Vision

Simmons Elementary will prepare students to be responsible, hardworking, goal oriented, and respectful individuals.

Mission

To empower every child to be respectful, responsible, and do their best at all times.

Beliefs

Every child. Every day.

Effective Instruction

Objectives

 Design and deliver aligned and rigorous standards based instruction in reading and math.

Emotional Regulation

• Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

Engaging Learning

 Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

Effective Instruction

Objectives

Critical Initiatives

- Revisit curriculum maps to revise/review essential standards, and to identify concepts & skills to include learning progressions and learning intentions.
- Provide Professional Development to allow teachers to design learning intentions and success criteria for given standards.
- Design authentic assessments that measure application of knowledge while using essential standards. Provide time for teachers to develop exemplars and rubrics for showing mastery.

Critical Initiatives

- Provide SEL curriculum and pacing guide for teachers K - 5.
- Provide dedicated time in master schedule for Character Education.
- Provide authentic opportunities for students to practice, relearn, & apply SEL curriculum to real life opportunities.
- Monitor and formatively assess SEL progress of students.
- Provide appropriate Tier 2 & Tier 3 SEL opportunities for students.

Critical Initiatives

- Provide continued Professional Development and coaching opportunities for Cooperative Learning.
- Provide feedback through coaching and walkthrough observations in order to support engaging learning structures across the curriculum.
- Design opportunities for students to apply standard mastery and allow choice in the demonstration of this mastery.
- Design structure for students to develop, monitor and goal set for their own learning.

Critical Initiatives



 Teachers design meaningful learning experiences that allow students to apply knowledge through engaging learning experiences. Teachers consistently and methodically use assessment data to drive instruction. 			
Key Measures	Key Measures	Key Measures	Key Measures
Walkthroughs & Observations	Decreased Office Discipline Referrals	PIES observations	
Common learning intentions and success criteria	Consistent teaching of Social Emotional Learning	Increased frequency of Cooperative Learning	
Learning Intentions Map for Literacy & Math by GL	Student application of SEL lessons K - 5	Observations showing Cooperative Learning PLC Conversations & Monitoring Log	
Formative & Summative Data Analysis	Walkthroughs and observations	Peers coaching each other and providing	
Walkthrough & observation	Increased positive student interactions Decreased Office Discipline Referrals	feedback • Teachers applying feedback to impact	
Conversations with students about their learning	Classroom ability to apply SEL lessons	instruction	
Working doc of Lrng Int entions & Success	Individual ability to apply SEL lessons	Teacher Questioning Amount of student led conversation	
Criteria Improved formative and summative	Decrease in behavior referrals	Learning Opportunity variety	
assessments		Frequent use of rubric by students and	
Data analysis		teachers	
Rubrics and Exemplars		Frequent use of rubrics by students and teachers.	
Student products		Student data notebooks	
PIES/Walkthrough Observations		Student goal setting and monitoring	
Data based decision making			
Standard application and mastery is evident			

Critical Initiatives

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Effective Instruction

Objective

Design and deliver aligned and rigorous standards based instruction in reading and math.

Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Revisit curriculum maps to revise/review essential standards, and to identify concepts & skills to include learning progressions and learning intentions.	Walkthroughs & Observations Common learning intentions and success criteria Learning Intentions Map for Literacy & Math by GL Formative & Summative Data Analysis	
Start Date: 01/03/2019 End Date: 06/03/2019		
Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Provide Professional Development to allow teachers to design learning intentions and success criteria for given standards. Start Date: 01/03/2019 End Date: 06/03/2019	Walkthrough & observation Conversations with students about their learning Working doc of Lrng Int entions & Success Criteria	
Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Design authentic assessments that measure application of knowledge while using essential standards. Provide time for teachers to develop exemplars and rubrics for showing mastery.	Improved formative and summative assessments Data analysis Rubrics and Exemplars	
Start Date: 01/03/2019 End Date: 06/03/2019		
Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Teachers design meaningful learning experiences that allow students to apply knowledge through engaging learning experiences. Start Date: 01/03/2019 End Date: 06/03/2019	Student products PIES/Walkthrough Observations Data based decision making	
Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Teachers consistently and methodically use assessment data to drive instruction.	Standard application and mastery is evident	
Start Date: End Date:		

