Manatee County Public Schools

James Tillman Elementary Magnet School



2020-21 Schoolwide Improvement Plan

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James Tillman Elementary Magnet School

1415 29TH ST E, Palmetto, FL 34221

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Demographics

Principal: Marla Massi Blackmore

Start Date for this Principal: 8/17/2020

2019-20 Status (per MSID File)	Active
School Type and Grades Served (per MSID File)	Elementary School PK-5
Primary Service Type (per MSID File)	K-12 General Education
2019-20 Title I School	Yes
2019-20 Economically Disadvantaged (FRL) Rate (as reported on Survey 3)	100%
2019-20 ESSA Subgroups Represented (subgroups with 10 or more students) (subgroups below the federal threshold are identified with an asterisk)	Students With Disabilities* English Language Learners Black/African American Students Hispanic Students Multiracial Students White Students Economically Disadvantaged Students
School Grades History	2018-19: B (54%) 2017-18: B (54%) 2016-17: B (54%) 2015-16: F (30%)
2019-20 School Improvement (SI) Info	rmation*
SI Region	Central
Regional Executive Director	Lucinda Thompson
Turnaround Option/Cycle	N/A
Year	
Support Tier	
ESSA Status	TS&I

* As defined under Rule 6A-1.099811, Florida Administrative Code. For more information, click here.

School Board Approval

This plan is pending approval by the Manatee County School Board.

SIP Authority

Section 1001.42(18), Florida Statutes, requires district school boards to annually approve and require implementation of a Schoolwide Improvement Plan (SIP) for each school in the district that has a school grade of D or F. This plan is also a requirement for Targeted Support and Improvement (TS&I) and Comprehensive Support and Improvement (CS&I) schools pursuant to 1008.33 F.S. and the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA).

To be designated as TS&I, a school must have one or more ESSA subgroup(s) with a Federal Index below 41%. This plan shall be approved by the district. There are three ways a school can be designated as CS&I:

- 1. have a school grade of D or F
- 2. have a graduation rate of 67% or lower
- 3. have an overall Federal Index below 41%.

For these schools, the SIP shall be approved by the district as well as the Bureau of School Improvement.

The Florida Department of Education (FDOE) SIP template meets all statutory and rule requirements for traditional public schools and incorporates all components required for schools receiving Title I funds. This template is required by State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.099811, Florida Administrative Code, for all non-charter schools with a current grade of D or F, or a graduation rate 67% or less. Districts may opt to require a SIP using a template of its choosing for schools that do not fit the aforementioned conditions. This document was prepared by school and district leadership using the FDOE's school improvement planning web application located at www.floridacims.org.

Purpose and Outline of the SIP

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School Type and Gi (per MSID		2019-20 Title I Schoo	l Disadvan	DEconomically taged (FRL) Rate rted on Survey 3)						
Elementary S PK-5	School	100%								
Primary Servio (per MSID I	• •	Charter School	(Reporte	9 Minority Rate ed as Non-white Survey 2)						
K-12 General E	ducation	No		84%						
School Grades Histo	ory									
Year	2019-20	2018-19	2017-18	2016-17						

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Part I: School Information

School Mission and Vision

Provide the school's mission statement.

District Mission Statement:

Manatee County Public Schools will educate and develop all students today for their success tomorrow.

School Mission Statement:

James Tillman Elementary will educate all children and affirm their right to learn.

By June 2020, 50% of the students will score satisfactory in ELA, Mathematics and Science measured by state assessments through grade-appropriate learning experiences aligned with grade level standards.

Provide the school's vision statement.

District Vision Statement:

Manatee County Public Schools will be an exemplary student-focused school system that develops lifelong learners to be globally competitive.

School Vision Statement:

James Tillman Elementary will ensure all students will become resourceful, independent thinkers who set and achieve goals as well as problem solve, and thereby becoming positive and productive citizens. This is accomplished by a commitment to engaging students through instruction that is researched-based, differentiated, and imbeds instructional best practices. This commitment will ensure the development of confidence socially and academically, promote risk-taking, encourage initiative, and meet the unique needs of all students.

