

Clay County Schools

S Bryan Jennings Elementary School



2016-17 Schoolwide Improvement Plan

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School Demographics

School Type and Grades Served (per MSID File)	2015-16 Title I School	2015-16 Economically Disadvantaged (FRL) Rate (as reported on Survey 3)
Elementary School PK-6	Yes	100%
Primary Service Type (per MSID File)	Charter School	2018-19 Minority Rate (Reported as Non-white on Survey 2)
K-12 General Education	No	57%

School Grades History

Year	2015-16	2014-15	2013-14	2012-13
Grade	C	C*	C	

**Informational Baseline School Grade*

Note: The school grades calculation was revised substantially for the 2014-15 school year to implement statutory changes made by the 2014 Legislature and incorporate the new Florida Standards Assessments. The 2014-15 school grades serve as informational baseline data that schools can use to improve in future years.

School Board Approval

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

SIP Authority and Template

Section 1001.42(18), Florida Statutes, requires district school boards to annually approve and require implementation of a school improvement plan (SIP) for each school in the district.

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 monitoring status of "Former F" (see page 4). For all other schools, the district may use a template of its choosing. All districts must submit annual assurances that their plans meet statutory requirements.

This document was prepared by school and district leadership using the Florida Department of Education's school improvement planning web application located at <https://www.floridacims.org>.

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Purpose and Outline of the SIP

The SIP is intended to be the primary artifact used by every school with stakeholders to review data, set goals, create an action plan and monitor progress. A corollary at the district level is the District Improvement and Assistance Plan (DIAP), designed to help district leadership make the necessary connections between school and district goals in order to align resources. The Florida Department of Education encourages schools to use the SIP as a “living document” by continually updating, refining and using the plan to guide their work throughout the year. This printed version represents the SIP as of the “Date Modified” listed in the footer.

Part I: Current School Status

Part I organizes the current status of the school around five domains inspired by the 5Essentials framework: Supportive Environment, Family and Community Involvement, Effective Leadership, Public and Collaborative Teaching, and Ambitious Instruction and Learning. Questions regarding the school’s Multi-Tiered System of Supports have been embedded throughout this part to demonstrate how data is used by stakeholders to understand the needs of all students and allocate appropriate resources in proportion to those needs.

Part II: Needs Assessment

Part II requires the school to review performance and early warning systems data in order to develop strategic goals and associated data targets (i.e., “SMART goals”) for the coming school year in context of the school’s greatest strengths and needs. An online tool was developed, which includes data visualizations and processing questions to support problem identification, problem analysis and strategic goal formulation.

Part III: 8-Step Planning and Problem Solving for Implementation

Part III enables the school to develop implementation plans for its highest-priority goals. With the overview of the current state of the school in mind and the strategic goals identified through the needs assessment, the planning team engages in a facilitated planning and problem-solving process, through which they

- Define strategic goals and establish targets to be reached by successfully achieving the goals (Step 1)
- Identify barriers that could hinder achieving those goals and resources that could be used to eliminate or reduce barriers (Step 2)
- Select high-priority barriers they want to address initially (Step 3)
- Design implementation and monitoring plans for strategies to resolve selected barriers (Steps 4-7)
- Determine how they will monitor progress toward each goal (Step 8)

Appendices

The following appendices, automatically-generated from content entered in Part III, are included in this document:

- Appendix 1 is a timeline of all action steps and monitoring activities
- Appendix 2 is an outline of all professional development opportunities and technical assistance items
- Appendix 3 is a report of the budget needed to implement the strategies

Differentiated Accountability

Florida's Differentiated Accountability (DA) system, established in [section 1008.33, Florida Statutes](#), is a statewide network of strategic support, differentiated by need according to performance data, provided to districts and schools in order to improve leadership capacity, teacher efficacy, and student outcomes. Through a data-driven planning and problem-solving process, DA field teams collaborate with district leadership to design, implement, and refine strategic goals and action plans that are documented in the SIP.

DA Regions

Florida's DA network is divided into four geographical regions, each served by a field team led by a regional executive director (RED).

