



## Title I Program Parent Notification

August 30, 2021

Dear Parents:

ILCS has qualified for Title I Part A funding for the 2021- 2022 school year! Title I provides a source of federal revenue to schools throughout the country. Based on local data and demographics, Title I formulas determine the funding allocation allowing schools to provide supplemental instructional services and resources to assist students, parents, and staff in achieving local learning goals and targets. Below are a few areas of supplemental supports provided through our Title I Program.

### **Supplemental Program Support Services:**

#### **INSTRUCTION**

Title I, Part A identifies students experiencing academic difficulties and provides timely assistance to help them meet the state's rigorous content standards. The Title I Program can fund supplemental staff such as Title I Teachers, Instructional Assistants, and Tutors to support student learning. The Title I Program can also purchase supplemental evidence-based programs (such as LEXIA), resources, technology, and supplies to support the academic achievement of students. ILCS has hired the support of a reading intervention teacher to support students in small groups for the current school year.

#### **PARENT ENGAGEMENT**

Title I, Part A, reserves funds for parental involvement. Parental Involvement ensures that strong strategies are in place to build the capacity to involve parents/stakeholders in an effective partnership with the school and share and support high student academic achievement. The Title I Program funds supplemental staff such as parent liaisons, parent education materials, and interpreters.

#### **PROFESSIONAL LEARNING**

Title I, Part A, reserves at least 5% of allotted funds to improve teaching and learning for students through data-driven and needs-based professional learning opportunities for teachers and staff. ILCS will be using such funds to support English Learner writing trainings for our instructional staff.

You are welcome to contact your school administration team regarding any questions related to our Title I Program.