Young Researchers’ Institute

This year we are initiating a new program titled, the Young Researchers’ Institute. Students in second through fifth grades will be part of a multi-grade level research team investigating agricultural issues. This program is funded through a grant provided by the Department of Agriculture and Crellin’s Parent Teacher Organization.

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Mrs. Friend, Kindergarten Teacher
Mrs. Sherwood, Assistant
Mrs. Knepp, First Grade Teacher
Mrs. Mayne, Second Grade Teacher
Mrs. Hordubay, Third Grade Teacher
Mrs. Stephens, Fourth Grade Teacher
Mrs. German, Fifth Grade Teacher
Mrs. Gilpin, Resource Teacher
Mrs. Rohrbaugh, Resource Teacher
Mrs. Simmons, Media Assistant
Mrs. Roth, Music Teacher
Ms. Winebrenner, Art Teacher
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Crellin Elementary is a Title I School nestled in the mountains of Western Maryland in Garrett County. Crellin staff utilizes place-based education principles to connect students to their community and the environment.

**Title I Expectations**

Crellin School recognizes the importance of forming a strong partnership with parents and community members in order to positively impact the students in our school. This is a summary of our Title I Family Involvement Plan that was developed with, and distributed to, CES families and staff. For a copy of the entire plan, or the Crellin School Action Plan, contact Dr. McCauley, at 301-334-4704.

**Parent Information and Participation:** Crellin School invites you to learn more about our Title I Program and give input into our Family Involvement Plan, budget, and School & Family Compact. There are many opportunities for volunteering and participating on decision-making teams within the school. Crellin News, our family newsletter, is sent home each month and provides dates for these opportunities. You are encouraged to attend our Title I Annual Meeting to learn how the Title I Program benefits our school. If you need assistance or accommodations in order to participate in any activity, please call the school.

**Shared Decision Making:** Our Family Activities Committee meets throughout the year to plan family activities. The School Improvement Team meets to plan instructional activities to enhance learning and discuss budget items. Each committee provides an opportunity for the Crellin staff and parents to work together in partnership. If you are interested in participating on any of these committees please contact the school.

“At the end of the day, the most overwhelming key to a child’s success is the positive involvement of parents.”

Jane D. Hull