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 Students attending TBJ will continue to meet or exceed their Benchmark/Growth level in Teaching Strategies Gold in all domains.

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| Objective 1 | Teachers engage students in | | | | KERA |
| 80% of the students attending | their learning through | Ensure that curricular delivery and | 80% of the students | 3 checkpoints during 2018-2019 | |
| TBJ will meet or exceed their | instructional strategies that | assessment measures provide for all | will meet or exceed | school year Oct. 2018, Feb, 2019, May | |
| Benchmark level in Teaching | ensure achievement of | pertinent information needs for | their Benchmark level | 2019 and one mid- year progress | |
| Strategies Gold in Math and | learning expectations. | students. • Ensure item analysis | in Teaching Strategies | report sent in Dec. 2018 | |
| Early Literacy by the end of | | methods are occurring within PLCs | Gold in Math and Early | | |
| the 2018-19 | School leaders monitor and | to evaluate instructional | Literacy | | |
| school year. | support the improvement of | effectiveness and determine if | | | |
| | instructional practices of | instructional adjustments are | | | |
| | teachers to ensure student | needed, and if so, what those | | | |
| | success. | adjustments. | | | |
| | Teachers participate in collaborative learning communities to improve instruction and student learning. | | | | |
| | Mentoring, coaching, and induction programs support instructional improvement | | | | |

: Separate Academic Indicator

Goal 2 (State your separate academic indicator goal): TBJ will actively cultivate a culture of equity and excellence by creating and sustaining curriculum and instructional practices that lead to high-quality learning for each and every student. We build the capacity of our educators to meet challenges and opportunities of teaching and learning in a dynamic and evolving environment.

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| Objective 1 | Ensure culturally responsive | Encourage student opportunity in | Effective Behavior | Completed by May 30, 2019 | KERA |
| All teachers will commit | behaviors are modeled among | self-monitoring behavior, including | Survey" ("EBS"), | | |
| time each morning for | faculty, staff, and students. | progress monitoring of goals. | "Systems Evaluation | | |
| Morning Meeting and will | | | Tool" ("SET"), and the | | |
| follow the recommended | Ensure that classrooms | | "Culturally Responsive | | |
| structure. | operate within the school's | | Survey" ("CRS") | | |
| | guidelines of cultural | Ensure that all available resources | Needs assessment | Summarized by May 30, 2019 | FRYSC and KERA |
| All teachers will deepen | responsiveness and hold | are deployed to assist students in | PBIS and RTI | | |
| understanding, self- evaluate, | students to high expectations | need, i.e. FRYSC, DPP, Cabinet for | meetings | | |
| and share best practices | for appreciating and | Family and Children, etc | FRYSC records | | |
| around: | accepting diversity. | | | | |
| * Effective Teacher Language | | | | | |
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| * Student Engagement | | | | | |
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3: Gap

Goal 3 (*State your Gap goal*): 1TBJ will improve student performance in math to increase the growth of 3 and 4 yr. students by implementing the Kentucky Early Childhood Standards by 2019 as follows: TSG Growth outcomes of 50% Proficient for Special Ed. Students, 80% Proficient or Exceeds level for KY Pre-K/Head Start students as evidenced by Math Checklist and TSG data.

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| Monitor student performance | their learning through | Ensure that curricular delivery and | At least 50% Proficient | 3 checkpoints during 2018-2019 | KERA |
| in math to increase the | instructional strategies that | assessment measures provide for all | for Special Ed. | school year Oct. 2018, Feb, 2019, May | |
| growth of 3 and 4 yr. students | ensure achievement of | pertinent information needs for | Students, 80% | 2019 and one mid- year progress | |
| by implementing the | learning expectations. | students. • Ensure item analysis | Proficient or Exceeds | report sent in Dec. 2018 | |
| Kentucky Early Childhood | | methods are occurring within PLCs | level for KY | | |
| Standards through the | School leaders monitor and | to evaluate instructional | Pre-K/Head Start | | |
| Instructional Frameworks | support the improvement of | effectiveness and determine if | students | | |
| model with outcomes of 50% | instructional practices of | instructional adjustments are | | | |
| Proficient for Special Ed. | teachers to ensure student | needed, and if so, what those | | | |
| Students, 80% Proficient or | success. | adjustments. | | | |
| Exceeds level for KY | | | | | |
| Pre-K/Head Start students as | Teachers participate in | | | | |
| evidenced by Math Checklist | collaborative learning | | | | |
| and TSG data. | communities to improve | | | | |
| | instruction and student | | | | |
| | learning. | | | | |
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| | Mentoring, coaching, and | | | | |
| | induction programs support | | | | |

| instructional improvement | | |
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| consistent with the school's | | |
| values and | | |
| beliefs about teaching and | | |
| learning. | | |
| The preschool engages | | |
| families in meaningful ways | | |
| in their children's education | | |
| and keeps them informed of | | |
| their children's | | |
| learning process. | | |

4: Graduation rate

Goal 4 (State your Graduation Rate goal):NA

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| Objective 2 | | | | | |
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5: Growth

Goal 5 (State your Growth goal):

The scores on Brigance readiness will increase from by at least 3 percentage points over the next 2 years.

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| Objective 1 | Establish a school wide focus | | | | |
| Brigance Readiness scores | on quality PLCs that support | Mock Brigance Administration is in | scores will increase to | Goal setting will begin in Nov. 2018 | KERA/grant funding |
| will increase from (in 17-18) | a school wide emphasis on | progress. Student goal setting with | at least 50% in | Mock Brigance will be given in April | |
| to at least 50% in 2018-2019. | school climate and building | Brigance skills, sending home K | 2018-2019. | 2019 | |
| | trust. | Readiness book created by teacher | | Discussion of Mock results April 2019 | |
| | Administration will work | to match Brigance skills, practice | | Carnival May 2019 | |
| | collaboratively with staff and | with gross motor skills, end of the | | Summer Reading June 2019- July | |
| | parents to determine ways to | year event has a carnival portion | | 2019 | |
| | support student | where games are created to match a | | | |
| | | Brigance skill, and summer reading | | | |
| | | will have a K readiness station | | | |
| | | where these games will be used | | | |
| | | throughout the summer. | | | |

6: Transition Readiness

Goal 6 (State your Transition Readiness goal): NA

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7: Other (optional)

Goal 7 (State your goal):

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