**Brevard Public Schools** 

# **Jupiter Elementary School**



2019-20 Schoolwide Improvement Plan

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950 TUPELO RD SW, Palm Bay, FL 32908

http://www.jupiter.brevard.k12.fl.us

## **Demographics**

Principal: Sherie Troisi L

Start Date for this Principal: 6/20/2019

2019-20 Status (per MSID File)	Active
School Type and Grades Served (per MSID File)	Elementary School PK-6
Primary Service Type (per MSID File)	K-12 General Education
2018-19 Title I School	Yes
2018-19 Economically Disadvantaged (FRL) Rate (as reported on Survey 3)	100%
2018-19 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: C (51%) 2017-18: C (45%) 2016-17: C (48%) 2015-16: C (45%) 2014-15: C (42%)
2019-20 School Improvement (SI) Info	rmation*
SI Region	Southeast
Regional Executive Director	LaShawn Russ-Porterfield
Turnaround Option/Cycle	N/A
Year	
Support Tier	

ESSA Status	TS&I
* As defined under Rule 6A-1.099811, Florida Administrative Code. Fo	or more information, click here.

#### **School Board Approval**

This plan is pending approval by the Brevard 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 <a href="https://www.floridacims.org">www.floridacims.org</a>.

#### **Purpose and Outline of the SIP**

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School Type and Gi (per MSID		2018-19 Title I School	Disadvan	<b>9 Economically</b> staged (FRL) Rate rted on Survey 3)					
Elementary S PK-6	School	Yes		76%					
Primary Servio (per MSID I	• •	Charter School	(Report	9 Minority Rate ed as Non-white n Survey 2)					
K-12 General E	ducation	No		61%					
School Grades Histo	ory								
Year	2018-19	2017-18	2016-17	2015-16					
Grade	С	С	С	С					

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#### **Part I: School Information**

#### **School Mission and Vision**

#### Provide the school's mission statement.

Reaching every child, every day. (Revised 2018)

#### Provide the school's vision statement.

Jupiter Elementary School will challenge our diverse community of learners, and establish a positive and productive school culture, set high expectations for achievement, and encourage independent, self-directed learning. (Reviewed August 2019)

#### School Leadership Team

#### Membership

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

Name	Title	Job Duties and Responsibilities
Troisi, Sherie	Principal	As the instructional leader, Sherie Troisi provides vision and strategic focus for all stakeholders. She ensures high academic expectations for all students by holding teachers accountable through regular observations with feedback and individual teacher data chats, supervises curriculum and instruction and ensures weekly data analysis and progress monitoring is occurring. She facilitates weekly leadership team meetings to review student data (academic, behavioral and attendance) and current practices to determine professional development needs and/or additional supports for teachers and students.
Ouellette, Amber	Assistant Principal	Amber Ouellette supports classroom instruction by ensuring all teachers have the appropriate curriculum and instructional resources. She conducts regular classroom observations with feedback to improve instructional practices. Mrs. Ouellette oversees the implementation of our response to intervention and our academic support programs and oversees our new teacher mentor program. She organizes and facilitates professional development and coordinates all testing.
Cirino, Stacy	Teacher, K-12	Stacy Cirino coordinates our Title I program. She supports administration with discipline, maintains discipline records and oversees our Positive Alternative to School Suspension program (PASS). Mrs. Cirino supports classroom teachers in the areas of classroom management and math instruction utilizing the coaching model and coordinates our new teacher program. Mrs. Cirino provides Rtl instruction to students in need of academic support.
Lopez, Jenifer	Instructional Coach	As our Literacy Coach, Jenifer Lopez supports classroom teachers with all aspects of reading instruction. She utilizes the coaching model to support reading instruction, coordinates implementation of iReady Reading, mentors teachers and facilitates our weekly data chats.
Daniels, Chrystal	School Counselor	Chrystal Daniels coordinates our MTSS program. She supports classroom teachers with the creation and implementation of behavior plans and supports the social emotional needs of our students via individual and small group counseling.
Brennan, Nancy	Teacher, ESE	Nancy Brennan is the Lead ESE Teacher. She works with the ESE team to ensure that all students with disabilities are provided rigorous instruction designed to meet their individual needs. She monitors the academic progress of our students with disabilities and ensures that classroom teachers are aware of student accommodations.