Emotional Regulation

Objective

Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

Critical Initiative	Key Measures
Provide SEL curriculum and pacing guide for teachers K - 5.	Decreased Office Discipline Referrals
Start Date: 08/01/2018 End Date: 06/03/2019	Consistent teaching of Social Emotional Learning
Critical Initiative	Key Measures
Provide dedicated time in master schedule for Character Education.	Student application of SEL lessons K - 5
Education.	Walkthroughs and observations
Start Date: 05/01/2018 End Date: 06/03/2019	
Critical Initiative	Key Measures
Provide authentic opportunities for students to practice, relearn,	Increased positive student interactions
&apply SEL curriculum to real life opportunities.	Decreased Office Discipline Referrals
Start Date: 08/01/2018 End Date: 06/03/2019	
Critical Initiative	Key Measures
Monitor and formatively assess SEL progress of students.	Classroom ability to apply SEL lessons
Start Date: End Date:	Individual ability to apply SEL lessons
Critical Initiative	Key Measures
Provide appropriate Tier 2 & Tier 3 SEL opportunities for students.	Decrease in behavior referrals
Start Date: End Date:	

Engaging Learning

Objective

Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

Critical Initiative	PIES observations Increased frequency of Cooperative Learning	
Provide continued Professional Development and coaching opportunities for Cooperative Learning.		
Start Date : 06/01/2018	Observations showing Cooperative Learning	
Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Provide feedback through coaching and walk-through observations in order to support engaging learning structures across the curriculum.	PLC Conversations & Monitoring Log Peers coaching each other and providing feedback	
Start Date: 08/15/2018 End Date: 06/03/2019	Teachers applying feedback to impact instruction	
Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Design opportunities for students to apply standard mastery and allow choice in the demonstration of this mastery.	Teacher Questioning Amount of student led conversation	
Start Date : 01/03/2019	Learning Opportunity variety	
	Frequent use of rubric by students and teachers	
Critical Initiative	Key Measures	
Design structure for students to develop, monitor and goal set for their own learning.	Frequent use of rubrics by students and teachers. Student data notebooks	
Start Date: End Date:	Student goal setting and monitoring	

Effective Instruction

Critical Initiative

On Track

Revisit curriculum maps to revise/review essential standards, and to identify concepts & skills to include learning progressions and learning intentions.

Objective: Design and deliver aligned and rigorous standards based instruction in reading and math.

Activity

Teacher Clarity within Curriculum Maps

Person responsible: Liffany Cook		Launch Date: 01/09/2019	
Required Resources:			
Financial Resource:			
Other Resource:			
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)		
Learning intentions and success criteria	Benchmark: 30 days	Target Date:	
submitted for review and monitoring.		Target Date: 02/13/2019	

Formative and summative assessments submitted for vetting

Data analysis of formative and summative assessment

<u>Activity</u>

Ongoing Learning about Success Criteria

Person responsible: Tiffany Cook		Launch Date: 01/09/2019
Required Resources: Financial Resource: Other Resource:		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Effective Success Criteria shared with students.	Benchmark: 90 days	Target Date: 04/30/2019
Student conversations about learning intentions and success criteria.		
Peer coaching to improve learning intentions and success criteria.		



Effective Instruction

Critical Initiative

On Track

Provide Professional Development to allow teachers to design learning intentions and success criteria for given standards.

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Activity

Ongoing PD from Teacher Clarity Team

	Launch Date: 01/09/201	
Benchmark(s)		
Benchmark: 60 days	Target Date: 02/06/2019	

Effective Instruction

Critical Initiative

Lagging

Design authentic assessments that measure application of knowledge while using essential standards. Provide time for teachers to develop exemplars and rubrics for showing mastery.

Objective: Design and deliver aligned and rigorous standards based instruction in reading and math.

<u>Activity</u>

Assessment Creation

Person responsible: Tiffany Cook, Nick Schuerman

Required Resources:
Financial Resource:
Other Resource:

Activity Measure(s)

Benchmark(s)

Assessments created and vetted prior to
teaching units

Launch Date: 01/09/2019

True backwards planning model utilized

Effective Instruction

Critical Initiative



Teachers design meaningful learning experiences that allow students to apply knowledge through engaging learning experiences.

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Effective Instruction

Critical Initiative

Teachers consistently and methodically use assessment data to drive instruction.