School Leadership Team

Membership

Identify the name, email address, position title, and job duties/responsibilities for each member of the school leadership team.:

Name	Title	Job Duties and Responsibilities
Massi- Blackmore, Marla	Principal	The Leadership Team will meet monthly and recap what we have been discussing in data teams. The team will also monitor the fidelity of the core reading instruction and acceleration. The Leadership Team will also conduct faculty book studies, lead committees, and lead school-wide professional development and/or any training related to effective instruction.
Kubal, Megan	Assistant Principal	
Walsh, Traci	Dean	
Bradley, Jill	Instructional Coach	
Gonzalez, Jennifer	Dean	
Rivera, Tin	Teacher, ESE	
Williams, Tamekia	Teacher, K-12	
Pinheiro, Cristina	Teacher, K-12	

Demographic Information

Principal start date

Monday 8/17/2020, Marla Massi Blackmore

Number of teachers with a 2019 3-year aggregate or a 1-year Algebra state VAM rating of Highly Effective. Note: For UniSIG Supplemental Teacher Allocation, teachers must have at least 10 student assessments.

27

Number of teachers with a 2019 3-year aggregate or a 1-year Algebra state VAM rating of Effective. Note: For UniSIG Supplemental Teacher Allocation, teachers must have at least 10 student assessments.

16

Total number of teacher positions allocated to the school

43

Demographic Data

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(per MSID File)	PK-5

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Early Warning Systems

Current Year

The number of students by grade level that exhibit each early warning indicator listed:

Indicator		Grade Level													
maleator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total	
Number of students enrolled	78	105	95	101	84	83	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	546	
Attendance below 90 percent	0	0	0	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	
One or more suspensions	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	
Course failure in ELA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Course failure in Math	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
Level 1 on 2019 statewide ELA assessment	0	0	0	41	22	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	93	
Level 1 on 2019 statewide Math assessment	0	0	0	26	20	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	65	

The number of students with two or more early warning indicators:

Indicator	Grade Level													
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Students with two or more indicators	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

The number of students identified as retainees:

Indicator	Grade Level													
Indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	0	0	0	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

Date this data was collected or last updated

Thursday 9/10/2020

Prior Year - As Reported

The number of students by grade level that exhibit each early warning indicator:

Indicator	Grade Level														
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total	
Number of students enrolled	108	119	90	118	91	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	636	
Attendance below 90 percent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
One or more suspensions	0	4	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	
Course failure in ELA or Math	0	0	0	40	35	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132	
Level 1 on statewide assessment	0	0	0	31	19	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	

The number of students with two or more early warning indicators:

Indicator		Grade Level													
Indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total	
Students with two or more indicators	6	4	12	25	20	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96	

The number of students identified as retainees:

Indicator	Grade Level													Total
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Prior Year - Updated

The number of students by grade level that exhibit each early warning indicator:

Indicator	Grade Level													Total
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	I Otal
Number of students enrolled	108	119	90	118	91	110	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	636
Attendance below 90 percent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
One or more suspensions	0	4	4	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
Course failure in ELA or Math	0	0	0	40	35	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	132
Level 1 on statewide assessment	0	0	0	31	19	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	73

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Indicator		Grade Level												Total
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Students with two or more indicators	6	4	12	25	20	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	96

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Indicator		Grade Level												Total
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	0	0	0	23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	23
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

Part II: Needs Assessment/Analysis

School Data

Please note that the district and state averages shown here represent the averages for similar school types (elementary, middle, high school, or combination schools).

