presents
DAD'S CHALLENGE
Your Ultimate Superhero

- ✓ Free Food
- ✓ Free Resources
- ✓ Prizes
- ✓ Face Painting
- ✓ Bounce House

Saturday, October 22, 2022
10:00 AM
North Lauderdale Elementary
7500 Kimberly Blvd., North Lauderdale, FL 33068

Come on! Register soon! Space is limited!

Contact Us
 (754) 321-1400 >>>> <https://bit.ly/3PzMy2M>

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Big Boy's Breakfast
NORTH LAUDERDALE

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