

Purpose of Title I

Title 1 is a federally funded program providing reading and math assistance for students who are near or below grade level. It is designed to provide students with extra support in an effort to bring their academic skills to grade level.

To qualify for a School-wide Title 1 program, a school must have at least 40% of student enrollment receiving free or reduced lunch. Title 1 presently provides school-wide student support at Silver Hills Elementary.

Title 1 Student Eligibility

All students attending Silver Hills Elementary are eligible to be referred to Title 1 and screened based on the following criteria:

- Low performance on Stage IRI (Idaho Reading Indicator K-3) or ISAT (Idaho Standards Achievement Test 3-6)
- Teacher referral
- Classroom performance

Title 1 Service Includes

- Inclusion
 - Students receive assistance in the regular classroom

- Pull-out
 - Students receive small group instruction in the Title 1 classroom

- Flexibility
 - The team may add or delete students for assistance according to student needs

Family Involvement

Silver Hills Elementary is committed to creating a partnership to provide academic success for every student through family involvement.

IRI progress reports are presented at Parent/Teacher Conferences at the end of the 1st and 3rd quarter. Also, IRI and ISAT scores are reported at the Annual Title 1 meeting in May.

Conferences can be scheduled at any time during the school year to review progress and discuss individual plans for students.