

2020-21 Schoolwide Improvement Plan

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# South County Career Center

2810 JOHN SHERMAN WAY, Ruskin, FL 33570

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Demographics

# **Principal: Jennifer Davis**

Start Date for this Principal: 7/1/2017

2019-20 Status	
(per MSID File)	Active
School Type and Grades Served (per MSID File)	Combination School PK-12
Primary Service Type (per MSID File)	Alternative Education
2019-20 Title I School	No
2019-20 Economically Disadvantaged (FRL) Rate (as reported on Survey 3)	100%
<b>2019-20 ESSA Subgroups Represented</b> (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* White Students* Economically Disadvantaged Students*
School Grades History	2018-19: No Grade 2017-18: No Grade 2016-17: No Grade 2015-16: No Grade
2019-20 School Improvement (SI) Inf	ormation*
SI Region	Central
Regional Executive Director	Lucinda Thompson
Turnaround Option/Cycle	N/A
Year	
Support Tier	
ESSA Status	CS&I
* As defined under Rule 6A-1.099811, Florida Administrative Code. F	For more information, <u>click here</u> .

#### **School Board Approval**

This plan is pending approval by the Hillsborough 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 <u>www.floridacims.org.</u>

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**School Demographics** 

School Type and Grades Served (per MSID File)	2019-20 Tit	tle I School	2019-20 Economically Disadvantaged (FRL) Rate (as reported on Survey 3)
Combination School PK-12	Ν	lo	%
<b>Primary Service Type</b> (per MSID File)	Charter	School	<b>2018-19 Minority Rate</b> (Reported as Non-white on Survey 2)
Alternative Education	Ν	lo	%
School Grades History			
Year Grade	2012-13	2011-12	2010-11
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## **Part I: School Information**

#### School Mission and Vision

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

SCCC will provide and comprehensive, collaborative environment to nurture and ensure the academic and personal success of our students.

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

South County Career Center provides an opportunity for our students to achieve academic success and to move forward towards their career. It is the goal of our faculty and staff to assist our students so that they may be successful in their coursework, earn a High School Diploma, and either further their education or seek gainful employment. Support is provided to help our students achieve the skills and attitudes essential for success in their careers as well as their lives.

#### School Leadership Team

#### Membership

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

Name	Title	Job Duties and Responsibilities
Woods, Jennifer	Principal	
Fernandez, Carole	Assistant Principal	
Caplinger, Juanita	SAC Member	
Thomas, Victoria	Other	
Lerch, Ryan	Teacher, ESE	

#### **Demographic Information**

#### Principal start date

Saturday 7/1/2017, Jennifer Davis

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

0

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

5

Total number of teacher positions allocated to the school 23

#### **Demographic Data**

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### Early Warning Systems

#### **Current Year**

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

Indicator						G	rac	le l	_eve					Total
indicator	κ	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Number of students enrolled	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	3	18	10	17	58	96	206
Attendance below 90 percent	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	10	6	11	22	45	97
One or more suspensions	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	3	10	3	8	29	28	84
Course failure in ELA	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	12	14	26	26	3	83
Course failure in Math	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	12	14	26	26	3	83
Level 1 on 2019 statewide ELA assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	6	35
Level 1 on 2019 statewide Math assessment	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	6	35

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

Indicator						G	rad	e L	evel					Total
Indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Students with two or more indicators	0	0	1	0	1	0	2	1	15	8	30	42	9	109

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

Indicator						Gr	ade	e Le	ve	I				Total
indicator	Κ	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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

Tuesday 10/20/2020

### **Prior Year - As Reported**

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

Indicator						Gr	ade	e Le	evel					Total
indicator	κ	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOtal
Number of students enrolled	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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	

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Indicator						Gr	ade	e Le	eve	I				Total
Indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOLAI
Students with two or more indicators	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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Indicator						Gr	ade	e Le	ve					Total
Indicator	κ	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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

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

Indicator						Gr	ade	e Le	vel				Total	
indicator	Κ	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOLAT
Number of students enrolled	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOLAI
Students with two or more indicators	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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Indiantar						Gr	ade	e Le	ve	Total				
Indicator	κ	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Students retained two or more times		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).

