

# Academic Progress Review



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# 2017-2018

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- Speed of Trust
- District Leadership Action Team
- Transition Ready and New Opportunities
- Thinking Focus Work
- Personalized Learning
- Assessment Update
- PLC Process Refinement



# Speed of Trust Work

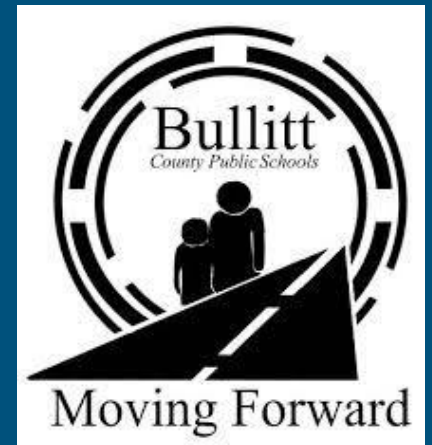
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- Trust = Confidence
- 13 Behaviors of High Trust
  - Character Behaviors: Talk Straight, Demonstrate Respect, Create Transparency, Right Wrongs, Show Loyalty
  - Competence Behaviors: Deliver Results, Get Better, Confront Reality, Clarify Expectations, and Practice Accountability
  - Character and Competence: Listen First, Keep Commitments, Extend Trust
- Leadership Team Meetings
- Common Language

# District Leadership Action Team-Special Ed

- **Speed of Trust**
  - Extend Trust
- **Closing the Achievement Gap**
  - Gap Closure Toolkit
- **DLAT**
  - Bullitt Day Meetings
  - Plans of Action
  - Ongoing Training Imbedded



# Transition Ready & New Opportunities

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**BCPS - 39 Pathways**  
**2018-2019**



# LAW ENFORCEMENT

# Digital Design and Game Development





INTERAPT

**Information Technology TRACK**

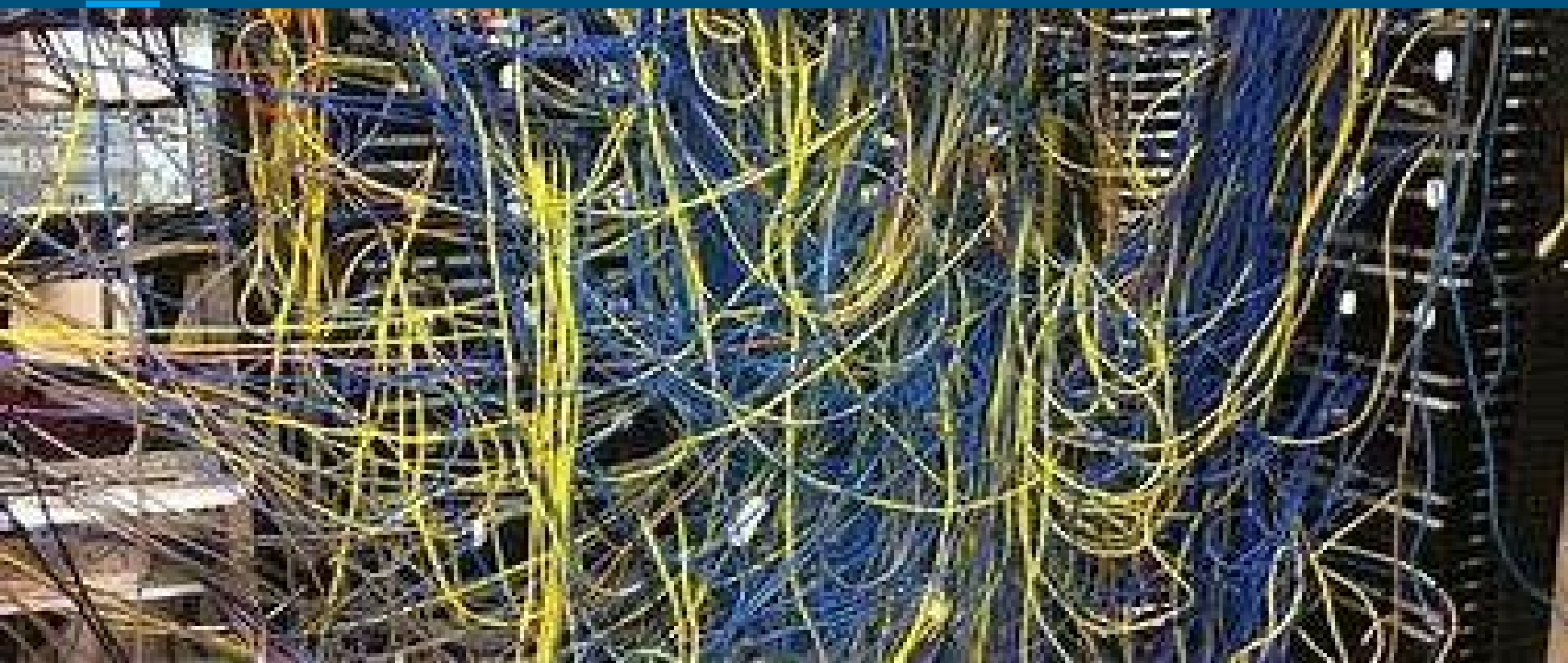
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# Geospatial Technologies & Drone Certification

