The Mohawk Trail School System

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Dear Sanderson Academy Families,

As a Mohawk Trail Regional School System Title 1 teacher, I am writing to inform you about the benefits offered to your child through the Title I program, part of the No Child Left Behind Act of 2011. Mohawk Trail Regional School System's Title I program offers all students fair and equitable opportunities for a high quality, standards-based education.

How does Mohawk Trail's Title I program work? Here are the facts:

- Title I services are in the area of mathematics.
- Title I is designed as a regular education program for students who are not receiving special education services in mathematics.
- Title I programs at BSE, Sanderson and Colrain elementary schools and Mohawk Trail Regional Middle School are school-wide, meaning support and services are available to all students and teachers and can be provided flexibly.
- Title I teachers in school-wide programs support general classroom instruction, by collaborating with classroom teachers to support small-groups, assessment, and co-teaching.
- At all schools, supplemental Title I instruction is offered to selected students in addition to general classroom instruction in math.
- Students are identified for potential supplemental instruction by a combination of assessment results and teacher recommendations. Some supports may occur within the classroom and/or will be of short duration around a specific skill.
- Services depend on need. Students may enter or leave the Title I program throughout the school year depending on their academic needs. If a student receives services one year, they may not need services the following year.
- Families are a vital part of Title I programs. We encourage your input and appreciate your feedback. Please share your hopes and dreams for your child with the Title I teacher as well as the classroom teacher.
- Each Title I school will offer at least one, evening, family event each year. We hope you will participate with your child.
- In schools with Title I programs, families and educators agree to share responsibility for a student's academic growth. This shared responsibility, including strategies for supporting students, is outlined in a written compact. This compact will be distributed to all families and educators.
- Your ideas and suggestions are welcome throughout the year. At the end of the school year, we will ask all families for their feedback through a school-wide parent survey.

I hope you have learned something new about Mohawk Trail's Title I program. If you have questions, please ask me or contact our Title I Director, Sarah Jetzon, at sjetzon@mtrsd.org or 413-625-0192.

Best wishes for a happy, successful school year for your child!

Sincerely,

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