# **Early Warning Systems**

#### **Current Year**

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

Indicator	Grade Level													
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Number of students enrolled	78	96	89	92	96	83	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	619
Attendance below 90 percent	12	17	9	9	6	8	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	68
One or more suspensions	0	4	5	7	4	15	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	45
Course failure in ELA or Math	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
Level 1 on statewide assessment	0	0	0	5	32	39	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	106

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

Indicator						Gra	ade	Le	vel					Total
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Students with two or more indicators	0	1	0	3	6	12	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	31

#### The number of students identified as retainees:

lo dio etc.		Grade Level												Total
Indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	13	8	4	5	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1

#### FTE units allocated to school (total number of teacher units)

55

#### Date this data was collected or last updated

Thursday 6/20/2019

#### Prior Year - As Reported

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

Indicator	Grade Level	Total
Attendance below 90 percent		
One or more suspensions		
Course failure in ELA or Math		
Level 1 on statewide assessment		

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

Total

Students with two or more indicators

#### **Prior Year - Updated**

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

Indicator		Grade Level												
mulcator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
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 with two or more early warning indicators:

Indicator	Grade Level											Total		
Indicator		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	

## 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	2018 District 63% 60% 52% 64% 62% 52% 56%	State	
ELA Achievement	47%	62%	57%	44%	63%	55%	
ELA Learning Gains	57%	60%	58%	59%	60%	57%	
ELA Lowest 25th Percentile	66%	57%	53%	48%	52%	52%	
Math Achievement	48%	63%	63%	46%	64%	61%	
Math Learning Gains	59%	65%	62%	55%	62%	61%	
Math Lowest 25th Percentile	47%	53%	51%	43%	52%	51%	
Science Achievement	34%	57%	53%	40%	56%	51%	

## **EWS Indicators as Input Earlier in the Survey**

Indicator		Grade Level (prior year reported)								
		1	2	3	4	5	6	Total		
Number of students enrolled	78 (0)	96 (0)	89 (0)	92 (0)	96 (0)	83 (0)	85 (0)	619 (0)		
Attendance below 90 percent	12 ()	17 ()	9 ()	9 ()	6 ()	8 ()	7 ()	68 (0)		
One or more suspensions	0 ()	4 (0)	5 (0)	7 (0)	4 (0)	15 (0)	10 (0)	45 (0)		
Course failure in ELA or Math	0 ()	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	0 (0)	2 (0)	0 (0)	2 (0)		
Level 1 on statewide assessment	0 ()	0 (0)	0 (0)	5 (0)	32 (0)	39 (0)	30 (0)	106 (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.

NOTE: An asterisk (\*) in any cell indicates the data has been suppressed due to fewer than 10 students tested, or all tested students scoring the same.

			ELA			
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
03	2019	49%	64%	-15%	58%	-9%
	2018	54%	63%	-9%	57%	-3%
Same Grade C	omparison	-5%				
Cohort Com	parison					
04	2019	48%	61%	-13%	58%	-10%
	2018	30%	57%	-27%	56%	-26%
Same Grade C	omparison	18%				
Cohort Com	parison	-6%				
05	2019	38%	60%	-22%	56%	-18%
	2018	34%	54%	-20%	55%	-21%
Same Grade C	omparison	4%				
Cohort Com	parison	8%				
06	2019	47%	60%	-13%	54%	-7%
	2018	46%	63%	-17%	52%	-6%
Same Grade C	omparison	1%				
Cohort Com	parison	13%				