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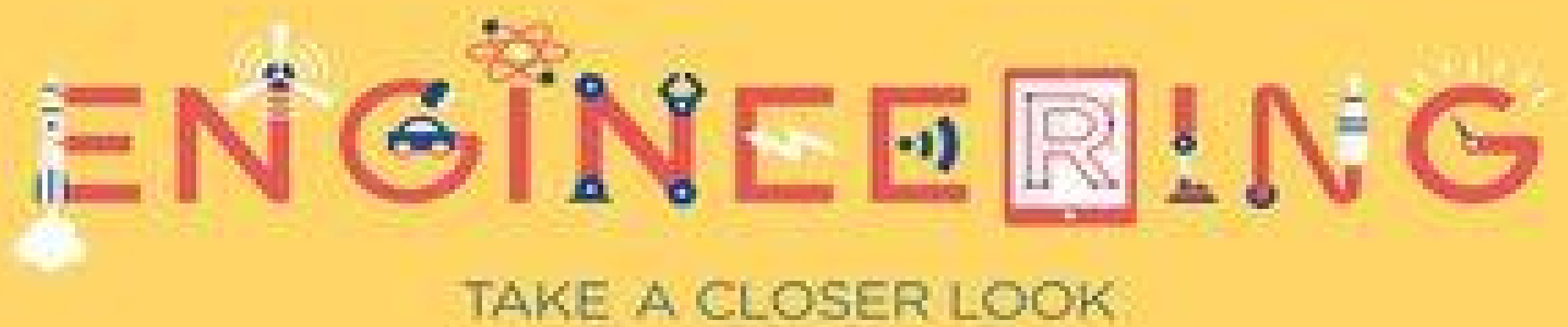