DA Categories

At the start of each academic year, traditional schools are classified for DA support in three categories based on the most recent school grades data available. Descriptions of each DA category along with the state support and interventions provided are set forth by [Rule 6A-1.099811, Florida Administrative Code](#):

- Not in DA – currently A, B, or C and not Monitoring Only; charter schools; ungraded schools
- Monitoring Only – currently A, B, or C that improved from a previous grade of F
- Focus – currently D
- Priority – currently F

DA Turnaround and Monitoring Statuses

Additionally, schools in DA may be subject to a turnaround status of "Planning" or "Implementing" or a monitoring status of "Former F." These statuses are based on a school's grades history, including the current school grade:

- Former F - A school with a status of "Former F" requires the department to monitor the implementation of strategies and progress toward the goals outlined in the school improvement plan for three years following the school's improvement from a grade of F to a C or higher.
- Planning - A school with a status of "Planning" requires the district to engage stakeholders in the development of a turnaround option plan to be implemented in the following year should the school grade not improve to a C or higher.
- Implementing - A school with a status of "Implementing" requires the district to submit a turnaround plan to the State Board of Education for approval and implementation. A school remains in "Implementing" status until its school grade improves to a C or higher.

2016-17 DA Category and Statuses for S Bryan Jennings Elementary School

DA Region and RED	DA Category and Turnaround Status
Northeast - Cassandra Brusca	Not In DA - N/A

I. Part I: Current School Status

A. Supportive Environment

1. School Mission and Vision

a. Provide the school's mission statement.

S. Bryan Jennings Elementary School, staffed by highly qualified teachers, will establish an open, caring, and safe environment which promotes maximum achievement, while challenging our scholars to meet today and tomorrow as happy, healthy, successful, and responsible individuals.

b. Provide the school's vision statement.

S. Bryan Jennings Elementary School exists to prepare our scholars to be adult-life ready by forming lifelong learners for success in a competitive global market.

2. School Environment

a. Describe the process by which the school learns about students' cultures and builds relationships between teachers and students.

S. Bryan Jennings encourages all parents to share their cultural beliefs with their child's teacher and classroom through an open inviting environment. We have staff members who are fluent in other languages who attend and help translate during conferences and/or messages from teachers. Teachers are willing to visit the homes of their scholars to gain a better understanding of their families cultural beliefs, and then incorporate them into their classroom environment.

b. Describe how the school creates an environment where students feel safe and respected before, during and after school.

Many scholars come to the school early. To accommodate these scholars, SBJ has a morning computer lab where the scholars may safely work on homework or i-Ready. Other scholars come daily for breakfast in the cafeteria where staff monitors their safety. The SBJ PE coach offers several athletic programs in the morning for scholars to participate. Our PRIDE program encourages respect for all scholars and staff and is utilized throughout the day with positive reinforcement for positive behavior. SBJ provides several after school clubs for the scholars to safely participate. These clubs encourage growth both academically and socially. The school has been enclosed with a fence. This fence is locked during school hours, allowing access to the classrooms solely through the front office.

c. Describe the schoolwide behavioral system in place that aids in minimizing distractions to keep students engaged during instructional time. This may include, but is not limited to, established protocols for disciplinary incidents, clear behavioral expectations, and training for school personnel to ensure the system is fairly and consistently enforced.

S. Bryan Jennings utilizes the school wide PRIDE program whereby scholars behavior is positively reinforced through rewards. Clear expectations are posted in each classroom. The PRIDE program encourages a positive attitude, respect, integrity, determination, and an enthusiasm for learning. SBJ also uses the CHAMPS program which encourages the appropriate conversation, help, movement, and participation levels which leads to success in each activity. Disciplinary actions begin with warning, and moves through written reflection, time out, parent contact, and removal from the classroom. Teachers are trained on the programs yearly during pre-planning and are expected to participate from PreK - to 6th grade.

d. Describe how the school ensures the social-emotional needs of all students are being met, which may include providing counseling, mentoring and other pupil services.

S. Bryan Jennings has a full time school counselor who is available to speak with scholars and parents. She also creates and presents lessons to each of the classrooms to encourage growth in character. She is a source for names and agencies to assist parents in need. SBJ has a social worker who makes home visits to monitor at risk students.

3. Early Warning Systems

The school's response to this section may be used to satisfy the requirements of 20 U.S.C. Â§ 6314(b)(1)(B)(ii)(III), (b)(1)(B)(iii)(I), and (b)(1)(I).

a. Describe the school's early warning system and provide a list of the early warning indicators used in the system.

Attendance below 90 percent, regardless of whether absence is excused or a result of out-of-school suspension

One or more suspensions, whether in school or out of school

Course failure in English Language Arts or mathematics

A Level 1 score on the statewide, standardized assessments in English Language Arts or mathematics

When a student exhibits two or more early warning indicators, a school-based team shall convene to determine appropriate intervention strategies for the student. The school shall provide at least 10 days written notice of the meeting to the student's parent, indicating the meetings purpose, time, and location, and provide the parent the opportunity to participate.

b. Provide the following data related to the school's early warning system

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

Indicator	Grade Level													Total
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	
Attendance below 90 percent	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
One or more suspensions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Course failure in ELA or Math	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Level 1 on statewide assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

The number of students identified by the system as exhibiting two or more early warning indicators:

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

c. Describe all intervention strategies employed by the school to improve the academic performance of students identified by the early warning system.

