

FLEMING COUNTY SCHOOLS JIM HAMM, STATE ASSISTANCE MONITOR FEBRUARY KBE MEETING ACTION PLAN UPDATE

1. Status Update

District leadership is conducting their own internal reviews of the quality standards in each school. This will help the district to monitor and provide support of teaching and learning in the schools and also will help them work through the process of district accreditation.

The district is exploring the purchase of an online application tool to increase the number and quality of applicants for vacant positions.

Fleming County Schools is remaining focused on these three major areas:

- 1). The district is continuing to monitor progress at the high school (a Priority School) and is meeting regularly with school leadership and teachers to ensure they provide the support the school needs to improve student achievement.
- 2). The district is preparing for a major renovation at Fleming County High School. The project will include a modern and up-to-date career and technical center. The district has collaborated with KDE on all aspects of the renovation.
- 3). The district recently began the yearlong process of becoming accredited. The site visit will occur in the fall of 2016.

2. Action Strategies - Completion

The district has received a grant and is developing a district strategic plan. The plan is almost complete. They also have applied for a \$40,000 continuation grant to help the district employ process improvement and performance excellence criteria throughout the district.

School and district personnel are busy analyzing the data from their second round of benchmark assessments to monitor and adjust instruction and to provide necessary student interventions.

3. Action Strategies - Deficiencies

The district has not yet conducted a 60-day evaluation of the standards of quality but a Quality Assurance Team meeting has been scheduled.

Results from the second round of benchmark assessments show that one elementary school is not progressing as quickly as other elementary schools in the district. District and school staff are analyzing the data to create an improvement plan.

4. Action Strategies – Additions

The district continues to work on long-range plans (pacing guides) for all core courses (English, math, science) with units that include rigorous formative and summative assessments.

The district also is working with the Family Resource and Youth Services Center to develop a summer engagement program for students.

The district also will be developing a formalized process to collect minutes from professional learning community meetings in the schools to determine next steps and opportunities for growth.