School Grade Component		2019			2018	
School Grade Component	School	District	State	School	District	State
ELA Achievement	35%	52%	57%	24%	50%	55%
ELA Learning Gains	50%	57%	58%	53%	56%	57%
ELA Lowest 25th Percentile	57%	55%	53%	69%	53%	52%
Math Achievement	68%	63%	63%	53%	55%	61%
Math Learning Gains	70%	68%	62%	84%	59%	61%
Math Lowest 25th Percentile	60%	53%	51%	79%	47%	51%
Science Achievement	38%	48%	53%	14%	42%	51%

	EWS Indi	cators as	Input Ea	rlier in th	e Survey								
Indicator		Grade	Level (pri	or year re	ported)		Total						
indicator	Indicator Grade Level (prior year reported) K 1 2 3 4 5												
	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	0 (0)						

Grade Level Data

NOTE: This data is raw data and includes ALL students who tested at the school. This is not school grade data.

			ELA			
Grade	Year	School	District District Comparisor		State	School- State Comparison
03	2019	29%	51%	-22%	58%	-29%
	2018	33%	49%	-16%	57%	-24%
Same Grade C	omparison	-4%				
Cohort Com	parison					
04	2019	40%	56%	-16%	58%	-18%
	2018	32%	51%	-19%	56%	-24%
Same Grade C	omparison	8%				
Cohort Com	parison	7%				
05	2019	28%	52%	-24%	56%	-28%
	2018	33%	52%	-19%	55%	-22%
Same Grade C	omparison	-5%			·	
Cohort Com	parison	-4%		_	•	

			MATH			
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
03	2019	60%	60%	0%	62%	-2%
	2018	64%	56%	8%	62%	2%
Same Grade C	omparison	-4%				
Cohort Com	parison					
04	2019	67%	65%	2%	64%	3%
	2018	60%	61%	-1%	62%	-2%
Same Grade C	omparison	7%				
Cohort Com	parison	3%				
05	2019	63%	60%	3%	60%	3%
	2018	61%	58%	3%	61%	0%
Same Grade C	omparison	2%				
Cohort Com	parison	3%				

	SCIENCE											
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison						
05	2019	34%	48%	-14%	53%	-19%						

			SCIENCE			
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
	2018	32%	49%	-17%	55%	-23%
Same Grade C	Same Grade Comparison					
Cohort Com						

Subgroup Data

		2019	SCHO	OL GRAD	E COMF	PONENT	S BY SI	JBGRO	UPS		
Subgroups	ELA Ach.	ELA LG	ELA LG L25%	Math Ach.	Math LG	Math LG L25%	Sci Ach.	SS Ach.	MS Accel.	Grad Rate 2017-18	C & C Accel 2017-18
SWD	16	31	39	42	57	57	17				
ELL	25	53	71	67	75	75	38				
BLK	36	53	54	64	66	63	33				
HSP	30	48	63	67	68	57	38				
WHT	48	53		81	100						
FRL	30	49	59	65	70	59	33				
		2018	SCHO	OL GRAD	E COMP	ONENT	S BY SI	JBGRO	UPS		
Subgroups	ELA Ach.	ELA LG	ELA LG L25%	Math Ach.	Math LG	Math LG L25%	Sci Ach.	SS Ach.	MS Accel.	Grad Rate 2016-17	C & C Accel 2016-17
SWD	16	55	68	45	66	74	6				
ELL	21	49	60	69	76		20				
BLK	28	52	58	56	70	64	20				
HSP	26	53	71	69	77	62	30				
MUL	50			60							
WHT	67	60		76	70						
FRL	31	55	63	64	74	59	29				
		2017	SCHO	OL GRAD	E COMP	PONENT	S BY SU	JBGRO	UPS		
Subgroups	ELA Ach.	ELA LG	ELA LG L25%	Math Ach.	Math LG	Math LG L25%	Sci Ach.	SS Ach.	MS Accel.	Grad Rate 2015-16	C & C Accel 2015-16
SWD	12	61	72	20	73	76					
ELL	20	66	82	59	85	85	6				
BLK	18	42	56	41	79	79					
HSP	23	58	81	58	86	80	19				
MUL	40			50							
WHT	62			75							
FRL	22	53	68	52	84	82	11				

ESSA Data

This data has been updated for the 2018-19 school year as of 7/16/2019.