Attendance:

Attendance Contract

Doctor's Notes

Social Worker Referral

Grades:

Tutoring

Remediation
MTSS

Discipline:
Behavior Contract
School Service Work
Detention

Testing:
Intensive Reading
Intensive Math

B. Family and Community Engagement

The school's response to this section may be used to satisfy the requirements of 20 U.S.C. Â§ 6314(b)(1)(B)(iii)(I)(aa).

1. Describe how the school works at building positive relationships with families to increase involvement, including efforts to communicate the school's mission and vision, and keep parents informed of their child's progress.

Title I schools use the Parent Involvement Plan (PIP) to meet the requirements of 20 U.S.C. Â§ 6314(b)(1)(F).

a. Will the school use its PIP to satisfy this question?

Yes

1. PIP Link

The school completes a Parental Involvement Plan (PFEP), which is accessible through the Continuous Improvement Management System (CIMS) at <https://www.floridacims.org/documents/314537>.

2. Description

A PIP has been uploaded for this school or district - see the link above.

2. Describe the process by which the school builds and sustains partnerships with the local community for the purpose of securing and utilizing resources to support the school and student achievement.

S.Bryan Jennings encourages businesses to support our school through family contact, weekly newsletters, comcast cable network, as well as our school website, facebook account, and billboard. SBJ has business partners who support the school through receipt programs, provide special treats for scholars and teachers, and who give discounts to Clay County employees.

C. Effective Leadership

The school's response to this section may be used to satisfy the requirements of 20 U.S.C. Â§ 6314(b)(1)(H).

1. School Leadership Team

a. Membership

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

Name	Title
Outman, Tiffany	Principal
Hagen, Ilona	Teacher, K-12
Jones, LeAnne	Instructional Coach
Sease, Cynthia	Instructional Coach
Hayward, Carolyn	Assistant Principal

b. Duties

1. Describe the roles and responsibilities of the members, including how they serve as instructional leaders and practice shared decision making.

Each member is responsible for analyzing the data to identify areas of strength and weakness, identifying individual scholars, teachers, and/or grade levels that may need additional support or that could be used as a resource for others.

2. Describe the process through which school leadership identifies and aligns all available resources (e.g., personnel, instructional, curricular) in order to meet the needs of all students and maximize desired student outcomes. Include the methodology for coordinating and supplementing federal, state and local funds, services and programs. Provide the person(s) responsible, frequency of meetings, how an inventory of resources is maintained and any problem-solving activities used to determine how to apply resources for the highest impact.

District-created assessments are given at the end of every 9-weeks. The leadership team analyzes data with each team after every assessment period to identify grade level strengths and weaknesses, as well as school trends. Based on these findings, we work with grade levels and individual teachers to strengthen areas of concern. We also identify at-risk scholars and discuss the plan of action, including the MTSS process. During weekly team meetings, we discuss the progress of the interventions we put in place for teachers, grade levels, and/or individual scholars to ensure appropriate progress is being made.

SBJ utilizes all resources to provide each scholar with a well-rounded education. We use our additional funds to provide more assistance to our scholars in terms of enrichment programs, classroom assistants, feeding programs, and up-to-date educational materials, including technology resources. We received Making Meaning and Chrome Books for the 3rd through 6th grades, SIPP Materials for K - 2, and with SIPP Plus for intensive reading instruction 3-6, through Title 1 funds.

2. School Advisory Council (SAC)

a. Membership

Identify the name and stakeholder group for each member of the SAC.:

Name	Stakeholder Group
Casey Gentle	Parent
Maria Gonzales	Parent
Stacy Reid	Parent
Tiffany Outman	Principal
Dee Lazenby	Business/Community
Ilona Hagen	Teacher
Cindy Sease	Teacher
Maxine Johnston	Education Support Employee
Sonia Grant-Ybarra	Parent
	Student

b. Duties

1. Provide a description of the SAC's involvement with the following activities, as required by section 1001.452(2), Florida Statutes

a. Evaluation of last year's school improvement plan

SAC met on October 30, 2015 to review the school improvement plan where the focus would be on writing throughout the content areas.

b. Development of this school improvement plan

The SAC committee meets as needed to develop the school improvement plan based on the needs of the school.

c. Preparation of the school's annual budget and plan

The SAC committee met May 28, 2016 to discuss the 2016-2017 annual budget.

