

# Evidence Based Programs

As a Title I school, BES is required to use programs that have been researched and proven to make a profound impact on student achievement.

We have implemented intervention programs that support students in various ways with various needs.



## Parents' Rights

As a parent, you have the right to:

- ☐ review the Worcester County Complaint Policy.
- ☐ review Title I documents and give input on the school/family compact, Title I Parent Involvement Plan, and the Title I budget.

- ☐ inquire about qualifications of the professionals that work with your child.
- ☐ attend workshops that will help you as a parent.

## Title I

Schools that are considered to be located in high poverty areas are usually eligible for Title I funding. Title I federal funding is made available to a school when at least 40% of their total population receives Free And Reduced Meals services. BES is considered to be Title I because approximately 59% of our student population lives in poverty.

This money should be used to provide additional materials for the school that would not be routinely provided by the district or county of which they are a part.

At BES, these federal dollars come in the form of extra materials such as books and manipulatives that support learning, several staff positions, and money for parental involvement

activities as well as some of the technology used throughout the school.

You have the opportunity to learn more about Title I on conference nights and during parent workshops.

# Title I Program

Buckingham  
Elementary  
School  
2018- 2019



## Join us for these Parent Engagement Events!

Date	Event
Sept. 14, 2018 5:00 PM	EL Back to School Night
November 12-16, 2018	Math Week during American Education Week
January 7, 2019	One School, One Book Kick-off
July 19, 2019 5:00	BES Family BBQ

### Annual Title 1 Meetings & Parent Conference Nights

September 13, 2018- Back to School Night

October 11, 2018- Parent Conference Night

January 7, 2019- Parent Conference Night

March 5, 2019- Parent Conference Night

Accommodations for All Family Engagement:

- ☐ multiple meeting dates and times
- ☐ interpreters as needed
- ☐ childcare as needed
- ☐ food where applicable
- ☐ transportation for attending parent workshops only (transportation concerns can be arranged only if a parent provides a written request within 48 hours of a specified workshop.)

## Websites

There are several online resources available to families. Listed below, are the resource centers and some contact information.

[www.buckinghamelementary.com](http://www.buckinghamelementary.com)

[www.mdk12.org](http://www.mdk12.org)

[www.MarylandPublicSchools.org](http://www.MarylandPublicSchools.org)

[www.MDReportCard.org](http://www.MDReportCard.org)

[www.worcesterk12.org](http://www.worcesterk12.org)

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## BES Distinctions

2017-2018 Title 1



Nationally Distinguished  
School for Academic  
Excellence!

Professional Development School  
2017-2018 PBIS Gold School

## Assessment Windows

iReady Beginning of Year Diagnostic:  
(Grades 1-4)

9/17/18- 10/5/18

iReady MidYear Check: (Grades 1-4)

1/22/19- 2/8/19

MCAP ELA/Math: (Grades 3-4)

4/9/19 - 5/3/19

iReady End of Year Check: (Grades 1-4)

5/1/19- 5/31/19