

Comprehensive Improvement Plan for Schools

Rationale

School improvement efforts focus on student needs through a collaborative process involving all stakeholders to establish and address priority needs, district funding, and closing achievement gaps between identified subgroups of students. Additionally, schools build upon their capacity for high-quality planning by making connections between academic resources and available funding to address targeted needs.

Operational definitions of each area within the plan

Goal: Long-term three to five year target based on Kentucky Board of Education required goals. Schools may supplement with individual or district goals.

Objective: Short-term target to be attained by the end of the current school year.

Strategy: Research-based approach based on the 6 Key Core Work Processes designed to systematically address the process, practice or condition that the district will focus its efforts upon in order to reach its goals/objectives.

Activity: The actionable steps used to deploy the chosen strategy.

Key Core Work Processes: A series of processes that involve the majority of an organization’s workforce and relate to its core competencies. These are the factors that determine an organization’s success and help it prioritize areas for growth.

Measure of Success: the criteria that you believe shows the impact of our work. The **measures** may be quantifiable or qualitative, but they are observable in some way. Without data on what is being accomplished by our deliberate actions, we have little or no foundation for decision-making or improvement.

Progress Monitoring: is used to assess the plan performance, to quantify a rate of improvement based on goals and objectives, and to evaluate the effectiveness of the plan.

Guidelines for Building an Improvement Plan

- There are 6 required District Goals: Proficiency, Separate Academic Indicator, Achievement Gap Closure, Graduation rate, Growth, and Transition readiness.
- There are 5 required school-level goals:
For elementary/middle school: Proficiency, Separate Academic Indicator, Gap, Growth, and Transition readiness.
For high school: Proficiency, Separate Academic Indicator, Gap, Graduation rate, and Transition readiness.
- There can be multiple objectives for each goal.
- There can be multiple strategies for each objective.
- There can be multiple activities for each strategy.

1: Proficiency Goal

Goal 1 (State your proficiency goal): **By 2020, increase Proficiency for all student groups, so that proficiency in reading improves from 24% to 45%; Math improves from 5% to 20%: writing improves from 6% to 25%.**

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| Which Strategy will the district use to address this goal? (<i>The Strategy can be based upon the six Key Core Work Processes listed below or another research-based approach. Provide justification and/or attach evidence for why the strategy was chosen.</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">KCWP 1: Design and Deploy StandardsKCWP 2: Design and Deliver InstructionKCWP 3: Design and Deliver Assessment LiteracyKCWP 4: Review, Analyze and Apply DataKCWP 5: Design, Align and Deliver SupportKCWP 6: Establishing Learning Culture and Environment | Which Activities will the district deploy based on the strategy or strategies chosen? (<i>The links to the Key Core Work Processes activity bank below may be a helpful resource. Provide a brief explanation or justification for the activity.</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">KCWP1: Design and Deploy Standards Classroom ActivitiesKCWP2: Design and Deliver Instruction Classroom ActivitiesKCWP3: Design and Deliver Assessment Literacy Classroom ActivitiesKCWP4: Review, Analyze and Apply Data Classroom ActivitiesKCWP5: Design, Align and Deliver Support Classroom ActivitiesKCWP6: Establishing Learning Culture and Environment Classroom Activities | In the following chart, identify the timeline for the activity or activities, the person(s) responsible for ensuring the fidelity of the activity or activities, and necessary funding to execute the activity or activities. |
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| Objective 1: a 5% increase of all students will demonstrate proficiency from 24 % to 30% in ELA as measured by grade in English 1. | Students will be identified using KPREP data. | KPREP test scores will identify novice levels. | Test Scores | 5/18/2019 | No funding required |
| | | Create formative and summative assessments that are aligned to the standards | | | |
| | | Ensure that assessments are designed to best evaluate student learning | | | |
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| Objective 2: A 5% increase of all students will demonstrate proficiency from 5% to 10% in Mathematics by 5/19/19 as measured by Algebra 2 grade | Students will be identified using KPREP data. | KPREP test scores will identify novice levels. | Test scores | 5/18/2019 | No funding required |
| | | Create formative and summative assessments that are aligned to the standards | | | |
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2: Separate Academic Indicator

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| Goal 2 (State your separate academic indicator goal): All students will be proficient in writing by 2020. | | |
| Which Strategy will the district use to address this goal? (<i>The Strategy can be based upon the six Key Core Work Processes listed below or another research-based approach. Provide justification and/or attach evidence for why the strategy was chosen.</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">KCWP 1: Design and Deploy StandardsKCWP 2: Design and Deliver InstructionKCWP 3: Design and Deliver Assessment LiteracyKCWP 4: Review, Analyze and Apply DataKCWP 5: Design, Align and Deliver SupportKCWP 6: Establishing Learning Culture and Environment | Which Activities will the district deploy based on the strategy or strategies chosen? (<i>The links to the Key Core Work Processes activity bank below may be a helpful resource. Provide a brief explanation or justification for the activity.</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">KCWP1: Design and Deploy Standards Classroom ActivitiesKCWP2: Design and Deliver Instruction Classroom ActivitiesKCWP3: Design and Deliver Assessment Literacy Classroom ActivitiesKCWP4: Review, Analyze and Apply Data Classroom ActivitiesKCWP5: Design, Align and Deliver Support Classroom ActivitiesKCWP6: Establishing Learning Culture and Environment Classroom Activities | In the following chart, identify the timeline for the activity or activities, the person(s) responsible for ensuring the fidelity of the activity or activities, and necessary funding to execute the activity or activities. |