Sahaal Grada Component		2019			2018	
School Grade Component	School	District	State	School	District	State
ELA Achievement	0%	57%	61%	0%	60%	57%
ELA Learning Gains	0%	56%	59%	0%	60%	57%
ELA Lowest 25th Percentile	0%	52%	54%	0%	53%	51%
Math Achievement	0%	55%	62%	0%	60%	58%
Math Learning Gains	0%	57%	59%	0%	60%	56%
Math Lowest 25th Percentile	0%	49%	52%	0%	54%	50%
Science Achievement	0%	50%	56%	0%	54%	53%
Social Studies Achievement	0%	77%	78%	0%	78%	75%

### EWS Indicators as Input Earlier in the Survey

Indicator				Gr	ade L	evel (	prior y	year r	eporte	ed)				Total
muicator	κ	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOLAI
	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	(0)	0 (0)

#### Grade Level Data

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

			ELA			
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District	State	School- State
				Comparison		Comparisor
03	2019	0%	52%	-52%	58%	-58%
	2018	0%	53%	-53%	57%	-57%
Same Grade Co		0%				
Cohort Comp						
04	2019	0%	55%	-55%	58%	-58%
	2018	0%	55%	-55%	56%	-56%
Same Grade Co	mparison	0%				
Cohort Comp	parison	0%				
05	2019	0%	54%	-54%	56%	-56%
	2018	0%	51%	-51%	55%	-55%
Same Grade Co	mparison	0%			•	
Cohort Comp	arison	0%				
06	2019	0%	53%	-53%	54%	-54%
	2018	0%	52%	-52%	52%	-52%
Same Grade Comparison		0%	· · · · · ·		1 1	
Cohort Comp	arison	0%				
07	2019	0%	54%	-54%	52%	-52%
_	2018	0%	52%	-52%	51%	-51%
Same Grade Co		0%				
Cohort Comp		0%				
08	2019	0%	53%	-53%	56%	-56%
	2018	0%	54%	-54%	58%	-58%
Same Grade Co		0%	01/0	0170	0070	0070
Cohort Comp	•	0%				
09	2019	0%	55%	-55%	55%	-55%
	2018	0%	53%	-53%	53%	-53%
Same Grade Co		0%		0070	0070	0070
Cohort Comparison		0%				
10	2019	0%	53%	-53%	53%	-53%
10	2019	15%	52%	-37%	53%	-38%
Sama Crada Ca			JZ 70	-31 %	55%	-30%
Same Grade Co		-15%				
Cohort Comp	arison	0%				

			MATH			
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
03	2019	0%	54%	-54%	62%	-62%
	2018	0%	55%	-55%	62%	-62%
Same Grade C	omparison	0%				
Cohort Com	parison					
04	2019	0%	57%	-57%	64%	-64%
	2018	0%	57%	-57%	62%	-62%
Same Grade C	omparison	0%				
Cohort Com	parison	0%				
05	2019	0%	54%	-54%	60%	-60%
	2018	0%	54%	-54%	61%	-61%
Same Grade C	omparison	0%			· · ·	
Cohort Com	parison	0%				
06	2019	0%	49%	-49%	55%	-55%
	2018	0%	48%	-48%	52%	-52%
Same Grade C	omparison	0%				
Cohort Com	parison	0%				
07	2019	0%	62%	-62%	54%	-54%
	2018	0%	61%	-61%	54%	-54%
Same Grade C	omparison	0%				
Cohort Com	parison	0%				
08	2019	0%	31%	-31%	46%	-46%
	2018	0%	29%	-29%	45%	-45%
Same Grade C	omparison	0%				
Cohort Com	parison	0%				

			SCIENCE			
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
05	2019	0%	51%	-51%	53%	-53%
	2018	0%	52%	-52%	55%	-55%
Same Grade C	omparison	0%			· · ·	
Cohort Com	parison					
08	2019	0%	47%	-47%	48%	-48%
	2018	0%	48%	-48%	50%	-50%
Same Grade C	Same Grade Comparison					
Cohort Com	parison	0%				

	BIOLOGY EOC										
Year	School	District	School Minus District	State	School Minus State						
2019	11%	66%	-55%	67%	-56%						
2018	0%	62%	-62%	65%	-65%						
C	ompare	11%									