# Network Administration





**Aircraft Maintenance Technician**



## **CTE-Engineering Hybrid Pathways**

# Hospitality, Travel, Tourism & Recreation



UNDERSTANDING

COMMUNITY

WORKSHOP  
GRADUAL RELEASE  
OF RESPONSIBILITY

THINKING  
STRATEGIES

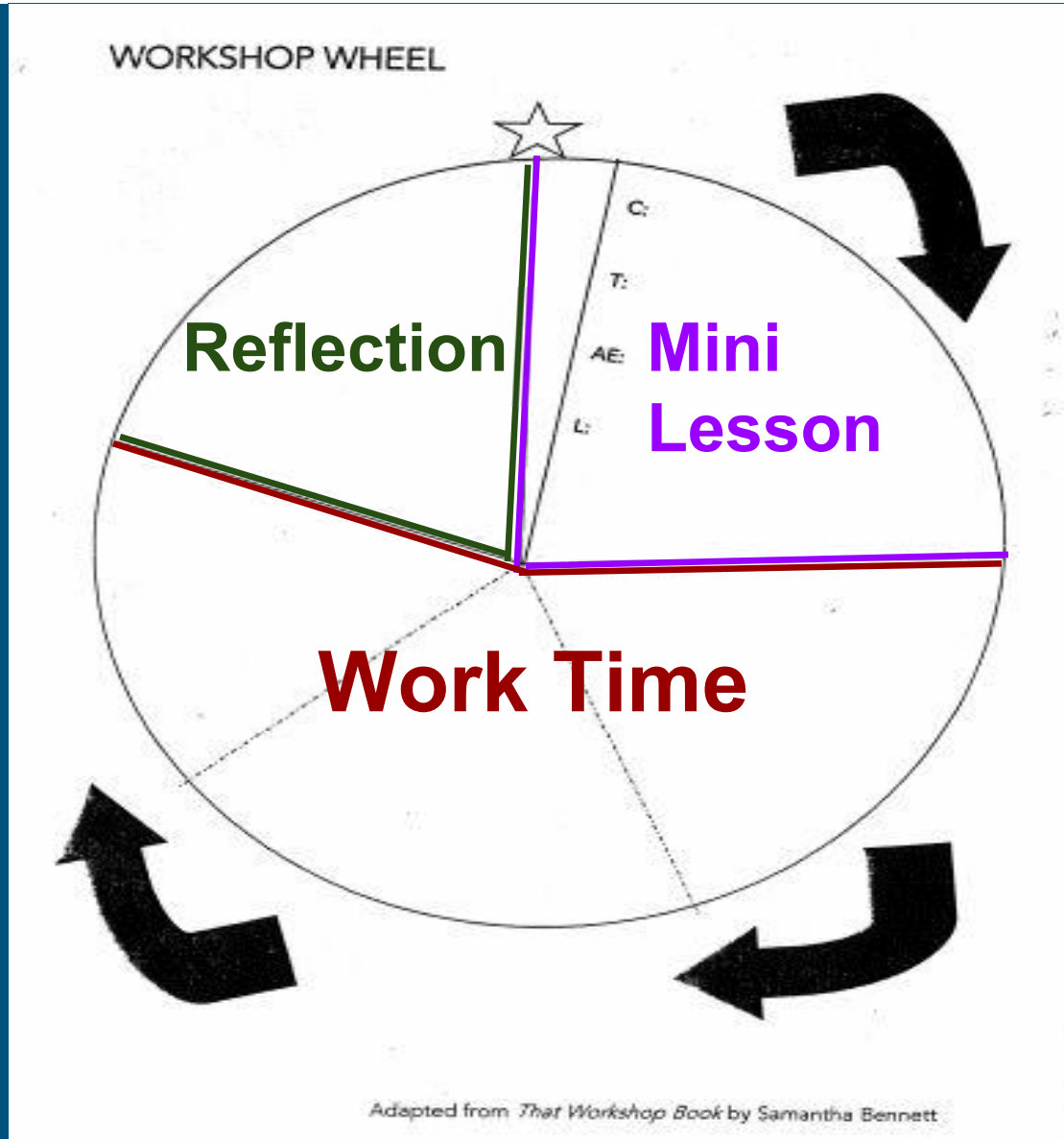
ACADEMIC  
DISCOURSE

Think  
Camp

**Thinking  
Focus  
Overview**

# Lesson Plan Format

1. Mini Lesson
  - a. Learning Target
  - b. Catch
  - c. Teach
  - d. Active Engagement
  - e. Launch
2. Work Time
  - a. Catch-and-Release
  - b. Conferring
3. Reflection



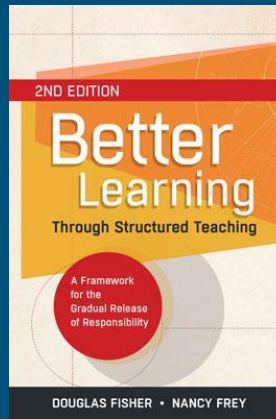
# District-Wide

## ❖ Elementary

- 47 teachers
- 4 Instructional Coaches are facilitating the growth

## ❖ **Moving forward -**

- Bring on more Instructional Coaches and revisiting each teacher
- Use January Think Camp to recruit more teachers
- Build slow to move fast



## ❖ Secondary

- High School: 47 teachers
- Middle School: 46
- All AP's going through lab classroom visits
- All Instructional Coaches & Content Specialists are facilitating their growth.