ESSA Federal Index	
ESSA Category (TS&I or CS&I)	TS&I

ESSA Federal Index			
OVERALL Federal Index – All Students	55		
OVERALL Federal Index Below 41% All Students	NO		
Total Number of Subgroups Missing the Target	1		
Progress of English Language Learners in Achieving English Language Proficiency	62		
Total Points Earned for the Federal Index	440		
Total Components for the Federal Index	8		
Percent Tested	100%		
Subgroup Data			
Students With Disabilities			
Federal Index - Students With Disabilities	40		
Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES		
Number of Consecutive Years Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 32%	0		
English Language Learners			
Federal Index - English Language Learners	58		
English Language Learners Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO		
Number of Consecutive Years English Language Learners Subgroup Below 32%	0		
Native American Students			
Federal Index - Native American Students			
Native American Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A		
Number of Consecutive Years Native American Students Subgroup Below 32%	0		
Asian Students			
Federal Index - Asian Students			
Asian Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A		
Number of Consecutive Years Asian Students Subgroup Below 32%	0		
Black/African American Students			
Federal Index - Black/African American Students	53		
Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO		
Number of Consecutive Years Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 32%	0		
Hispanic Students			
Federal Index - Hispanic Students	54		
Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO		

Hispanic Students				
Number of Consecutive Years Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 32%	0			
Multiracial Students				
Federal Index - Multiracial Students				
Multiracial Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A			
Number of Consecutive Years Multiracial Students Subgroup Below 32%	0			
Pacific Islander Students				
Federal Index - Pacific Islander Students				
Pacific Islander Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A			
Number of Consecutive Years Pacific Islander Students Subgroup Below 32%	0			
White Students				
Federal Index - White Students	71			
White Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO			
Number of Consecutive Years White Students Subgroup Below 32%	0			
Economically Disadvantaged Students				
Federal Index - Economically Disadvantaged Students	53			
Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?				
Number of Consecutive Years Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 32%	0			

Analysis

Data Reflection

Answer the following reflection prompts after examining any/all relevant school data sources (see guide for examples for relevant data sources).

Which data component showed the lowest performance? Explain the contributing factor(s) to last year's low performance and discuss any trends.

ELA Proficiency is the lowest. However, the ELA Proficiency has been increasing for all subgroups in the last three years. The 19-20 District and school-based ELA data noted an increase to over 40%.

Which data component showed the greatest decline from the prior year? Explain the factor(s) that contributed to this decline.

The Lowest 25% ELA Gains had a drop of 7%. However, ELA proficiency went up 3%. The 19-20 District and school-based ELA data noted an increase to over 40%.

Which data component had the greatest gap when compared to the state average? Explain the factor(s) that contributed to this gap and any trends.

The largest gap compared to the state average was in ELA Proficiency with a -29% in Grades 3. There was around a 25% of Grade 3 students that enrolled with various data points indicating reading level two or more years below grade level. School continues to strengthen all grade levels (especially primary) with balance reading instruction that embeds all five areas of reading (phonemic awareness, phonological awareness, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension; The Six Systems :Surface and Deep Structures).

Which data component showed the most improvement? What new actions did your school take in this area?

The most improved component was Science Proficiency, which was a gain of 23%. All grade levels will collaboratively plan and implement lessons using non-fiction text that support the science standards in the ELA Block and Extended Reading. The 19-20 District and school-based ELA data noted an increase to over 50%.

Reflecting on the EWS data from Part I (D), identify one or two potential areas of concern?

All Subgroups were met except for the SWD by one percentage point. The SWD earned a 40% (required score is a 41%). All teachers (ESE and General Edu.) will continue to plan and teach grade level standards. Resource and Full-Time ESE students will continue to receive support within their class through push-in and/or inclusion (with support by the ESE Teacher or ESE Paraprofessional). Professional Development will focus on Tier Instruction and the strategy of Responsive Student-Driven Instruction.

Rank your highest priorities (maximum of 5) for schoolwide improvement in the upcoming school year.

