What is Title 1?

• Title I is a federally funded program. The goal of Title 1 is to ensure a high-quality education for every child, by providing extra help to students who need it most. Title 1 funds are used to raise the achievement of students who are failing, or are at-risk of failing to meet the challenging state standards.

• Title 1 funds are distributed to districts and individual schools based on the number of low-income families served. However, once a school qualifies for Title 1 funds, academic need, not economic status, determines which students receive extra services.

• Title 1 funds help provide supplementary materials and additional educators for the school. These funds are also used to support parent/family involvement activities and after school tutoring.

• At Tecumseh Local Schools, Title 1 funds provide services to students in grades K-5. These services are delivered through a variety of methods such as small group interventions, individual interventions, or with in- class support.