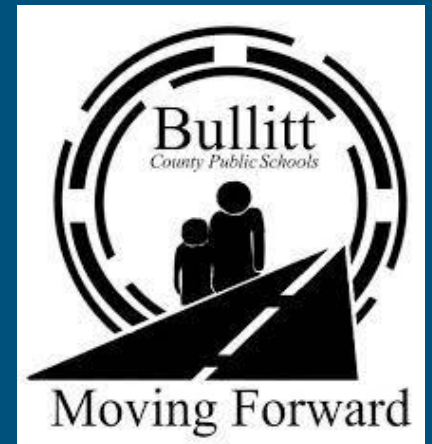
## ❖ **Moving forward -**

- Continue lab classroom visits within schools
- Expand based on interest

# Personalized Learning: The Journey Begins

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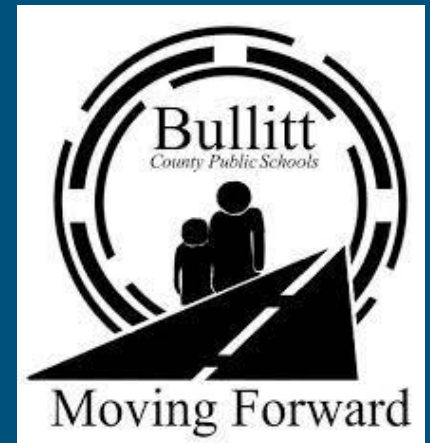
Tailoring learning for each student's strengths, needs and interests-including enabling student voice and choice in what, how, when and where they learn-to provide flexibility and supports to ensure mastery of the highest standards possible.



# District-Wide

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- ❖ 5 schools: Maryville, Mt. Washington Elementary, Old Mill, Overdale, Pleasant Grove
- ❖ Bullitt Days: Teachers met in a Professional Learning Communities to participate in a book study: Students at the Center By: **Kallick and Zmuda**
  - Discussion of the chapter read
- ❖ Problem Solving/Share:
  - What is working?
  - What is not working?
- ❖ PL Framework Share
  - Host teachers shared the work from their school



# Next Steps

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- Personalized Learning Lab Visits: March 12th ZMS Summitt rescheduled , 20th, 21st and 22nd Elementary Sites
- April Bullitt Day PL Agenda Focus: Reflection and Next Steps
- Building Capacity:
  - MWES 4th grade teachers are already working with their 5th grade teachers to launch PL next year
  - Brooks 4th grade teachers have been to MWES to observe and are planning to transition to PL in math
- Train the Trainer Model: Our vision is for our teacher leaders to lead the work on Bullitt Days next year with new teachers beginning the PL journey.
- Middle School Expansion: ZMS adding 7th grade, BLMS submitted application for approval for 6th only.

# Reflections

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When thinking about personalized learning, I had an idea of what it meant for me and my students. Yet, through the changes, idea development and reflection, it has taken on a new meaning. I thought PL was just exploration, but now I see what I need to be doing is building a framework so students know how to explore and take responsible risk...

--Sarah Thornsberry, OMES Teacher

“Although the “shift” for teachers to be listeners rather than storytellers is not an easy one, what you end up with is a group of students who are highly motivated in creating their own learning...even at age 9...and there’s something to be said about that.

-Beth Fox, MWES Teacher

# Reflections

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Personalized learning has changed the way students learn. My vision has changed as the year has gone on. The students enjoy seeing their progress and have worked hard so they can meet their goals.  
-Whitney Voyles, OES Teacher

## Expect the Unexpected

- Increases student engagement
- Holds students accountable for their work
- Allows students to set goals and monitor their learning
- Gives students a sense of community
- Fills in the gaps of their learning
- Allows for the mastery of standards

-Tiffany Williams and Ashley Gallusser, MES Teachers

# Reflections

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Personalized learning maximizes the minutes in a school day for each student. Students who did not previously master skills because it was time to move on, now get the extra time they need to get to mastery. Students who master concepts quickly are not held back by having to wait for others to catch up. Everyone learns at their own pace. The result is more students meeting mastery in more skills.