- 1. Purposeful Standard-Based Instruction
- 2. Instructional Delivery Framework
- 3. Responsive Student-Driven Instruction

Part III: Planning for Improvement

Areas of Focus:

#1. Instructional Practice specifically relating to Standards-aligned Instruction

Purposeful Standard-Based Instruction

Area of Focus Description and Rationale:

Lack of school-wide instruction cohesiveness and effectiveness in Tier I instruction. This is based on data from; Teacher Evaluation System, PMRN (K), District Benchmark Assessments, DRA 2.0, Next Steps, Fountas and Pinnell Running Records, Grade Level Common Assessments, analyzing student work with grade-level rubrics, lesson plans, I-Ready, Grade Level Planning Meeting documentation.

Measurable Outcome:

By June 2020, 50% of the students will score satisfactory in ELA,

Mathematics and Science measured by state assessments through grade appropriate

learning experiences aligned with grade level standards.

Person responsible for monitoring outcome:

Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

An Instructional Leadership Team member will facilitate weekly collaborative planning with grade-level teams, which include ESE and ELL instructors, as well as present school-wide Professional Development that is based on current data. This work will ensure students

Evidence-based Strategy:

receive consistent effective standards-based instructional delivery in all academic areas.

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Various data will be collected: Teacher Evaluation System, PMRN (K), District Benchmark Assessments, DRA 2.0, Next Steps, Fountas and Pinnell Running Records, Grade Level Common Assessments, analyzing student work

with grade-level rubrics, lesson plans, I-Ready, Grade Level Planning Meeting

documentation.

School-wide data, over the four years, has shown that purposeful and facilitated planning has

Rationale for Evidence-based Strategy:

made a positive impact on students' abilities in comprehending the grade-level standards. It is during the planning sessions the practice of explicit teaching of the

thinking strategy will continue to be reinforced.

Action Steps to Implement

- 1. Teachers will be provided with planning opportunities that will occur both before and after the students' school day.
- 2. Highly Effective/effective teachers will facilitate initial and on-going professional development for the instruction delivery framework (GRR) for all grades K-5 to include productive struggle and student accountability to grade-level work.
- 3. Highly Effective/effective teachers will facilitate the planning of the instruction delivery framework (GRR) for all grades K-5 to meet the needs of grade levels with the inclusion of ESE and ELL.
- 4. Provide research-based classroom materials and supplies that support student learning in the instructional framework.
- 5. Provide a consultant for professional development specifically in the skill of "Thinking Strategies" for reading instruction.

Person Responsible

Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

#2. Instructional Practice specifically relating to Standards-aligned Instruction

Area of

and

Focus Instructional Delivery Framework

Description

Lack of comprehensive understanding of the Florida State Standards and grade level

outcomes for the standards.

Rationale:

By June 2021, 50% of the students will score satisfactory in ELA, Mathematics, and

Science measured by state assessments through grade-appropriate learning experiences

Measurable
Outcome:

Outcome:

Student achievement will improve in all core content areas through targeted support in the

planning and delivery of purposeful standard-based instruction.

Person responsible

for Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

monitoring outcome:

An Instructional Leadership Team member will provide instructional modeling and support within the classrooms at each grade level. Additionally, members of the Instructional Leadership Team will present school-wide Professional Development that is based on current student data. This work is to ensure all students receive consistent and effective standards-based instructional delivery in all academic areas and at all grade levels

Evidencebased Strategy: standards-based instructional delivery in all academic areas and at all grade levels.

The various data that will be continuously monitored to measure the effectiveness of said strategies:

Teacher Evaluation System, PMRN (K), District Benchmark Assessments, DRA 2.0, Next Steps, Fountas and Pinnell Running Records, Grade Level Common Assessments, analyzing student work with grade-level rubrics, lesson plans, IReady, and Grade Level Planning Meeting documentation.

Rationale for Evidencebased Strategy:

School-wide data has shown that with purposeful instructional delivery, the students' comprehension of grade-level standards has been positively impacted. It is through the explicit teaching of the thinking strategy that the students are able to work toward meeting and or exceed the grade-level standards.

