Title I Schoolwide Program

North Junior High School
2020-2021

St. Cloud Area School District 742
Title I, Part A

Title I Schoolwide:

• Provides supplemental federal funds to school districts and schools

• Supports extra instructional services, activities, and/or materials to help low-achieving students meet state’s standards in subject areas
“Schoolwide Title I” programming is based on the idea that comprehensive reform strategies are most effective in raising achievement for all students, especially low performing students.

It supports the implementation of a comprehensive school plan strategically designed to improve the entire school’s educational program.

Schoolwide is designed for ALL students and staff.
Schoolwide Program

- Comprehensive Needs Assessment
- Improved Strategies
- Instruction by Highly Qualified Teachers
- Professional Development
- Coordination of Programs
- Teachers in Decision making Regarding Assessments
- Effective & Timely Assistance
- Preschool Transitioning
- Parent Involvement
- HighlyQualified Teachers to High Needs Schools

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Schoolwide Program Advantages

• Needs based
• Broadens reform efforts and upgrades the entire school
• Evaluation to inform instructional practices and student performance
• Encourages collaboration of staff and the school community in developing and implementing a plan that meets student needs
During the 2020-21 academic year, at least 65% of North students will achieve average growth (40 SGP) or greater in STAR Math/Reading from Fall to Spring.
Communications

- We communicate with families through conferences, parent/family events, weekly family newsletters
- Written information is translated in multiple languages for families
- Communication with families for events and meetings is communicated across multiple mediums (social media, email, telephone, regular mail, Schoology, Skyward, etc.) to maximize reach and participation
What are we doing?

Partner Programs
- United Way
- Boys and Girls Club of America
- Dream Line (Sanneh Foundation)
- Greater Minnesota Family Services
- GEAR UP - Minnesota Office of Higher Education
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**Accessibility**

- School and parent engagement is made accessible for all families by:
  - Holding events during various and extended time periods to accommodate multiple schedules
  - Providing food and beverage to encourage all families to be able to participate, especially when events and meetings occur in the evenings during traditional mealtimes
  - Providing accessible materials and resources in multiple languages for all families to participate in learning at home
  - Encouraging families to use their child’s Chromebook to participate in virtual family engagement meetings
Parent-Family Involvement

Research shows that students with parent-family-school involvement experience the following:

• Positive attitude
• Better quality homework
• Increased engagement
• Increased grades & performance
• Greater likelihood of attending college
Parent Partnerships

You can help your child by...

• Stressing the importance of education daily. If it’s important to you, it’s important to them.

• Checking for school communications.

• Reinforcing learning at home. You are your child’s “first teacher.”

• Showing an interest in school, asking questions.

• Attending conferences, meetings, and events.
Thank you! You truly make a difference in your child’s education.