			MATH			
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
03	2019	43%	61%	-18%	62%	-19%
	2018	36%	62%	-26%	62%	-26%
Same Grade C	omparison	7%				
Cohort Com	parison					
04	2019	40%	64%	-24%	64%	-24%
	2018	42%	59%	-17%	62%	-20%
Same Grade C	omparison	-2%				
Cohort Com	parison	4%				
05	2019	42%	60%	-18%	60%	-18%
	2018	39%	58%	-19%	61%	-22%
Same Grade C	omparison	3%				
Cohort Com	parison	0%				
06	2019	59%	67%	-8%	55%	4%
	2018	57%	68%	-11%	52%	5%
Same Grade C	omparison	2%			•	
Cohort Com	parison	20%				

SCIENCE											
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison					
05	2019	33%	56%	-23%	53%	-20%					
	2018	42%	57%	-15%	55%	-13%					
Same Grade C	Same Grade Comparison				•						
Cohort Com											

## **Subgroup Data**

		2019	SCHO	DL GRAD	E COMF	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 2017-18	C & C Accel 2017-18
SWD	28	58	53	23	59	61					
ELL	25	55		22	65						
BLK	33	49	60	36	49	38	15				
HSP	50	67	69	47	63	50	36				
MUL	52	58		67	72						
WHT	53	57	81	53	61	53	48				
FRL	42	57	65	43	57	46	27				
		2018	SCHO	DL GRAD	E COMP	ONENT	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 2016-17	C & C Accel 2016-17
SWD	18	30	26	22	48	42	26				
ELL	29	65	67	33	46						
BLK	33	41	22	32	44	37	19				
HSP	46	50	43	54	61	45	36				
MUL	37	56		59	75						
WHT	50	50	50	51	58	37	57				
FRL	38	45	38	44	55	37	40				
		2017	SCHO	DL GRAD	E COMF	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	15	42	35	20	42	30	18				
ELL	17	37		31	62						
BLK	30	53	48	28	38	41	30				
HSP	49	62	50	46	60	47	50				
MUL	42	64		50	55		40				
WHT	51	59	46	55	62	50	40				
FRL	38	55	46	40	52	42	36				

## **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
OVERALL Federal Index – All Students	51
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	48
Total Points Earned for the Federal Index	406

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ESSA Federal Index	
Total Components for the Federal Index	8
Percent Tested	99%
Subgroup Data	
Students With Disabilities	
Federal Index - Students With Disabilities	45
Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO
Number of Consecutive Years Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 32%	
English Language Learners	
Federal Index - English Language Learners	43
English Language Learners Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO
Number of Consecutive Years English Language Learners Subgroup Below 32%	
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%	
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%	
Black/African American Students	
Federal Index - Black/African American Students	40
Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES
Number of Consecutive Years Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 32%	
Hispanic Students	
Federal Index - Hispanic Students	53
Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO
Number of Consecutive Years Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 32%	
Multiracial Students	
Federal Index - Multiracial Students	62

Multiracial Students							
Number of Consecutive Years Multiracial Students Subgroup Below 32%							
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%							
White Students							
Federal Index - White Students	58						
White Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO						
Number of Consecutive Years White Students Subgroup Below 32%							
Economically Disadvantaged Students							
Federal Index - Economically Disadvantaged Students	48						
Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	NO						
Number of Consecutive Years Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 32%							

#### **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.

Jupiter Elementary's lowest performing data component was in 5th grade science achievement. The contributing factors include: science instruction remaining at the surface level, students not being exposed to complex science text, and a need to increase focus on analyzing data from informational text features.

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

The data component that showed the greatest decline from the 2017-18 school year was in science achievement.

Jupiter Elementary's science data showed a 10 point decline from 44 to 34 percentage points at level 3 and above. The same factors that contributed to science being our lowest performing area are the same contributing factors.

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.

As previously listed, Jupiter Elementary's science achievement data had the largest gap, which was at 34% compared to the state average of 53%.