2. Describe the use of school improvement funds allocated last year, including the amount budgeted for each project.

3. Verify that the school is in compliance with section 1001.452, Florida Statutes, regarding the establishment requirements and duties of the SAC.

Yes

a. If the school is not in compliance, describe the measures being implemented to meet SAC requirements.

3. Literacy Leadership Team (LLT)

a. Membership

Identify the name and position title for each member of the school-based LLT or similar group, if applicable.:

Name	Title
Outman, Tiffany	Principal
Hagen, Ilona	Teacher, K-12
Jones, LeAnne	Instructional Coach
Sease, Cynthia	Instructional Coach

b. Duties

1. Describe how the LLT or similar group promotes literacy within the school, if applicable.

Integrating Writing into all Subject Areas
Teaching Reading in the Content Areas
Model School: Making Meaning - IDR
Collaborative learning
District Initiative
Being a Writer
Literacy Night in Spring

D. Public and Collaborative Teaching

The school's response to this section may be used to satisfy the requirements of 20 U.S.C. Â§ 6314(b)(1)(D).

1. Describe the school's strategies to encourage positive working relationships between teachers, including collaborative planning and instruction.

S. Bryan Jennings has 1 hour each week devoted to building a collaborative community. Each faculty member is an integral part of a Professional Learning Cohort focused on scholar achievement. Each grade level has collaborative planning daily. SBJ has model teachers, and coaches, and encourages all teachers to observe and learn from each other.

2. Describe the school's strategies to recruit, develop and retain highly qualified, certified-in-field, effective teachers to the school.

1. Administrators attend the Clay County Job Fair and host interns and pre-interns. They are always on the lookout for qualified candidates whether we are currently in need or not.
2. We assign our new teachers a mentor teacher who will help them navigate their first year successfully.
3. We provide school-based professional development to address the needs of our building. We also strongly encourage staff to participate in outside professional development provided by the district and/or outside vendors.

3. Describe the school's teacher mentoring program, including the rationale for pairings and planned mentoring activities.

We pair beginning teachers with one of our curriculum coaches since they have the flexibility in their schedule to model lessons and conference with the teacher. We pair teachers with coaches based on the classroom experience of the coach. We have one coach who has taught mostly primary grades, while the other coach taught mostly intermediate grades.

If we have a teacher who is struggling, we pair them with our curriculum coaches based on area in which the teacher is struggling. For example, if the teacher is struggling with teaching reading, we pair them with our reading coach.

Teachers who are new to SBJ, but have teaching experience are paired with their grade level chair person. Ms. Caitlin Moxey is paired with Christy Scotta. Ms. Kelsey Spencer is paired with Kelley Kicklighter.

E. Ambitious Instruction and Learning

1. Instructional Programs and Strategies

a. Instructional Programs

1. Describe how the school ensures its core instructional programs and materials are aligned to Florida's standards.

PLC logs discuss standards

Curriculum maps are aligned to standards

Framework for Intentional Teaching - shift in practice

K-6 Literacy Block with Making Meaning and Being a Writer

b. Instructional Strategies

1. Describe how the school uses data to provide and differentiate instruction to meet the diverse needs of students. Provide examples of how instruction is modified or supplemented to assist students having difficulty attaining the proficient or advanced level on state assessments.

SBJ teachers meet weekly to discuss scholar data. They use this data to provide needed remediation or extension for scholars. If after remediation a scholar is still not proficient, the teacher will use a diagnostic to identify the specific gap in knowledge, and utilize the Multi-Tier System of Support to fill that gap.

The school uses the Center for Collaborative Classroom Program for Systematic Instruction in Phonological Awareness, Phonics, and Sight Words in grades K-2 which is a differentiated program of instruction in reading.

SBJ provides after school tutoring in Homework Club where scholars receive small group instruction on specific skills.

2. Provide the following information for each strategy the school uses to increase the amount and quality of learning time and help enrich and accelerate the curriculum:

Strategy: Extended School Day

Minutes added to school year: 4,000

After school there are several activities for the scholars to participate in to further their educational goals. SBJ offers homework club four days a week for the scholars to receive help on their classroom assignments and/or homework. They also provide small group instruction based on scholar needs.

SBJ provides the following after school clubs for scholars: chorus, a garden club, Math clubs, and a PE club. These activities reinforce the lessons taught in their Reading, Math, or Science classes.

