

2011-2012 Program Monitoring Summary

District: Marion County
Program: Title I, Part A
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<p>Overview of Monitoring Process: This compliance review monitors Title I, Part A activities at districts and each school within the district that receive Title I, Part A funds. The monitoring process includes the review of hard evidence collected and presented by the district and school(s) and interviews with district and school staff members.</p> <p>The following district compliance areas, each consisting of several components, are examined: 1) public school allocations; 2) allocations to neglected institutions; 3) homeless services; 4) parent involvement; 5) school improvement; 6) district improvement; 7) highly qualified staff; 8) consultation with schools receiving funds; 9) services to eligible private schools; and 10) fiscal management.</p> <p>In addition, the following school compliance areas, each consisting of several components, are examined: 1) needs assessment; 2) program design and effectiveness; and 3) parent involvement.</p>
<p>Summary of Visit: This visit included on-site visits to the central office and the following schools: Calvary Elementary School, Glasscock Elementary School, Lebanon Elementary School, Lebanon Middle School, Saint Charles Middle School, West Marion Elementary School and Saint Augustine Parish School.</p> <p>Findings: During this visit, it was found that Marion County is out of compliance in one or more components of the following district areas of Title I, Part A: 1) Homeless Children and Youth; 2) Parent Involvement; 3) Title I School Improvement; 4) Highly Qualified Staff; and 5) Fiscal Management</p> <p>It was also found that Marion County is out of compliance in one or more components of the following school areas of Title I, Part A: 1) Program design and effectiveness; and 2) Parent Involvement.</p> <p>Follow up actions for each of the non-compliance components were requested and have been completed or are scheduled to be completed before September 3, 2012.</p> <p>Recommendations: The district should continue its improvement of parent involvement policies, compliance with all Title I, Part A components and each Title I school should work to ensure that all parents have the opportunity to participate in educational activities.</p>
<p>Monitoring Documents: (Clicking the following links will direct you to the program area's monitoring documents)</p> <p>Marion Title I Actions Needed</p>