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

From 2018 - 2019, Jupiter Elementary's ELA lowest 25% increased from 39% of students showing learning gains to 66%, which is an increase of 33%. This can be directly contributed to tracking lowest 25% data during data chat meetings, implementation of small group guided reading instruction, and implementing i-Ready with fidelity.

# Reflecting on the EWS data from Part I (D), identify one or two potential areas of concern? (see Guidance tab for additional information)

Attendance continues to be an area of concern with 68 students having 18 or more absences during the 2019 school year. In addition, 25% of our students scored level one on statewide assessments.

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

- 1. Science Achievement
- 2. Level 1
- 3. Attendance
- 4. African American students meeting ESSA requirements and ELL students continue to decline on ESSA requirements.
- 5. Learning Environment

## Part III: Planning for Improvement

**Areas of Focus:** 

#### #1

#### **Title**

Standards Aligned Instruction to Increase ELA and Math Proficiency

#### Rationale

Data has shown inconsistent growth of the ELA and math standards proficiency. Jupiter scores fall 10 points below the state in ELA and 15 points below in math. Jupiter Elementary will continue to focus on standards aligned instruction through continued collaborative planning to ensure teachers are reaching the full rigor of the standard.

#### State the measurable

# school plans to

outcome the Increase ELA proficiency from 47% to 52% and math proficiency from 48% to 53% on state assessments.

#### Person responsible

achieve

#### for monitoring outcome

Sherie Troisi (troisi.sherie@brevardschools.org)

#### Evidencebased Strategy

We will focus on teacher clarity which is a research based process that guides teachers as they align activities to the full intent of the standard.

#### Rationale for Evidencebased Strategy

During the 2018-2019 school year we noticed that student tasks were not consistently aligned to the standards. Observations indicated that students were not clear on what they were expected to learn, why they needed to learn it and what success looked like. We believe that we can overcome these barriers by increasing teacher clarity. According to John Hatti's research, teacher clarity has an effect size .75 which makes this a high impact strategy that will lead to increased student achievement.

#### Action Step

- 1. Grade levels will plan collaboratively
- 2. District content specialists will support teachers with collaborative planning. Title I funds will be used to pay for substitute teachers so that teachers have additional time for planning.
- 3. Initial training on standard focus boards will be provided to all teachers on November 22, 2019.
- 4. Literacy Coach will provide ongoing professional development on teacher clarity. (Literacy Coach is partially funded utilizing Title I funds.)
- 4. Conduct classroom observations and provide feedback on teacher clarity and to support teachers with the implementation of standards focus boards.

#### Description

- 5. Offer a reading and math Academic Support Program after school
- 6. Utilize i-Ready curriculum, QLA, and Eureka module assessments to monitor student progress.
- 7. Analyze data by subgroup with a focus on our two lowest performing groups during weekly grade level data chats and leadership team meeting.
- 8. Grade level and vertical teams will analyze student tasks to ensure alignment to the standards.
- 9. Offer at least one Title I Family Night each semester focused on ELA and Math standards.
- 10. Utilize Title I funds to employ two Title I teachers and four instructional assistants to support ELA and Math instruction.
- 11. Utilize Title I funds to purchase the following instructional materials to support ELA and

Math instruction:

- \*LLI materials for use with intervention groups
- \*iReady Reading and Math online instructional programs
- \*Eureka Math manipulatives
- 12. Provide opportunities outside of the school day through the use of Myon and Summer Academic Clinic.

#### Person Responsible

Sherie Troisi (troisi.sherie@brevardschools.org)

#### #2

#### Title

Science Instruction

#### Rationale

Jupiter's SSA scores dropped from 44% to 34% during the 2019 school year. In comparing to the district's overall average of 57% and a state average of 53%.

# State the measurable outcome the school plans to achieve

Jupiter's measurable outcome is to increase our SSA scores from 34% to 44% in 2020.