Strategy Rationale

By combining fun and practical activities with the Florida Standards, scholars are becoming more proficient with the real world application of these standards.

Strategy Purpose(s)

- Core Academic Instruction
- Enrichment

Person(s) responsible for monitoring implementation of the strategy

Outman, Tiffany, tiffany.outman@myoneclay.net

Data that is or will be collected and how it is analyzed to determine effectiveness of the strategy

Teachers are required to give a pre- and post-test to determine if these groups were effective. Attendance is also documented to identify those scholars who participated regularly.

2. Student Transition and Readiness

a. PreK-12 Transition

The school's response to this question may be used to satisfy the requirements of 20 U.S.C. Â§ 6314(b)(1)(G).

1. Describe the strategies the school employs to support incoming and outgoing cohorts of students in transition from one school level to another.

SBJ encourages local preschool programs to visit SBJ in the spring and spend time in a Kindergarten classroom. The 6th grade scholars are visited by the Junior High in the Spring.

b. College and Career Readiness

1. Describe the strategies the school uses to advance college and career awareness, which may include establishing partnerships with business, industry or community organizations.

SBJ sponsors a Career Day in the Spring where members of the business community come to speak to the scholars about their chosen profession. The speakers include information regarding needed education, interests which led to their choice of profession, salaries, and personal information.

SBJ teachers are encouraged to wear their college shirts and speak about the colleges they have attended.

SBJ business partners are invited to volunteer and/or attend all school sponsored activities.

2. Identify the career and technical education programs available to students and industry certifications that may be earned through those respective programs.

3. Describe efforts the school has taken to integrate career and technical education with academic courses (e.g., industrial biotechnology) to support student achievement.

SBJ is focused on increasing the rigor in the classrooms. The implementation of Florida State Standards requires more of the scholar, the teacher, and the lessons taught. SBJ has weekly PLC meetings to help meet the needs of the scholars and teachers.

4. Describe strategies for improving student readiness for the public postsecondary level based on annual analysis of the [High School Feedback Report](#), as required by section 1008.37(4), Florida Statutes.

SBJ is focused on increasing the rigor in the classrooms. The implementation of Florida State Standards requires more of the scholar, the teacher, and the lessons taught. SBJ has weekly PLC meetings to help meet the needs of the scholars and teachers.

II. Needs Assessment

The school's completion of this section may satisfy the requirements of 20 U.S.C. Â§ 6314(b)(1)(A).

A. Problem Identification

1. Data to Support Problem Identification

b. Data Uploads

Data uploads are not required by the Florida Department of Education but are offered as a tool for the needs assessment. In this section, the school may upload files of locally available data charts and graphs being used as evidence of need.

The following documents were submitted as evidence for this section:

No files were uploaded

2. Problem Identification Summary

This section is not required by the Florida Department of Education but is provided as an opportunity for the school to summarize the points of strength and areas of need that have been identified in the data.

B. Problem Analysis Summary

This section is not required by the Florida Department of Education but is provided as an opportunity for the school to summarize the underlying "why" or root causes for the areas of need identified in the data, as determined by situational awareness of, and research conducted by, the stakeholders involved in the needs assessment.

C. Strategic Goals

School Improvement Goals

The following key is intended to help readers understand how the sections of this document correspond to the steps of the 8-step planning and problem-solving framework used in the School Improvement Plan. The Quick Key numbers can help registered users go directly to the point of entry for any given goal, barrier and strategy within the online survey.

Problem Solving Key

G = Goal B = Barrier S = Strategy

1 = Problem Solving Step S123456 = Quick Key


Strategic Goals Summary

- G1. Increase scholar achievement by empowering scholars to become active participants in their learning process
- G2. Increase scholar engagement by incorporating engagement strategies that will increase their attention and focus and motivate them to practice higher-level critical thinking skills
- G3. Increase scholars' writing skills by incorporating writing throughout every content area

Strategic Goals Detail

For each strategic goal, this section lists the associated targets (i.e., "SMART goals"), targeted barriers to achieving the goal, resources available to help reduce or eliminate the barriers, and the plan for monitoring progress toward the goal.

G1. Increase scholar achievement by empowering scholars to become active participants in their learning process 1a

 G086081

Targets Supported 1b

Indicator	Annual Target
ELA/Reading Lowest 25% Gains	70.0

Targeted Barriers to Achieving the Goal 3

- Teacher expertise in the components of the Framework for Intentional Teaching

Resources Available to Help Reduce or Eliminate the Barriers 2

- Data notebooks, Common Assessments, Making Meaning/Being a Writer Rituals and Routines of Collaboration, Model School Coach

Plan to Monitor Progress Toward G1. 8

Effective implementation of collaborative classrooms will be observed through classroom walk-throughs and observations.

