Florida Department of Education



School Improvement Plan (SIP)

for Juvenile Justice Education Programs

2011-2012

2011 – 2012 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

PART I: SCHOOL INFORMATION

School Name: Polk Halfway House	District Name: Polk County School Board
Principal: Cheryl Hallman	Superintendent: Sherrie Nickell
SAC Chair: Gwen McKenzie	Date of School Board Approval:

Student Achievement Data:

Use data from the Common Assessment to complete reading and mathematics goals.

Highly Qualified Administrators

List your school's on-site highly qualified administrators who are responsible for educational services (e.g., principal, lead educator) and briefly describe their certification(s), number of years at the current school, number of years as an administrator, and their prior performance record with increasing student achievement at each school. Include the history of common assessment data (learning gains). The school may include the history of Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP).

Position	Name	Degree(s)/	Number of	Number of	Prior Performance Record (include prior common assessment data
			Years at	Years as an	(learning gains). The school may include AYP information along with
		Certification(s)	Current School	Administrator	the associated school year.
Principal	Cheryl Hallman	Education Leadership,	13	4	N/A
		Elementary Education,			
		SLD, ESOL			
Lead	Gwen McKenzie	Social Science	17		
Educator					

Highly Qualified Instructional Coaches

List your school's highly qualified instructional coaches and briefly describe their certification(s), number of years at the current school, number of years as an instructional coach, and their prior performance record with increasing student achievement at each school. Include the history of common assessment data (tearning gains). The school may include the history of Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP). Instructional coaches described in this section are only those who are fully released or part-time teachers in reading, mathematics, or science.

Subject	Name	Degree(s)/	Number of	Number of Years as	Prior Performance Record (include prior common assessment
Area		Certification(s)	Years at Current School	an	data tlearning gains. The school may include AYP information along with the associated school year.
				Instructional Coach	

Highly Qualified Teachers

List your school's highly qualified teachers and briefly describe their certification(s), number of years at the current school, number of years as a teacher, and their prior performance record with increasing student achievement at each school. Include the history of common assessment data (learning Gains). The school may include the history of

Adequate Yearly Progress (AYP).

Subject	Name	Degree(s)/	Number of	Number of Years as	Prior Performance Record (include prior common assessment
Area		Certification(s)	Years at Current School	an	data (learning gains). The school may include AYP information along with the associated school year.
				Instructional	
				Teacher	
Alternative Education	Teresa Keller	Middle Grades Integrated Curriculum, ESOL, Reading Endorsement	7	10	
Alternative Education	William Mathews	ESE, Marketing, MGIC	8	8	

Highly Qualified Teachers

Describe the school-based strategies that will be used to recruit and retain high quality, highly qualified teachers to the school.

Description of Strategy	Person Responsible	Projected Completion Date	Not Applicable
			(If not, please explain why)
1. Interview only teachers who are eligible for hire per district policy. Teachers are screened through the district's Quality Counts program and Teacher Index Survey prior to being eligible for interview.	Cheryl Hallman/ County HRD Dep't.	8/15/2011	
2.Assign new teachers a mentor	Cheryl Hallman	On going	

3.Quality Counts-District Initiative	District HRD	On going	
4 Facilitate PEC Program	Cheryl Hallman	On going	

Non-Highly Qualified Instructors

List all instructional staff and paraprofessionals who are teaching out-of-field and/or who are NOT highly qualified.

Teaching Assignment	Professional Development/Support to Become Highly Qualified		
	Teaching Assignment		

Staff Demographics

Please complete the following demographic information about the instructional staff in the school who are teaching at least one academic course.

*When using percentages, include the number of teachers the percentage represents (e.g., 70% (35)).

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Teacher Mentoring Program

Please describe the school's teacher mentoring program by including the names of mentors, the name(s) of mentees, rationale for the pairing, and the planned mentoring activities.

Mentor Name	Mentee Assigned	Rationale for Pairing	Planned Mentoring Activities
N/A			

*Grades 6-12 Only Sec. 1003.413(b) F.S

For schools with Grades 6-12, describe the plan to ensure that teaching reading strategies is the responsibility of every teacher.

Teaching reading strategies across all classrooms	coincides with other initiatives being under	aken by the leadership team. The	e teachers are focusing on summariza	tion strategies, lesson essential questions an	d writing for
purpose. All teachers are expected to provide exa	imples of reading and writing in their classro	oom by maintain a portfolio of stu-	idents' work samples.		

*High Schools Only

Note: Required for High School- Sec. 1008.37(4), F.S., Sec. 1003.413(g)(j) F.S.

