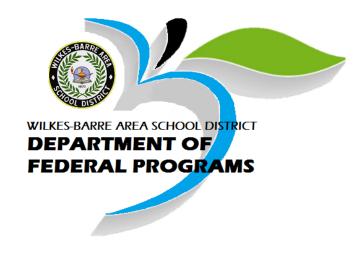
# PARENT & FAMILY ENGAGEMENT EVENT SPOTLIGHT



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## Title I Program at Solomon-Plains Elementary School Holds 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Grade STEM Nights

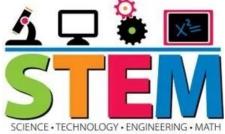


During the month of February, Solomon-Plains Elementary School held three grade specific Math and Science STEM Nights. Students and their families participated in a fun icebreaker warm-up activity and then worked together to design, create, and build a special project. Third grade worked to see who could make the tallest tower using one sheet of paper and tape. Fourth grade made puff mobiles and competed to see whose car traveled the farthest distance. Fifth grade tried to construct the tallest tower using toothpicks and gumdrops. Mr. Michael Corcoran, Science K-12 & Mathematics K-5 Supervisor and Lorrie Gardner, Title I Parent Liaison/Reading Coach facilitated the event. Several Title I teachers and staff were also at the event to assist the families in the activities. The Title I Federal Programs PowerPoint was displayed and the upcoming PSSA State testing discussed. Parents were able to take math and reading materials from the Title I Parent Resource Table, sign up for the Parent Advisory Council and complete a survey for feedback. Finally, everyone enjoyed a snack while they spent time with one another.

Thank you to all who attended!

























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## Wilkes-Barre Area High School Holds Parent & Family Engagement Event!



On February 8th, 2024 Wilkes-Bare Area High School held a FAFSA completion night for senior students and their parents. Diane McFarlane, High School Title I Parent Liaison/Senior Guidance Counselor welcomed our partners from PHEAA, EOC and King's College while they assisted our students and parents through the FAFSA application process. The night was a great success and parents are able to follow through with the EOC program for additional help with FAFSA.

A Parent Resource Center was also available for families to choose math and reading materials along with Channing Bete Pamphlets, Copyright Policy, School Compact, Parent Engagement Policy and much more. Parents and families were asked to fill out a Parent & Family Event survey for feedback and join the Parent Advisory Council.

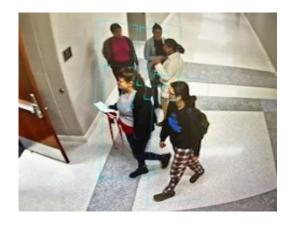
















#### G.A.R. Middle School Holds

### **Parent & Family Engagement Event!**

On November 30th, 2023 G.A.R. Middle School held a "Literacy Bingo" event for students and families. G.A.R. Parent Liaison/Title I Math teacher Brenda Cavalari, along with Title I teachers and staff assisted families in playing 10 games of Bingo for their children to win books for their "At Home" libraries. All students were also given a deck of cards with math activities to use at home for skill practice. Families enjoyed snacks, drinks and were able to visit the Title I Parent Resource table for additional math and reading resources, Title I Channing Bete Pamphlets, complete Parent Surveys for feedback and join the G.A.R. Advisory Council!

















