

A **schoolwide program** is a comprehensive improvement program developed at an eligible school site. Eligibility is determined by a school's poverty level (40%). The improvement plan must address the ten components identified in legislation. A schoolwide program permits a school to use funds from Title I, Part A, and some other Federal education program funds and resources to upgrade the entire educational program of the school in order to raise academic achievement for all students.

A **targeted assistance program** allows schools to use Title I, Part A funds only for supplementary educational services for eligible children who are failing or at risk of failing to meet State standards.