How does the school incorporate applied and integrated courses to help students see the relationships between subjects and relevance to their future?

Implement the Rigorous and Relevant lessons using Next Generation Sunshine State Standards. Provide experiential learning, guest speakers and online job explorations.

Encourage academic teachers to collaboratively integrate curriculum and instruction

How does the school incorporate students' academic and career planning, as well as promote student course selections, so that students' course of study is personally meaningful to their future?

Academic and career planning are incorporated throughout the educational day. Transition Specialist meet one on one with all students monthly or more often to discuss academic need, graduation and college admissions requirements. Students exiting programs meet with a District Hearing Officer to discuss further educational options.

Postsecondary Transition

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Note: Required for High School- Sec. 1008.37(4), F.S.

Describe strategies for improving student readiness for the public postsecondary level based on annual analysis of the High School Feedback Report.

The transition specialists meet with students upon their arrival to the program to review and discuss their plans for success and ensure that they have the correct courses they need to prepare them for graduation. Student are made aware of graduation requirement. The programs have guest speakers throughout the year who provide students with information regarding their careers

PART II: EXPECTED IMPROVEMENTS

Reading Goals

Please refer to questions below to guide your responses when completing the goal chart. Specific responses are not required for each question on the template.

Guiding Questions to Inform the Problem-Solving Process

- Based on a comparison of 2009-2010 common assessment data and 2010-2011 common assessment data, what was the percent increase or decrease of students maintaining learning gains?
- What percentage of students made learning gains?
- What was the percent increase or decrease of students making learning gains?
- What are the anticipated barriers to increasing the percentage of students making learning gains?
- What strategies will be implemented to increase and maintain proficiency for these students?
- What additional supplemental interventions/remediation will be provided for students not achieving learning gains?
- * When using percentages, include the number of students the percentage represents (e.g., 70% (35)).

	Problem-			
READING GOALS	Solving			
READING GUALS	Process to			
	Increase			
	Student			
	Achieveme			
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2011-2012 School Impl	Ovement 1	ian guvenn	c oustice Education	i i i ugi aiiis		
Based on the analysis of student achievement data, and reference to "Guiding Questions", identify	Anticipated Barrier	Strategy	Person or Position Responsible for Monitoring	Process Used to Determine Effectiveness of	Evaluation Tool	
and define areas in need of improvement for the following group:				Strategy		
1. Percentage of students 1.	.1.	1.1.	1.1.	1.1.	1.1. Classroom	
making learning gains—					walkthrough logs and	
in reading.		All students will receive verbal and tangible rewards for		scores	frequency of questions observations. Lesson Plan review and pre/post scores	
Reading Goal #1:	ssues, behavior ssues, and compliance ssues with dults. Family	completing assignments and tests in the classroom, thus resulting in		Increase in oral discussions.		
co is er	sompliance ssues, law inforcement	generalization when taking the standardized test. Students will begin to				
		respond to higher order thinking skills, utilizes summarizing techniques as well as increase				
		vocabulary skills across the curriculum.				
	Level of	2012 Expected Level of Performance:*				
100% of students will be assessed utilizing New						
Century Software.						

students demonstrated learning gains in reading based on	87% of the students in attendance six months will demonstrate learning gains when comparing pre/post test scores.		8			
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	1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	

Professional
Development
(PD) aligned with
Strategies through
Professional
Learning
Community (PLC)
or PD Activity

Please note that each Strategy does not require a professional development or PLC activity.

PD Content /Topic Grade Level/ PD Facilitator PD Participants Target Dates and Schedules Strategy for Follow-up/Monitoring Person or Position Responsible for Monitoring

and/or PLC Focus and/or (e.g., PLC, subject, grade level, or (e.g., Early Release) and

school-wide) Schedules (e.g., frequency of PLC Leader meetings)

PD360 5-9 Senior Coordinator Program Wide On-going with monthly reminder Completion of Reflection Assignments Sr. Coordinator

distributed through Outlook

Reading Budget

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Include only school-based funded			
activities/materials and exclude district			
funded activities/materials.			
Evidence-based Program(s)/Materials(s)			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount

Subtotal:			
Technology			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
New Century	Computer supplemental practice	School Budget	2717.00
Subtotal: \$2717.00			
Professional Development			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
PD 360	Professional Development	District	N/A
Subtotal:			
Other			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount

End of Reading Goals

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Mathematics Goals

Please refer to questions below to guide your responses when completing the goal chart. Specific responses are not required for each question on the template.