Objective: Design and deliver aligned and rigorous standards based instruction in reading and math.



Emotional Regulation

Critical Initiative

Provide SEL curriculum and pacing guide for teachers K - 5.

Objective: Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

<u>Activity</u>

SEL Curriculum Map Pacing

Person responsible: Nick Schuerman Launch Date: 07/01/2018 **Required Resources:**

Financial Resource: \$1000.00

Other Resource:

Activity Measure(s) Benchmark(s)

Monitoring of SEL teaching Benchmark: 120 days Target Date: 02/06/2019

Use of SEL map

Other Resource:

Activity

Create SEL Curriculum Map

Person responsible: Nick Schuerman Launch Date: 07/01/2018 **Required Resources:** Financial Resource:

Activity Measure(s) Benchmark(s)

Implementation of SEL Curriculum Map Benchmark: Target Date:

Emotional Regulation

Critical Initiative

On Track

Provide dedicated time in master schedule for Character Education.

Objective: Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

Activity

Master Schedule Planning

Person responsible: Nick Schuerman, Sandy Dugan		Launch Date: 07/01/2018
Required Resources: Financial Resource:		
Other Resource:		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Implementation of Daily Character Education time	Benchmark:	Target Date:

Emotional Regulation

Critical Initiative

On Track

Provide authentic opportunities for students to practice, relearn, & apply SEL curriculum to real life opportunities.

Objective: Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

Emotional Regulation

Critical Initiative

Monitor and formatively assess SEL progress of students.

Objective: Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.



Emotional Regulation

Critical Initiative

Provide appropriate Tier 2 & Tier 3 SEL opportunities for students.

Objective: Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.



Engaging Learning

Critical Initiative

Lagging

Provide continued Professional Development and coaching opportunities for Cooperative Learning.

Objective: Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

Activity

Structure a Month Club

Person responsible: Tiffany Cook

Launch Date: 10/08/2018

Required Resources:

Financial Resource: Other Resource:

Activity Measure(s) Benchmark(s)

PIES walkthrough instrument shows higher true Cooperative Learning throughout

Benchmark: 30 days

Target Date: 02/06/2019

Increased engagement by students shown in walkthroughs

Engaging Learning

Critical Initiative

On Track

Provide feedback through coaching and walk-through observations in order to support engaging learning structures across the curriculum.

Objective: Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

Activity

Peer Observations

Person responsible: Nick Schuerman

Required Resources:
Financial Resource: \$1000.00
Other Resource:

Activity Measure(s)

Benchmark(s)

Peer Feedback monitoring

Benchmark: 30 days

Target Date: 02/06/2019

Walkthrough observations

Engaging Learning

Critical Initiative

Lagging

Design opportunities for students to apply standard mastery and allow choice in the demonstration of this mastery.

Objective: Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

Activity

Problem Based Learning Professional Learning

Person responsible: Nick Schuerman, Tiffany Cook		Launch Date: 03/04/2019
Required Resources:		
Financial Resource:		
Other Resource:		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Increased use of Problem Based Learning	Benchmark: 90 days	Target Date:
Opportunities across the curriculum		06/03/2019

Engaging Learning

Critical Initiative

Design structure for students to develop, monitor and goal set for their own learning.

Objective: Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.





Mission

To empower every child to be respectful, responsible, and do their best at all times.

Resources

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Critical Initiative

Revisit curriculum maps to revise/review essential standards, and to identify concepts & skills to include learning progressions and learning intentions.

Key Measures

- Walkthroughs & Observations
- Learning Intentions Map for Literacy & Math by GL
- Common learning intentions and success criteria
- Formative & Summative Data Analysis

Intended Outcomes

- Identified essential standards for each subject area
- Ensure rigorous and standards based assessments allow for demonstration of mastery of standards.
- Clearly identified learning progressions & intentions

Objective

Design and deliver aligned and rigorous standards based instruction in reading and math.

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Resources

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Critical Initiative

Provide Professional Development to allow teachers to design learning intentions and success criteria for given standards.

Key Measures

- Walkthrough & observation
- Working doc of Lrng Int entions & Success Criteria
- Conversations with students about their learning

Intended Outcomes

- Common learning intentions and success criteria
- Teachers write and communicate effective learning intentions and success criteria

Objective

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Resources

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Critical Initiative

Design authentic assessments that measure application of knowledge while using essential standards. Provide time for teachers to develop exemplars and rubrics for showing mastery.