Action Steps to Implement

- 1. Teachers will participate in collaborative planning sessions grounded in grade-level standards both before and after the students' school day.
- 2. Highly Effective/effective teachers will facilitate professional development for comprehensive knowledge of Florida Standards, responsiveness to student work/data, and how to effectively provide intentional and deliberate feedback.
- 3. Provide research-based classroom materials and supplies that support student learning in the instructional framework.

Person Responsible

Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

#3. Instructional Practice specifically relating to Differentiation

Area of Focus
Description and

Rationale:

Responsive student-driven Instruction is a researched-based approach to both teaching and discipline which focuses on engaging academics, developmental awareness, positive community, and effective management.

This evidence-based approach is associated with higher quality instruction that has led to students' increase in achievement levels in both reading and mathematics in addition to improved school climate.

Lack of deliberate feedback and goal setting with students after analysis of various data. Lack of teacher response to students' specific academic needs.

By June 2021, 50% of the students will score satisfactory in ELA, Mathematics, and Science measured by state assessments through grade-appropriate learning experiences aligned with grade-level standards.

Measurable Outcome:

Responding specifically to students through small group instruction and individual conferencing will be strategy-based and designed to address, reteach, and enrich the current standards being taught in class, which in turn

increases student achievement. Measurable outcomes will be through student writing (K-5), District Benchmark Assessments, DRA 2.0, Next Steps, Fountas and Pinnell Running Records, Grade Level Common Assessments, analyzing student work with grade-level rubrics, lesson plans, I-Ready, and Grade-Level Planning Meeting Documentation.

Person responsible

for Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

monitoring outcome:

Teacher response to student data in small and one-on-one instruction.

Evidencebased Strategy:

Professional Development will be provided to explicitly teach instructors the words and actions needed to guide students through strategic next steps for each academic area.

Rationale

for Student data indicated by various District and State assessments resulted in small increases in all academic areas except mathematics, which did not result in closing the gap.

Strategy:

Action Steps to Implement

- 1. Professional Development will be implemented for data analysis
- 2. Through grade-level collaborative meetings facilitated by an Instructional Leadership Team member, the plan for the next steps for response teaching (strategic grouping/conferencing) will be developed and implemented.

Person Responsible

Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

#4. Culture & Environment specifically relating to Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports

Area of Focus
Description and
Rationale:

Application of the Positive Behavior Intervention System

Lack of consistency with the application of the Positive Behavior Intervention

System.

Professional development and follow up activities addressing PBIS goals and expectations, specific behavioral positive feedback, and

motivational materials.

Measurable Outcome: By June 2021, 10% of student referrals will decrease from 2018-2019

referral data evidenced by district disciplinary reports. Due to Covid, data from 2019-2020 will not be used to measure goal because of not a full year on

campus.

Person responsible for monitoring

outcome:

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Quarterly review of report cards, ClassDoJo App data,

Evidence-based

Recognition Assembly data and FOCUS data will provide

Strategy:

next steps and ensure the implementation of the Positive Behavior Intervention

System.

Rationale for Evidence-based Strategy:

Teacher Evaluation System, FOCUS data for referrals, Data for PBIS

Assemblies, etc.

Action Steps to Implement

1. PBIS training and school-based support framework to increase academic areas.

Person Responsible Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

#5. Culture & Environment specifically relating to Parent Involvement				
Area of Focus Description and Rationale:	Parent Involvement Lack of home support to reinforce researched-based best practices for all academic areas at home.			
Measurable Outcome:	By June 2021, a 10% increase of parent involvement will be evidenced by numbers of parent participation (SAC, events, conferences, etc.), feedback (surveys) and communication (phone/text).			
Person responsible for monitoring outcome:	Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)			
Evidence-based Strategy:	Quarterly review of ClassDoJo App data, Recognition Assembly data, SAC attendance, School-wide Events attendance, and various survey data will provide next steps and ensure an increase in Parent Engagement.			
Rationale for Evidence- based Strategy:	Established parent workshop dates, parent attendance, Title I training for PI, numbers of parent surveys returns, ClassDoJo App responses, homework and standard-based student data.			
Action Stens to Implement				

Action Steps to Implement

1. Standard-based parent workshops which include childcare, professional development for literacy, mathematics and science school/home resources and strategies, and translator for workshops.