Guiding Questions to Inform the Problem-Solving Process

- Based on a comparison of 2009-2010 common assessment data and 2010-2011 common assessment data, what was the percent increase or decrease of students maintaining learning gains?
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MATHEMATICS GOALS	Problem- Solving Process to Increase Student Achieveme nt					
Based on the analysis of student achievement data, and reference to "Guiding Questions", identify and define areas in need of improvement for the following group:	Anticipated Barrier	Strategy	Person or Position Responsible for Monitoring	Process Used to Determine Effectiveness of Strategy	Evaluation Tool	

2011-2012 School Improvement I an Suvenite Sustice Education I rograms								
1. Percentage of students	Students lack	Students			New Century			
making learning gains in	basic skills.	will receive		keep students informed of				
mathematics.		remediation		progress.	test learning gains			
		in basic skills.						
								
				Observation, Student				
Mathematics Goal #1:	Lack of	Learning		products				
	appreciation	incentive						
	for							
	academics.							
100% of the student will be	2011 Current	2012 Expected						
	Level of	Level of						
	Performance:*	Performance:*						
	69% of the	75% of the						
	students	students will						
		demonstrate						
	learning gains.	learning gains.						
		Behaviors,	Model and raise			Pre/post test learning gains		
			expectations		referrals and			
		substance			increased time on			
		abuse			task.			

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PD Content /Topic

Grade Level/ Subject PD Facilitator

PD Participants

Target Dates and Schedules

Strategy for Follow-up/Monitoring

Person or Position Responsible for Monitoring

and/or PLC Focus

and/or
PLC Leader

(e.g., PLC, subject, grade level, or school-wide)

(e.g., Early Release) and Schedules (e.g., frequency of

meetings)

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On-going with monthly reminder Completion of Reflection Assignments

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Mathematics Budget

Include only school-based funded activities/materials and exclude district funded activities /materials. Evidence-based Program(s)/Materials(s)			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
Subtotal: Technology			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
New Century	Supplemental Practice	Title One Part D	\$2717.00
Subtotal:			
Professional Development			

Strategy		Description of Resources	Funding Source	Amount
PD360		Professional Development	District	N/A
Subtotal:				
Other				
Strategy		Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
Grand Total:				

End of Mathematics Goals

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Career Education Goals

Please refer to questions below to guide your responses when completing the goal chart. Specific responses are not required for each question on the template.

Guiding Questions to Inform the Problem-Solving Process

- What career type does the program offer?
- How does the program provide career exploration for all students?
- What hands-on technical training does the program provide (type 3 programs)?
- For type 3 programs what industry certifications are offered?
- How many students earned industry certifications?
- Is the program a Career and Professional Education (CAPE) Academy?

* When using percentages, include the number of students the percentage represents next to the percentage (e.g. 70% (35)).

	Problem-			
CAREER	Solving			
EDUCATION	Process to			

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	areas in need of improvement:				Strategy		
ŀ	1. Career Education Goal	1.1.	1.1. Education,	1.1.Teacher	1.1. Observation, portfolio,	1.1. Observation,	
١	1. Carter Education Goar	Incarceration,	access to			portfolio review,	
-		drug	information,			community resource	
-		involvement,	role modeling,			book.	
-		abandonment issues,	community service projects,				
-			and guest				
-		poverty, behavior	speakers to				
-			attempt to break				
-		compliance issues with	the cycle.				
-		adults.					
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Students will be given access to library books that address a variety of careers. Students will participate in several community	2011 Current	2012 Expected Level :*		Trograms			
service projects and will have access to guest speakers as well as online access to Choices.							
	limited knowledge of the variety of	the variety of jobs and the type of education necessary to be employed at different jobs.					
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		1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	

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PD Participants

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Career Education Goal(s) Rudget

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Include only school-based funded activities/materials and exclude district funded activities /materials.	
Evidence-based Program(s)/Materials(s)	
Strategy	Descr
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Strategy	Desci
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Professional Development	
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Other	
Strategy	Desci
Grand Total:	

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End of Career Education Goal(s)

Transition Goal(s)

Please refer to questions below to guide your responses when completing the goal chart. Specific responses are not required for each question on the template.

Guiding Questions to Inform the Problem-Solving Process

- How does the program deal with transition planning (entry and exit transition)?
- How many students successfully transition (e.g., return to school, find employment)?

