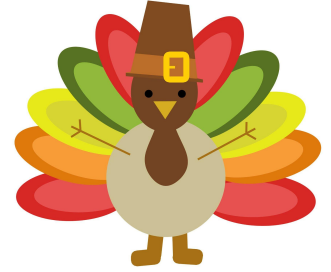




John Muir Elementary School



Title I Newsletter November 2023

PIE TIME = Prevention*Intervention*Enrichment

Really Great Reading is the program that we are using during PIE time. Countdown and Blast are the two programs that we teach. They provide phonemic awareness, phonics concepts, and word attack skills. They also focus on reading accurately, which translates to better comprehension. In all lessons, students learn to practice what good readers do naturally, which is to pay attention to every word, read with a high rate of accuracy, and use strategies for attacking unfamiliar and multi-syllable words. The lessons are research-based, multisensory and highly effective. There is also an application piece called Reading Playground where students are assessed and can play games to apply the concepts they are learning.

At John Muir, we believe it is our mission to to increase student achievement and social-emotional health through student-centered instruction, positive family-school partnerships, and providing a safe learning environment.

Parent “Right to Know!”

As a parent of a student at a Title I served school, you have the right to know the professional qualifications of the classroom teachers who instruct your child. Federal law allows you to ask for certain information about your child’s classroom teachers and requires the information to be given to you in a timely manner. Specifically, you have the right to ask for the following information about each of your child’s classroom teachers:

ANNUAL TITLE I MEETING and PTA B-I-N-G-O
Thursday, November 16th
6:15-8:00pm
Please RSVP by Tuesday, November 14th
Please attend to learn more about John Muir’s Title I Program and what the Title Teachers are engaging your children in.

- 1. Whether the teacher has met the State qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;**
- 2. Whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived;**
- 3. Whether the teacher is teaching in the field of discipline of his/her certification; and**
- 4. Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.**

The Parma-Powers Branch of the Cuyahoga County Public Library has a Student Success Center where free academic help and enrichment are offered Monday - Thursday from 4:00-6:30pm. To enroll your child in our Student Success Center program, please fill out the [registration form](#) and bring it to one of our Student Success Center locations.

You can view this information at the Ohio Department of Education’s website (<https://education.ohio.gov>). Click on the “Teacher” tab; then, under “Resources,” click “Educator Profile.” Now type in the teacher’s first and last name, and click on “Search Educator” to view the teacher’s area of licensure.

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... or call the school at 440-885-2424