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Data collected from Classroom walk-throughs, increased student achievement through formative assessments.

G2. Increase scholar engagement by incorporating engagement strategies that will increase their attention and focus and motivate them to practice higher-level critical thinking skills **1a**

 G086082

Targets Supported **1b**

Indicator	Annual Target
ELA/Reading Lowest 25% Gains	70.0

Targeted Barriers to Achieving the Goal **3**

- Teacher expertise in all components of the Framework for Intentional Teaching.

Resources Available to Help Reduce or Eliminate the Barriers **2**

- Kagan Strategies, math journals, reading journals District Framework for Intentional Teaching Instructional Model with Coach

Plan to Monitor Progress Toward G2. **8**

Increase in student engagement leads to an increase in student achievement

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman


Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Data collected through Bi-weekly walk-throughs and formative assessments.

G3. Increase scholars' writing skills by incorporating writing throughout every content area 1a

 G086083

Targets Supported 1b

Indicator	Annual Target
FAA Writing Proficiency	70.0

Targeted Barriers to Achieving the Goal 3

- 1. More time for writing
- 2. Continued Professional Development for teachers is needed
- 3. Scholars are being asked to write more often and in all content areas

Resources Available to Help Reduce or Eliminate the Barriers 2

- Being a Writer (K-6), DBQs, and Math Journals

Plan to Monitor Progress Toward G3. 8

Classroom Walkthroughs

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Data collected through Bi-weekly walk-throughs and formative assessments.

Action Plan for Improvement

For each strategy selected in the plan to reduce a targeted barrier to a strategic goal, this section lists the rationale for that strategy (i.e., why the school believes it will reduce the barrier) and the action steps that have been identified as necessary to implementing the strategy, including details such as the point person, timing and duration, and evidence of completion. At the end of each set of action steps is the plan for monitoring the implementation and effectiveness of the respective strategy.

Problem Solving Key

G = Goal **B** =
Barrier **S** = Strategy

1 = Problem Solving Step  S123456 = Quick Key

G1. Increase scholar achievement by empowering scholars to become active participants in their learning process **1**

 G086081

G1.B1 Teacher expertise in the components of the Framework for Intentional Teaching **2**

 B228736

G1.B1.S1 Collaborative Classroom Professional Development with Model School Coach **4**

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Strategy Rationale

Teachers will become familiar and comfortable with the framework for intentional teaching

Action Step 1 **5**

All teachers will participate in weekly PLCs.

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Weekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

PLC logs, Sign-in sheets

Plan to Monitor Fidelity of Implementation of G1.B1.S1 6

Attendance by all certified staff will be expected. This time will be held sacred for PLCs. Teachers will complete 1 log per PLC team.

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Weekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Sign in sheets will be collected. PLC logs will document focused collaboration around the components of the framework. Administrators will provide feedback to PLC groups and provide assistance when needed.

Plan to Monitor Effectiveness of Implementation of G1.B1.S1 7

Classroom walk-throughs, Formative Assessment Data analyzed at the PLC meetings.

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman


Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Classroom walk-throughs on the Framework and the principles of the collaborative classroom will be done bi-weekly. Feedback will be given to teachers of the implementation of the framework components and the collaborative classroom components.


G2. Increase scholar engagement by incorporating engagement strategies that will increase their attention and focus and motivate them to practice higher-level critical thinking skills **1**

 G086082

G2.B1 Teacher expertise in all components of the Framework for Intentional Teaching. **2**

 B228737

G2.B1.S1 Professional Development on the Framework for Intentional Teaching. **4**

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Strategy Rationale

Teachers will become familiar and comfortable with the Framework for Intentional Teaching.

Action Step 1 **5**

Weekly PLCs focused around the framework for intentional teaching

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Weekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Sign in sheets, PLC logs

Plan to Monitor Fidelity of Implementation of G2.B1.S1 **6**

Attendance by all certified staff will be expected. This time will be held sacred for PLCs. Teachers will complete one log per PLC team.

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Weekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Sign in sheets will be collected. PLC logs will document focused collaboration around the components of the framework. Administrators will provide feedback to PLC groups and provide assistance when needed.

Plan to Monitor Effectiveness of Implementation of G2.B1.S1 7

Classroom walk-throughs, Formative Assessment data analyzed at the PLC meetings

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman


Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Classroom walk throughs on the Framework and the principles of the collaborative classroom will be done biweekly. Feedback will be given to teachers of the implementation of the framework components and the collaborative classroom principles.