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TRANSITION GOAL(S)	Problem- Solving Process to Increase Student Achieveme nt					
Based on the analysis of school data, identify and define	Anticipated Barrier	Strategy	Person or Position Responsible for Monitoring	Process Used to Determine Effectiveness of	Evaluation Tool	
areas in need of improvement:				Strategy		

2011-2012-School Imp	or ovement i						
1. Transition Goal	Incarceration, drug involvement, abandonment issues, behavior issues, and compliance issues with adults.	specialist will contact the receiving school or District of the ESE students return. All school records including grades and IEP will be provided to the receiving school and youth.	1.1.Transition Specialist	1.1. Internal Audit	1.1. Records Review		
Students will transition back to an appropriate school setting.	2011 Current Level :*	2012 Expected Level :*					
	100% of the students will transition back to an appropriate school setting.	100% of students will transition back to an appropriate school setting					
		drug involvement, abandonment issues, behavior issues, and compliance issues with adults.	students transition through the District Office to discuss the best educational placement.	1.2.Transition Specialist	1.2. Internal Audit	1.2 Records Review	
		1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	1.3.	

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Target Dates and Schedules

Strategy for Follow-up/Monitoring

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Transition Goal(s) Budget

Include only school-based funded activities/materials and exclude district funded activities /materials.	
Evidence-based Program(s)/Materials(s)	
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Professional Development	
Strategy	Desci

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Subtotal:	
Other	
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Grand Total:\$39,000.00	
End of Transition Goal(s)	
Attendance Goal(s) (For Day Treatment Programs Only)	
Please refer to questions below to guide your responses when completing the goal chart. Specific responses are not required for each question on the template.	

Guiding Questions to Inform the Problem-Solving Process

- What was the attendance rate for 2010-2011?
- How many students had excessive absences (10 or more) during the 2010-2011 school year?
- What are the anticipated barriers to decreasing the number of students with excessive absences?
- What strategies and interventions will be utilized to decrease the number of students with excessive absences for 2011-2012?
- How many students had excessive tardies (10 or more) during the 2010-2011 school year?
- What are the anticipated barriers to decreasing the number of students with excessive tardies?
- What strategies and interventions will be utilized to decrease the number students with excessive tardies for 2011-2012?

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ATTENDANCE GOAL(S)	Problem- solving Process to Increase Attendance					
Based on the analysis of attendance data, and reference to "Guiding Questions", identify and define areas in need of improvement:	Anticipated Barrier	Strategy	Person or Position Responsible for Monitoring	Process Used to Determine Effectiveness of Strategy	Evaluation Tool	
1. Attendance Goal # 1	1.1.	1.1.	1.1.	1.1.	1.1.	

All students must attend classes daily so nonattendance is not an option. Polk House is a residential setting.	2011Current Attendance Rate:*	2012 Expected Attendance Rate:*					
	for current attendance rate in this box.	Enter numerical data for expected attendance rate in this box.					
		2012 Expected Number of Students with Excessive Absences (10 or more)					
	Enter numerical data for current number of	Enter numerical data for expected number of absences in this box.					
	2011 Current Number of Students with Excessive Tardies (10 or more)	2012-Expected Number of Students with Excessive Tardies (10 or more)					
	for current number of	Enter numerical data for expected number of students tardy in this box.					
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		1.3.	1.3.	1.5.	1.3.	1.3.	

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PLC Leader

PD Participants

Target Dates and Schedules

Strategy for Follow-up/Monitoring

Person or Position Responsible for Monitoring

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(e.g., Early Release) and Schedules (e.g., frequency of meetings)

Attendance Budget

Include only school-based funded activities/materials and exclude district funded activities /materials. Evidence-based Program(s)/Materials(s)			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
Subtotal:			
Technology			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
Subtotal:			
Professional Development			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount

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Subtotal:			
Other			
Strategy	Description of Resources	Funding Source	Available Amount
Grand Total:			

End of Attendance Goals

FINAL BUDGET (Insert rows as needed)	
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Evidence-based Program(s)/Materials(s)	
Strategy	Desci
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Technology	
Strategy	Desci
Reading/Math Supplemental	New
Subtota	վ:
Professional Development	
Strategy	Desci
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Other	
Strategy	Desci
Transition services	Trans
Grand Total: \$41 717.)0

School Advisory Counc	۲i	l
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School Advisory Council (SAC) Membership Compliance

The majority of the SAC members are not employed by the school district. The SAC is composed of the principal and an appropriately balanced number of teachers, education support employees, students (for middle and high school only), parents, and other business and community citizens who are representative of the ethnic, racial, and economic community served by the school. Please verify the statement above by selecting "Yes" or "No" below.

□ Yes	.1.0.0		
f No, describe measures being taken to comply	with SAC requiren	nent.	
Describe projected use of SAC funds.	Amount]	
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Describe the activities of the School Advisory C	Council for the upco	oming year.	
Monitor Educational Strategies and success of progra	ams.		