

Dear Parents/Guardians,

One of the many services available to you and your child at Freedom Elementary is the Title 1 Reading Program. In the most basic definition, it is a program funded by the federal government to provide extra support and instruction to children. It is not designed to replace the regular classroom instruction, but merely to supplement it.

Should your child be selected for Title 1 services, he/she will receive instruction in a small group setting for a time period of twenty-five minutes. The instruction will take place in the Title 1 classroom. Children are chosen for Title 1 services on the basis of test scores, school records, and most importantly teacher recommendations. Parents are also encouraged to request help for your child, if you see the need.

We feel very fortunate to have Title 1 services available for our students. If your child qualifies for the services you will be notified within the first few weeks of school. At that time, you will be sent a permission slip to sign before the services can begin. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call.

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