2. Newsletters, surveys and homework that outline standards in real world application for families.

Person Responsible Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

#6. ESSA Subgroup specifically relating to Outcomes for Multiple Subgroups

Area of Focus
Description and Rationale:

The 2018-2019 FSA subgroups results documented all subgroups except SWD meeting or above the required percentage of 41% or higher. The SWD earned a 40% (required score is a 41%). Due to the lack of 2019-2020 FSA results, all subgroups will be closely monitored.

monitored

Measurable Outcome: By June 2020, 50% of the students will score satisfactory in ELA, Mathematics and Science measured by state assessments through grade-appropriate learning experiences aligned with grade level standards.

Person responsible for

Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

monitoring outcome:

All teachers (ESE, ESOL Teacher and General Edu.) will continue to plan and teach

grade

level standards. ESOL and Resource and Full-Time ESE students will continue to receive

Evidencebased Strategy: support within their class through push-in and/or inclusion (with support by the ESE Teacher or ESE Paraprofessional). Professional Development will focus on Tier Instruction and the strategy of Responsive Student-Driven

Instruction. All subgroups will be monitored by the Instructional Leadership Team and provide professional development on instructional delivery and responsive to student data in a provide timely feedback. All subgroups will be be provided grade-level Tier I and Tier

II.

These strategies align with current researched-based practices, ESE and ESOL strategies, explicit teacher "think alouds" through the GRR Model of standard-based

Rationale for Evidence-

instruction and responsive instruction (explicit feedback to students). Evidence of effectiveness will include but not limited to: Teacher Evaluation System, District Benchmark Assessments, DRA 2.0, Fountas and Pinnell

Strategy:

based

Running Records, Grade Level Common Assessments, analyzing

student work with grade level rubrics, lesson plans, I-Ready, and Grade Level and

Planning Meeting Documentation.

Action Steps to Implement

- 1. ESE, ESOL Resource and General Edu. Teachers will plan and teach grade level standards through inclusion and/or push-in.
- 2. Professional Development will focus on Tier 1 and II Instruction and Responsive Student-Driven Instruction.

Person Responsible

Marla Massi-Blackmore (massim@manateeschools.net)

Additional Schoolwide Improvement Priorities

After choosing your Area(s) of Focus, explain how you will address the remaining schoolwide improvement priorities.

N/A

Part IV: Positive Culture & Environment

A positive school culture and environment reflects: a supportive and fulfilling environment, learning conditions that meet the needs of all students, people who are sure of their roles and relationships in student learning, and a culture that values trust, respect and high expectations. Consulting with various stakeholder groups to employ school improvement strategies that impact the positive school culture and environment are critical. Stakeholder groups more proximal to the school include teachers, students, and families of students, volunteers, and school board members. Broad stakeholder groups include early childhood providers, community colleges and universities, social services, and business partners.

Stakeholders play a key role in school performance and addressing equity. Consulting various stakeholder groups is critical in formulating a statement of vision, mission, values, goals, and employing school improvement strategies.

Describe how the school addresses building a positive school culture and environment ensuring all stakeholders are involved.

The PFEP attached outlines how Tillman Elementary plans to build positive relationships with all stakeholders.

Parent Family and Engagement Plan (PFEP) Link

The school completes a Parental Involvement Plan (PFEP), which is available at the school site.

Part V: Budget

The approved budget does not reflect any amendments submitted for this project.

1	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Instructional Practice: Standards-aligned Instruction	\$0.00
2	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Instructional Practice: Standards-aligned Instruction	\$0.00
3	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Instructional Practice: Differentiation	\$0.00
4	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Culture & Environment: Positive Behavior Intervention and Supports	\$0.00
5	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Culture & Environment: Parent Involvement	\$0.00
6	III.A.	Areas of Focus: ESSA Subgroup: Outcomes for Multiple Subgroups	\$0.00
		Total:	\$0.00