		CIVIC	S EOC		
Year	School	District	School Minus District	State	School Minus State
2019	0%	67%	-67%	71%	-71%
2018	0%	65%	-65%	71%	-71%
Co	ompare	0%		· · ·	
		HISTO	RY EOC		
Year	School	District	School Minus District	State	School Minus State
2019	19%	73%	-54%	70%	-51%
2018	32%	70%	-38%	68%	-36%
Co	ompare	-13%			
		ALGEB	RA EOC		
Year	School	District	School Minus District	State	School Minus State
2019	0%	63%	-63%	61%	-61%
2018	4%	63%	-59%	62%	-58%
Co	ompare	-4%		1 1	
	•	GEOME	TRY EOC		
Year	School	District	School Minus District	State	School Minus State
2019	0%	57%	-57%	57%	-57%
2018	0%	56%	-56%	56%	-56%
Co	ompare	0%		· · ·	

# Subgroup Data

		2019	SCHOO	DL GRAD	E COMF	ONENT	S BY SI	JBGRO	UPS		
Subgroups	ELA Ach.	ELA LG	ELA LG L25%	Math Ach.	Math LG	Math LG L25%	Sci Ach.	SS Ach.	MS Accel.	Grad Rate 2017-18	C & C Accel 2017-18
SWD		25						27		31	
ELL										35	
BLK										53	
HSP										40	
WHT								31		40	10
FRL		16			23			14		45	
		2018	SCHOO	OL GRAD	E COMF	ONENT	S BY SI	JBGRO	UPS		
Subgroups	ELA Ach.	ELA LG	ELA LG L25%	Math Ach.	Math LG	Math LG L25%	Sci Ach.	SS Ach.	MS Accel.	Grad Rate 2016-17	C & C Accel 2016-17
		2017	SCHOO	OL GRAD	E COMF	PONENT	S BY SI	JBGRO	UPS		
Subgroups	ELA Ach.	ELA LG	ELA LG L25%	Math Ach.	Math LG	Math LG L25%	Sci Ach.	SS Ach.	MS Accel.	Grad Rate 2015-16	C & C Accel 2015-16

### 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)	CS&I
OVERALL Federal Index – All Students	13
OVERALL Federal Index Below 41% All Students	YES
Total Number of Subgroups Missing the Target	6
Progress of English Language Learners in Achieving English Language Proficiency	
Total Points Earned for the Federal Index	104
Total Components for the Federal Index	8
Percent Tested	84%

Subgroup Data			
Students With Disabilities			
Federal Index - Students With Disabilities	17		
Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES		
Number of Consecutive Years Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 32%	2		
English Language Learners			
Federal Index - English Language Learners	35		
English Language Learners Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES		
Number of Consecutive Years English Language Learners Subgroup Below 32%	0		
Native American Students			
Federal Index - Native American Students			
Native American Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A		
Number of Consecutive Years Native American Students Subgroup Below 32%	0		
Asian Students			
Federal Index - Asian Students			
Asian Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A		
Number of Consecutive Years Asian Students Subgroup Below 32%	0		
Black/African American Students			
Federal Index - Black/African American Students	27		
Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES		
Number of Consecutive Years Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 32%	2		

Hispanic Students				
Federal Index - Hispanic Students	7			
Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?				
Number of Consecutive Years Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 32%	2			
Multiracial Students				
Federal Index - Multiracial Students				
Multiracial Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A			
Number of Consecutive Years Multiracial Students Subgroup Below 32%	0			
Pacific Islander Students				
Federal Index - Pacific Islander Students				
Pacific Islander Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A			
Number of Consecutive Years Pacific Islander Students Subgroup Below 32%	0			
White Students				
Federal Index - White Students	20			
White Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES			
Number of Consecutive Years White Students Subgroup Below 32%	2			
Economically Disadvantaged Students				
Federal Index - Economically Disadvantaged Students	12			
Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES			
Number of Consecutive Years Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 32%	2			

#### 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.

The only school data provided relates to the Biology, Algebra, and Geometry EOC's, which all students did not take in the previous year due to COVID19.

Continuing from the 2019-2020 SIP, we can expect that by implementing school wide changes in professional development offerings, managing student expectations, and fostering independence in our students we anticipate a significant increase in EOC scores over the 2018-2019 school year. Previously a decline was noticed between the 2018-2019 school year, but was better than the 2017-2018 school year. In light of this, the overall goal is to surpass the 2018-2019 school year test scores.

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

There are significant gaps in our data information at this time; data has gaps due to COVID19. Most students at SCCC are one or more years behind their graduation cohort when they enroll at SCCC. The main contributors to these are longstanding attendance difficulties and low performance at their previous / traditional high school.