G3. Increase scholars' writing skills by incorporating writing throughout every content area 1

 G086083

G3.B1 1. More time for writing 2

 B228738

G3.B1.S1 The master schedule now allows for at least 45 minutes for daily writing instruction. 4

 S241198

Strategy Rationale

The more a scholar writes, and shares his/her writing within a collaborative community, the better writer all scholars will become.

Action Step 1 5

Master Schedule

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

On 8/11/2016

Evidence of Completion

Schedule and classroom walk throughs

Plan to Monitor Fidelity of Implementation of G3.B1.S1 6

Walk throughs

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Schedule and classroom walk throughs

Plan to Monitor Effectiveness of Implementation of G3.B1.S1 7

Analyze walk throughs

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017


Evidence of Completion

schedule and walk throughs

G3.B2 2. Continued Professional Development for teachers is needed 2

 B228739

G3.B2.S1 Continued Professional development on writing is being offered to the whole staff K-6, by fellow staff members throughout the school year. 4

 S241199

Strategy Rationale

The more professional development a teacher receives in best practices with teaching writing, the better at instructing writing he/she will become.

Action Step 1 5

Professional Development in Writing incorporating Social Emotional Learning

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Monthly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

sign-in sheets, classroom observations

Plan to Monitor Fidelity of Implementation of G3.B2.S1 6

Professional Development during PLCs will help teachers incorporate Social Emotional Learning through writing.

Person Responsible

Carolyn Hayward

Schedule

Weekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

PLC logs, classroom observations

Plan to Monitor Effectiveness of Implementation of G3.B2.S1 7

Implementation of "Being A Writer" in K-6 classrooms

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

Writing journals, student work, increase in Clay Writes and FSA Writing scores

G3.B3 3. Scholars are being asked to write more often and in all content areas 2

 B228740

G3.B3.S1 Writing opportunities will be provided to all scholars in every content area on a daily basis. 4

 S241200

Strategy Rationale

The more a scholar writes, and shares his/her writing within a collaborative community, the better writer all scholars will become.

Action Step 1 5

Daily writing opportunities

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

scholar work, walk throughs

Plan to Monitor Fidelity of Implementation of G3.B3.S1 6

Writing opportunities given to all scholars on a daily basis

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

Evidence of Completion

lesson plans, scholar work, walk throughs

Plan to Monitor Effectiveness of Implementation of G3.B3.S1 7

Writing is being incorporated in all content areas

Person Responsible

Tiffany Outman

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017




Evidence of Completion

lesson plans, classroom walk-throughs, student work

IV. Implementation Timeline

Source	Task, Action Step or Monitoring Activity	Who	Start Date (where applicable)	Deliverable or Evidence of Completion	Due Date/ End Date
2017					
G3.B1.S1.A1 A312183	Master Schedule	Outman, Tiffany	8/11/2016	Schedule and classroom walk throughs	8/11/2016 one-time
G1.MA1 M321318	Effective implementation of collaborative classrooms will be observed through classroom...	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Data collected from Classroom walk-throughs, increased student achievement through formative assessments.	5/23/2017 biweekly
G2.MA1 M321321	Increase in student engagement leads to an increase in student achievement	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Data collected through Bi-weekly walk-throughs and formative assessments.	5/23/2017 biweekly
G3.MA1 M321328	Classroom Walkthroughs	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Data collected through Bi-weekly walk-throughs and formative assessments.	5/23/2017 biweekly
G1.B1.S1.MA1 M321316	Classroom walk-throughs, Formative Assessment Data analyzed at the PLC meetings.	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Classroom walk-throughs on the Framework and the principles of the collaborative classroom will be done bi-weekly. Feedback will be given to teachers of the implementation of the framework components and the collaborative classroom components.	5/23/2017 biweekly
G1.B1.S1.MA1 M321317	Attendance by all certified staff will be expected. This time will be held sacred for PLCs....	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Sign in sheets will be collected. PLC logs will document focused collaboration around the components of the framework. Administrators will provide feedback to PLC groups and provide assistance when needed.	5/23/2017 weekly
G1.B1.S1.A1 A312181	All teachers will participate in weekly PLCs.	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	PLC logs, Sign-in sheets	5/23/2017 weekly
G2.B1.S1.MA1 M321319	Classroom walk-throughs, Formative Assessment data analyzed at the PLC meetings	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Classroom walk throughs on the Framework and the principles of the collaborative classroom will be done biweekly. Feedback will be given to teachers of the implementation of the framework components and the collaborative classroom principles.	5/23/2017 biweekly
G2.B1.S1.MA1 M321320	Attendance by all certified staff will be expected. This time will be held sacred for PLCs....	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Sign in sheets will be collected. PLC logs will document focused collaboration around the components of the framework. Administrators will provide feedback to PLC groups and provide assistance when needed.	5/23/2017 weekly
G2.B1.S1.A1 A312182	Weekly PLCs focused around the framework for intentional teaching	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Sign in sheets, PLC logs	5/23/2017 weekly
G3.B1.S1.MA1 M321322	Analyze walk throughs	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	schedule and walk throughs	5/23/2017 biweekly
G3.B1.S1.MA1 M321323	Walk throughs	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Schedule and classroom walk throughs	5/23/2017 biweekly
G3.B2.S1.MA1 M321324	Implementation of "Being A Writer" in K-6 classrooms	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	Writing journals, student work, increase in Clay Writes and FSA Writing scores	5/23/2017 biweekly
G3.B2.S1.MA1 M321325	Professional Development during PLCs will help teachers incorporate Social Emotional Learning...	Hayward, Carolyn	8/23/2016	PLC logs, classroom observations	5/23/2017 weekly
G3.B2.S1.A1 A312184	Professional Development in Writing incorporating Social Emotional Learning	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	sign-in sheets, classroom observations	5/23/2017 monthly