# Person responsible

monitoring

for

Sherie Troisi (troisi.sherie@brevardschools.org)

#### outcome Evidencebased

Strategy

We will utilize the 5E Instructional Model. The 5E instructional model will guide teachers in planning and the implementation of science inquiry lessons.

#### Rationale for Evidencebased Strategy

Students at Jupiter Elementary are not demonstrating proficiencey on the Florida Science Standards and are scoring below state and district averages on the SSA. The 5E Model provides a planned sequence of instruction that is considered a best practice in science instruction. The 5E Model is a proven model of guiding students from the point of engagement of science concepts and walking them through the understanding of the concept to where they are able to explain and elaborate on what they have learned. This model is proven to be effective in science instruction and helps students to retain what they've learned, resulting in increased acheivement.

#### Action Step

- 1. The district resource science contact will provide training in lesson planning and the 5E instructional model. Title I funds will be used to pay for substitute teachers during half day training sessions.
- 2. Our Title I Science Teacher will support classroom teachers with implementation of the 5E instructional model. (Title I funds are used to employ our Title I Science Teacher.)
- 3. Progress monitor district online science assessments during grade level data chats.

#### Description

- 4. Analyze science data by subgroups in collaborative teams.
- 5. Integrate the use of science texts during the ELA block.
- 6. Conduct classroom observations and provide feedback using the 5E instructional model tool.
- 7. Offer a science academic support program after school.
- 8. Offer a Title I Family Night focused on science standards prior to the Science Standards Assessment.
- 9. Utilize Title I funds to pay for the Fourth Grade trip to Indian River Lagoon.

#### Person Responsible

Sherie Troisi (troisi.sherie@brevardschools.org)

#### Additional Schoolwide Improvement Priorities (optional)

After choosing your Area(s) of Focus, explain how you will address the remaining schoolwide improvement priorities (see the Guidance tab for more information).

Learning environment is an additional school wide priority based on the following data:

- \* Jupiter Elementary experienced an increase of 19 percent in overall office referrals from 274 in 2018 to 327 in 2019.
- \* According to the 2019 EDI Insight survey only 50 percent of teachers believe there are consistent expectations and consequences for student behavior (from 72% in 2018).
- \* According to the 2019 EDI Insight survey only 57 percent of teachers believe interactions between students and adults at my school are respectful (from 80% in 2018).
- \* According to Jupiter Elementary's PBiS staff survey 36 percent of teachers and staff feel that the consequences for preventing future behavior problems were ineffective.

Using this data Jupiter Elementary will implement the following:

- \* Second Step is proven to increase positive social behavior, reduce conduct problems, reduce emotional distress, and improve social-emotional skill performance.
- \* Restorative Practices because of its ability to build and repair relationships.
- \* I Can Problem Solve
- \* Second Step is a program implemented daily that is rooted in social emotional learning that teaches students

techniques to gain confidence, develop empathy, set and achieve positive goals, make responsible decisions,

and develop positive relationships.

- \* Restorative Practices is a strategy that seeks to repair relationships and encourages students to take responsibility for their actions.
- \* I Can Problem Solve is a K-2 program that will reduce impulsivity, improve problem solving skills, and promote pro-social behavior

Action Steps:

- 1. Provide professional development on de-escalation
- 2. Provide professional development on restorative circles
- 3. Increase consistent use of Second Step curriculum
- 4. Implement restorative circles
- 5. Target grades K 2 for additional problem solving skills by incorporating SEL skills during activity class
- 6. Provide mentoring for students in our underperforming subgroups.

# Part IV: Title I Requirements

#### Additional Title I Requirements

This section must be completed if the school is implementing a Title I, Part A schoolwide program and opts to use the Schoolwide Improvement Plan to satisfy the requirements of the schoolwide program plan, as outlined in the Every Student Succeeds Act, Public Law No. 114-95, § 1114(b). This section is not required for non-Title I schools.

