



**Curriculum Department Report to the Board of Education
January 19, 2019**

To: Mr. Middleton, Superintendent
Ms. Malone, Chairperson of the Board
Members of the Board of Education

December 10, 2018 – January 19, 2019

Curriculum Focus of the Month: 2019 Comprehensive District Improvement Plan (CDIP)

- The Curriculum Department's monthly focus includes the 2019 CDIP which includes:
 - Goal Builder improvement plan
 - Goals
 - Strategies
 - Activities
 - Comprehensive Improvement Diagnostic for Districts
 - Needs Assessment for Districts
 - District Assurances
 - District Safety Report
 - Superintendent Gap Assurance
 - Executive Summary for Districts

Teaching and Learning Initiatives & Highlights

- The Curriculum Department's work focused on these main areas this month:
 - Met with School Admin Teams multiple times to provide feedback on:
 - Final review of all school evidence for upcoming audits
 - Audit presentation preparations
 - CSIP final documents
 - 30-60-90 Day Plans
 - Organized & implemented multiple School & District Improvement Work Sessions to focus on CSIP development & preparations for the upcoming Diagnostic Audits
 - Participated in EL Program Meetings to being preparations for ACCESS Testing
 - Attended the River Cities Training Hub Network Meetings
 - Provided assistance with ACCESS Testing that began on January 8
 - Participation in Scholastic Principal Walkthroughs & feedback meetings
 - Collaboration with the new Education Recovery Staff from KDE
 - Attended various regional meetings as NKCES, including Grants Consortium, Title, & Professional Learning Consortium
 - Conducted weekly District Instructional Meetings with principals to discuss curriculum, instruction, & assessment
 - Provided assistance to NIS for their Apple Schoolwork Pilot
 - Participation in the Solution Tree Math in PLCs Training with school leaders & teachers
 - Conducted an Instructional Technology Committee Meeting to plan for an upcoming technology conference

Respectfully Submitted,

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