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| Objective 1: A 5% increase of all students will demonstrate proficiency from 5% to 10% in writing by 5/19/19 as measured by English 4 grade | Students will be identified using KPREP data and student grades. | KPREP scores will identify novice | Test Scores | 5/18/2019 | No funding required |
| | | Create formative and summative assessments that are aligned to the standards | | | |
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3: Gap

Goal 3 (State your Gap goal): **By 2020, increase achievement gaps for all student groups, in reading from 30% to 50%: math improves from 10% to 25%: writing improves from 8% to 20%.**

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| Objective 1: a 20% increase of gap groups from 30% to 50% in reading as measured by ACT assessments. | Students will be identified using ACT data. | ACT test scores will identify novice levels. | Test scores | 5/18/2019 | No funding required |
| | | Create formative and summative assessments that are aligned to the standards | | | |
| | | Ensure that assessments are designed to best evaluate student learning | | | |
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| Objective 2: A 25% increase of gap groups from 10% to 25%in Math by 5/18/2019 as measured by ACT assessment. | Students will be identified using ACT data | ACT test scores will identify novice levels. | Test scores | 5/18/2019 | No funding required |
| | | Create formative and summative assessments that are aligned to the standards | | | |
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4: Graduation rate

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| Goal 4 (State your Graduation Rate goal): The graduation rate will increase from 66% per 4-year cohort in 2018 to 75% in 2020. | | |
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| Objective 1: A 4% increase of all students graduation rate from 66%in 2018 to 70% by 5/18/2019 | Academic and behavior RTI team will review, discuss, and implement interventions for at risk students. | Students will work towards credit maintenance in order to graduate with their cohort. | Number of graduates | 5/18/2019 | No funding required |
| | | Encourage student opportunity in self-monitoring behavior, including progress monitoring of goals. | | | |
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5: Growth

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| Goal 5 (State your Growth goal): The attendance growth at Central Academy will increase from 87% in 2017-18 to 90% in 2018-19 | | |
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| Objective 1: Demonstrate a behavior of increasing attendance rate to 90% by 5/19/2019 as measured by infinite Campus | Monthly PBIS meetings will be held to review attendance and student concerns. | PBIS | Decrease in Behavior | 5/18/2019 | No funding required |
| | | Ensure that classrooms operate within the school’s guidelines of cultural responsiveness and hold students to high expectations for appreciating and accepting diversity. | | | |
| | | Ensure that classrooms plan for and incorporate culturally responsive practices, embedding such practices in lesson plans, activities, assessments, and within classroom daily operations. | | | |
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6: Transition Readiness

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| Goal 6 (State your Transition Readiness goal): By May of 2020 school year the percentage of transition Ready students will increase to 100% of students. | | |
| Which Strategy will the district use to address this goal? (<i>The Strategy can be based upon the six Key Core Work Processes listed below or another research-based approach. Provide justification and/or attach evidence for why the strategy was chosen.</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">KCWP 1: Design and Deploy StandardsKCWP 2: Design and Deliver InstructionKCWP 3: Design and Deliver Assessment LiteracyKCWP 4: Review, Analyze and Apply DataKCWP 5: Design, Align and Deliver SupportKCWP 6: Establishing Learning Culture and Environment | Which Activities will the district deploy based on the strategy or strategies chosen? (<i>The links to the Key Core Work Processes activity bank below may be a helpful resource. Provide a brief explanation or justification for the activity.</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none">KCWP1: Design and Deploy Standards Classroom ActivitiesKCWP2: Design and Deliver Instruction Classroom ActivitiesKCWP3: Design and Deliver Assessment Literacy Classroom ActivitiesKCWP4: Review, Analyze and Apply Data Classroom ActivitiesKCWP5: Design, Align and Deliver Support Classroom ActivitiesKCWP6: Establishing Learning Culture and Environment Classroom Activities | In the following chart, identify the timeline for the activity or activities, the person(s) responsible for ensuring the fidelity of the activity or activities, and necessary funding to execute the activity or activities. |

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| Objective 1: 50 % of students will achieve transition readiness as measured by ACT | Students will be exposed to transition ready pathways | 11 th graders will take ACT prep courses through Odyssey Ware program | Test scores | 5/19/2019 | No funding required |
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7: Other (optional)

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| Goal 7 (State your goal): | | |
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