-Erica Harbin, PGES Teacher

# K-PREP

Grades 3-8 and 11  
Kentucky Performance Rating for  
Educational Progress



### 2018 K-PREP Number of Items and Testing Times

MC=Multiple Choice, MS=Multiple Select, SA=Short Answer, ER=Extended Response, Psg=Passages, NoC=No Calculator

Grade 3	Reading	#Psg	# MC	# SA	Time	Mathematics	# MC	# SA	Time
	Part A	2	18	2	70	Part A	31	2	75
	Part B	2	18		60	Part B (NoC)	13	1	35

Grade 4	Reading	#Psg	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Mathematics	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Science	#Clusters	# MC *	# MS *	# ER	Time
	Part A	3	17	1	1	85	Part A	32	2	1	90	Part A	2	11-14	0-3	2	60
	Part B	2	18	1		65	Part B (NoC)	12	1		35	Part B	2	11-13	1-3	2	60

Grade 5	Reading	#Psg	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Mathematics	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Social Studies	# MC	# ER	Time	On-Demand Writing	#Stand Alone	# Psg Based	Time
	Part A	4	17	1	1	90	Part A	32	2	1	90	Part A	22	2	85	Part A	1		30
	Part B	2	18	1		65	Part B (NoC)	12	1		35	Part B	22	1	70	Part B		1	90

Grade 6	Reading	#Psg	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Mathematics	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time
	Part A	3	21		1	85	Part A	33	2	1	90
	Part B	3	21	2		80	Part B (NoC)	11	1		35

Grade 7	Reading	#Psg	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Mathematics	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Science	#Clusters	# MC *	# MS *	# ER	Time
	Part A	4	26	2		90	Part A	34	2	1	90	Part A	2	10-14	0-4	2	60
	Part B	4	16		1	85	Part B (NoC)	10	1		30	Part B	2	10-12	2-4	2	60

Grade 8	Reading	#Psg	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Mathematics	# MC	# SA	# ER	Time	Social Studies	# MC	# ER	Time	On-Demand Writing	# Stand Alone	# Psg Based	Time
	Part A	2	22	1		70	Part A	34	2	1	90	Part A	22	2	85	Part A	1		40
	Part B	4	20	1	1	90	Part B (NoC)	10	1		30	Part B	22	1	70	Part B		1	90

Grade 11	On-Demand Writing	# Stand Alone	#Psg Based	Time
	Part A	1		40
	Part B		1	90

# Matrix Testing -vs- Common Testing



# Common and Matrix Testing

## Common Testing

- Common testing uses one form.
- All students take the same assessment with the same questions.
- Common testing improves the comparability of student results.

## Matrix Testing

- Broad curriculum coverage, minimizing testing time per student
- Involves developing a complete set of items cover the curriculum, then divides the items into subsets
- Increases content coverage with less testing time for students.

# Common and Matrix Testing

## Common Testing

Reading and Mathematics,  
Grades 3-8

Social Studies,  
Grades 5 and 8

On-Demand Writing,  
Grades 5, 8 and 11

## Common/Matrix Testing

Science,  
Grades 4 and 7

End-of-Course Field Tests  
(Biology, Algebra II and  
English II)

# K-PREP Testing Structure

Subject	Structure
Reading	variety of multiple choice, short answer, extended response*
Mathematics	variety of multiple choice, short answer, extended response*
Science	variety of multiple choice, multiple select, extended response
Social Studies	variety of multiple choice, extended response
On-Demand Writing	one stand alone prompt, one passage-based prompt

\*3rd grade does not include extended response

# High School End-of-Course Online Field Tests

# End-of-Course Testing Structure

Subject	Structure
Algebra II	variety of multiple choice, multiple select, extended response
Biology	variety of multiple choice, multiple select, extended response
English II	variety of multiple choice, short answer, essay

# PLC Process

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- New Learning, Language and Understanding
  - Solution Tree Facilitation, Fern Creek High School
  - Collaborative Teams
  - Professional Learning Community (PLC) Process
  - Teacher, Instructional Coach and Principal Trainings
  - Teacher Leader Training as facilitators of the process
  - Collaborative Team Observations with Solution Tree
  - Leadership Team Meetings model the PLC Process
  - PLC Process Observations @Fern Creek High School
  - PLC is the Work....is the Initiative...is the Focus
  - Every School, Every Team, Every Classroom Book Study
  - Reflection, Reflection, Reflection



# Questions/Comments

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