Describe how the school plans to build positive relationships with parents, families, and other community stakeholders to fulfill the school's mission and support the needs of students.

Based on the feedback and input we have received from our parent surveys and Title 1 parent/family engagement nights we found that many of our parents/families would like more family fun nights. They expressed they would enjoy having these types of family events that would not just be based on academics but bringing families together in a positive atmosphere. This would be an opportunity to reach out to our partners in education to assist in being able to provide additional family fun nights. Through this we will be able to create and build more positive relationships with our parents/families and community stakeholders.

#### **PFEP Link**

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

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.

Jupiter Elementary is implementing for the second school year a research-based curriculum "Second Step" in grades 3rd – 6th through classroom morning meetings to ensure the social-emotional needs of all students are being met. Second Step has a school-parent home connection piece that assist in reinforcing the social-emotional needs of our students and families. Grades K-2 will implement the research-based curriculum, "I Can Problem Solve" through classroom morning meetings as well. This school year we will also be implementing the research-based strategy "Restorative Practices" in not only classrooms but also school wide. We have one of our guidance counselors teaching social-emotional learning through the research-based curriculum, "Second Step" in grades K-2 on the activity wheel. Title I funds are utilized to fund our second full time school counselor so that we are able to offer additional social-emotional support for our students.

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

To assist our students with the transition from pre-school to kindergarten, Jupiter Elementary provides our parents with the opportunity to attend a kindergarten orientation in the spring of each year. Kindergarten teachers and the leadership team create a theme-based orientation that makes parents/families more comfortable with the transition process for their student. This program is designed to inform parents about our school community and the expectations of the kindergarten curriculum. Since many of our Head Start students stay at Jupiter Elementary for kindergarten, they are included in all school events and their parents are encouraged to volunteer to become even more involved in school so that the transition is easier.

To assist 6th grade students with the transition from 6th grade to 7th grade (middle school) respective middle schools visit students here at Jupiter. Each middle school sends a guidance counselor and teacher leaders to explain and help students with registering for classes. Parents are also invited to each middle school for an informational night.

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.

Jupiter Elementary's mission is to reach every child, every day. Our vision is that Jupiter Elementary will challenge our diverse community of learners, and establish a positive and productive school culture, set high expectations for achievement, and encourage independent, self-directed learning. It is the leadership's responsibility to ensure that continued commitment to the school's mission and vision is on the forefront of all stakeholders. Our hope is to create a school culture that embraces all stakeholders to thrive to do their best, live up to our school wide SOAR expectations not only for themselves but within the community as well. Towards the end of the school year, our Title 1 Coordinator conducts a Comprehensive Needs Assessment (CNA) with faculty/staff and our parents/families. Then during the summer, the leadership team meets and analyzes the results of the CNA and collaborates/problem solves the areas in need. This gives the leadership team the opportunity to identify the areas in need of improvement and to develop an action plan to improve in the areas that have been identified. Federal, state, and local funds are also coordinated to support and implement the school's goals, which will have an impact on student academic achievement. Title 1 federal funds are used to employ additional instructional personnel (three intervention teachers, a literacy coach, an additional guidance counselor, and four instructional assistants). To include supporting Title 1 parent/family curriculum nights which provides resources and materials for parents/families to utilize at home with their child. To purchase additional instructional materials and resources for teachers and provide professional development for faculty/staff. Jupiter Elementary's goals, strategies, and action steps are always based on the input from our parent/families and our faculty/staff which ultimately aligns with the school's mission and vision.

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

Many Jupiter teachers implement project-based learning activities that relate to the real world, which helps students to understand the next steps in their educational career and beyond. Our teachers also implement real-world based problem solving in many of the subject areas being taught, as well as; teaching them how to be productive members in society. Jupiter Elementary has three vested local churches that provide ongoing support with our students through volunteering to read to our students, conduct character education assemblies school wide and provide resources and supplies for students, parents and families.