Key Measures

- Improved formative and summative assessments
- Rubrics and Exemplars

Data analysis

Intended Outcomes

- Vetted assessments that are aligned and authentic
- Exemplar and rubrics for consistency in grading and expectations.

Objective

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Resources

Critical Initiative

Teachers design meaningful learning experiences that allow students to apply knowledge through engaging learning experiences.

Key Measures

- Student products
- Data based decision making

PIES/Walkthrough Observations

Intended Outcomes

- Higher level thinking learning opportunities
- Data drives instruction for every instructional decision.
- Increased student engagement

Objective

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Resources

Critical Initiative

Teachers consistently and methodically use assessment data to drive instruction.

Key Measures

Standard application and mastery is evident

Intended Outcomes

 Instruction is intentionally retaught or enriched in order to meet individual needs of students.

Objective

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Vision



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Resources

Total Financial Resources: \$1000.00

Critical Initiative

Provide SEL curriculum and pacing guide for teachers K - 5.

Key Measures

• Decreased Office Discipline Referrals

* Consistent teaching of Social Emotional Learning

Intended Outcomes

- Aligned SEL Curriculum and Common SEL Vocabulary
- Increased Positive Interactions

Objective

Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

Vision





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Resources

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Critical Initiative

Provide dedicated time in master schedule for Character Education.

Key Measures

• Student application of SEL lessons K - 5

Walkthroughs and observations

Intended Outcomes

• Common SEL vocabulary K - 5

Objective

Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

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Resources

Critical Initiative

Provide authentic opportunities for students to practice, relearn, & apply SEL curriculum to real life opportunities.

Key Measures

Increased positive student interactions

Decreased Office Discipline Referrals

Intended Outcomes

• Students apply SEL lessons to real life situations.

Objective

Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

Vision



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Resources

Critical Initiative

Monitor and formatively assess SEL progress of students.

Key Measures

Classroom ability to apply SEL lessons

Individual ability to apply SEL lessons

Intended Outcomes

- Ensure that learning experiences are effective.
- Monitor individual SEL needs of students and fidelity to curriculum map.

Objective

Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

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Resources

Critical Initiative

Provide appropriate Tier 2 & Tier 3 SEL opportunities for students.

Key Measures

Decrease in behavior referrals

Intended Outcomes

 Students will be explicitly taught strategies to regulate emotions across settings.

Objective

Provide strong PBIS framework to meet Social Emotional Learning needs of all students.

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Resources

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Critical Initiative

Provide continued Professional Development and coaching opportunities for Cooperative Learning.

Key Measures

- PIES observations
- Observations showing Cooperative Learning

Increased frequency of Cooperative Learning

Intended Outcomes

- Teachers are able to offer authentic learning opportunities for students that align with standards
- * Students own and track their own learning.
- More than 50 % of learning opportunities involve effective Cooperative Learning.

Objective

Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.







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Resources

Total Financial Resources: \$1000.00

Critical Initiative

Provide feedback through coaching and walk-through observations in order to support engaging learning structures across the curriculum.

Key Measures

- PLC Conversations & Monitoring Log
- Teachers applying feedback to impact instruction
- Peers coaching each other and providing feedback

Intended Outcomes

- Increased confidence in using cooperative learning
- Feedback is intentional and useful in teacher growth
- Teacher leaders grow through peer coaching

Objective

Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

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Resources

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Critical Initiative

Design opportunities for students to apply standard mastery and allow choice in the demonstration of this mastery.

Key Measures

- Teacher Questioning
- Learning Opportunity variety

Intended Outcomes

- Higher level thinking opportunities
- Authentic learning opportunies

- Amount of student led conversation
- Frequent use of rubric by students and teachers
- Clear expectations understood by students
- Students self report and ownership of standard mastery

Objective

Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

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Resources

Critical Initiative

Design structure for students to develop, monitor and goal set for their own learning.

Key Measures

- Frequent use of rubrics by students and teachers.
- Student goal setting and monitoring

Student data notebooks

Intended Outcomes

- Students understand what they need to demonstrate to show mastery.
- Students goal-set based on their own data.
- Students monitor their learning and progress through data notebooks.

Objective

Provide engaging experiences that keep students interested & have ownership of their learning.

Vision