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Source	Task, Action Step or Monitoring Activity	Who	Start Date (where applicable)	Deliverable or Evidence of Completion	Due Date/ End Date
G3.B3.S1.MA1  M321326	Writing is being incorporated in all content areas	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	lesson plans, classroom walk-throughs, student work	5/23/2017 biweekly
G3.B3.S1.MA1  M321327	Writing opportunities given to all scholars on a daily basis	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	lesson plans, scholar work, walk throughs	5/23/2017 biweekly
G3.B3.S1.A1  A312185	Daily writing opportunities	Outman, Tiffany	8/23/2016	scholar work, walk throughs	5/23/2017 biweekly

V. Professional Development Opportunities

Professional development opportunities identified in the SIP as action steps to achieve the school's goals.

G1. Increase scholar achievement by empowering scholars to become active participants in their learning process

G1.B1 Teacher expertise in the components of the Framework for Intentional Teaching

G1.B1.S1 Collaborative Classroom Professional Development with Model School Coach

PD Opportunity 1

All teachers will participate in weekly PLCs.

Facilitator

Administration and Model School Coach

Participants

All SBJ teachers

Schedule

Weekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

G2. Increase scholar engagement by incorporating engagement strategies that will increase their attention and focus and motivate them to practice higher-level critical thinking skills

G2.B1 Teacher expertise in all components of the Framework for Intentional Teaching.

G2.B1.S1 Professional Development on the Framework for Intentional Teaching.

PD Opportunity 1

Weekly PLCs focused around the framework for intentional teaching

Facilitator

Administration and Model School Coach

Participants

all SBJ teachers

Schedule

Weekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

G3. Increase scholars' writing skills by incorporating writing throughout every content area

G3.B2 2. Continued Professional Development for teachers is needed

G3.B2.S1 Continued Professional development on writing is being offered to the whole staff K-6, by fellow staff members throughout the school year.

PD Opportunity 1

Professional Development in Writing incorporating Social Emotional Learning

Facilitator

Carolyn Hayward

Participants

School-wide K-6

Schedule

Monthly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

G3.B3 3. Scholars are being asked to write more often and in all content areas

G3.B3.S1 Writing opportunities will be provided to all scholars in every content area on a daily basis.

PD Opportunity 1

Daily writing opportunities

Facilitator

Carolyn Hayward

Participants

All SBJ classroom teachers

Schedule

Biweekly, from 8/23/2016 to 5/23/2017

VI. Technical Assistance Items

Technical Assistance opportunities identified in the SIP as action steps to achieve the school's goals.

VII. Budget

1	G1.B1.S1.A1	All teachers will participate in weekly PLCs.				\$1,512.00
	Function	Object	Budget Focus	Funding Source	FTE	2016-17
			District-Wide	General Fund		\$1,512.00
2	G2.B1.S1.A1	Weekly PLCs focused around the framework for intentional teaching				\$0.00
3	G3.B1.S1.A1	Master Schedule				\$0.00
4	G3.B2.S1.A1	Professional Development in Writing incorporating Social Emotional Learning				\$0.00
5	G3.B3.S1.A1	Daily writing opportunities				\$0.00
Total:						\$1,512.00