# TITLE I

Relevant Academy of Eaton County

### History

- Began in the mid 1960's
- Largest federal assistance program for our public schools
- Title I, part A
- Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965
- No Child Left Behind Act of 2001
- NCLB mentions parents over 300 times in the legislation

#### Goal

To provide extra help to students who need it the most. Helps students work toward meeting the standards set by individual states such as the Michigan Department of Education.

### Who is served

- Serves millions of children in elementary and secondary schools
- Title I also serves children who attend parochial and private schools (under certain conditions)

## Qualify vs. Served

Districts **qualify** for Title I funding based on the number of low income students residing within the district.

Students who <u>receive services</u> are those who show an academic need.

### Targeted vs. Schoolwide

- A <u>targeted program</u> serves the students who are at academic risk and typically have less than 40% of their population being low income.
- A <u>schoolwide program</u> is for schools or districts whose low income population is greater than 40%. Relevant Academy is a schoolwide program.

# District and School Level Parent Involvement Policies

- Annual meeting required
- Students notified their able to participate in Title I
- Parent/Student Conferences
- School-Parent Compact
- Regular Meetings
- Notify parents of resources available to them
- Assist parents in attending workshops
- Information in language families understand

### Compact

**Outlines** 

School District Responsibilities
Parent Responsibilities
Student Responsibilities

### Monitoring

District's federal programs are monitored every three years. This monitoring includes a pre-visit survey completed by the district or LEA as well as an onsite visit. Some of the programs included in the process are:

Title I

Title II

Title III

### **POSSIBLE** Future Meetings

- School Improvement meetings(monthly)
- Learning Support materials on website or printed per request (September, December, March)
- Other open houses and intake meetings summer/fall and spring

### Questions

 For additional questions or information contact the Executive Director at 517-925-5450.