The previously identified greatest decline was the percent of students meeting the ELA/Reading graduation requirement. We had begun implementing a stricter policy regarding Edgenuity, our main educational platform, however due to COVID19 the data is incomplete as to whether it was successful. We will meet or exceed the bar we set in the 2019-2020 SIP for our Edgenuity procedures.

# 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.

For the 2019-2020 SIP we submitted that due to the use of FSA or concordant or EOC scores there is no ability to make a meaningful comparison to the state average. Combined with the lack of test scores from last year due to COVID-19 we maintain that there is no ability to compare to the state average.

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

EOC data showed the most improvement. Due to COVID19 FSA and Alg 1 data was only provided for the first semester. Before the first semester testing occurred, SCCC identified areas of need and held boot camps to address the needs of the current students.

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

No data was provided in Part 1(D)

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

- 1. FSA/EOC and SAT/ACT preparation
- 2. Improve overall attendance
- 3. Increase industry certifications

## Part III: Planning for Improvement

Areas of Focus:

#### **#1. Instructional Practice specifically relating to Professional Learning**

Area of Focus Description and Rationale:	Teachers across curriculum will understand and disaggregate current assessment scores and student achievement levels; utilizing content specific vocabulary strategies will result in students achieving passing score and/or indicated personal increase.
Measurable Outcome:	Fully implemented, teachers will be able to individually understand and discuss data (data chats). Fully implemented, teachers will incorporate content specific vocabulary strategies.
Person responsible for monitoring outcome:	Jennifer Woods (jenniferl.woods@hcps.net)
Evidence- based Strategy:	Defining Words Within Context
Rationale for Evidence- based Strategy:	Research shows that when words and easy-to-understand explanations are introduced in context, knowledge of those words increases (Biemiller and Boote, 2006) and word meanings are better learned (Stahl and Fairbanks, 1986). When an unfamiliar word is likely to affect comprehension, the most effective time to introduce the word's meaning may be at the moment the word is met in the text.

#### Action Steps to Implement

PD related to role play by reading teachers to show what a data chat entails.

PD related to each score breakdown (FSA, PERT, ALG EOC, SAT, ACT, PSAT).

PD related to disaggregating senior data by groups on teachers lead by English/Reading/Math leaders.

Non-evaluative observation of data chats by administration and/or peers.

PD by faculty members monthly to highlight vocabulary strategy being utilized.

Incorporate a vocabulary section into students AVID binders

Utilize vocabulary in guided notes for edgenuity classes.

Incorporate a visual representation of vocabulary strategy.

Incorporate vocabulary into Look-For's in daily walkthroughs.

#### Person

Responsible Jennifer Woods (jenniferl.woods@hcps.net)

#### Additional Schoolwide Improvement Priorities

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

Teachers across curriculum will utilize content specific vocabulary strategies supporting ELL, SWD, White, Black, Hispanic, and Economically disadvantaged students.

ELL students- Edgenuity can/will be in native language; vocab section in AVID binder; guided notes available; visual representations of vocab; weekly ILT monitoring for attendance, behavior; bi-weekly ILT meeting for academic monitoring

Black students- vocab section in AVID binder; guided notes available; visual representations of vocab; weekly ILT monitoring for attendance, behavior; bi-weekly ILT meeting for academic monitoring

SWD- Accommodations on Edgenuity will be provided; vocab section in AVID binder; guided notes available; visual representations of vocab; weekly ILT monitoring for attendance, behavior; bi-weekly ILT meeting for academic monitoring

White- vocab section in AVID binder; guided notes available; visual representations of vocab; weekly ILT monitoring for attendance, behavior; bi-weekly ILT meeting for academic monitoring Hispanic- vocab section in AVID binder; guided notes available; visual representations of vocab; weekly ILT monitoring for attendance, behavior; bi-weekly ILT meeting for academic monitoring Economically disadvantaged- Social worker intervention; vocab section in AVID binder; guided notes available; visual representations of vocab; bi-weekly ILT meeting for academic monitoring Economically disadvantaged- Social worker intervention; vocab section in AVID binder; guided notes available; visual representations of vocab; weekly ILT monitoring for attendance, behavior; bi-weekly ILT meeting for academic monitoring

## Part IV: Positive Culture & Environment

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

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

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

SCCC addresses building a positive school culture / environment via the following methods

1) Teacher Leadership

Administration directly (through feedback, observation cycles, chosen PD sessions, etc.) fosters teacher leadership. This then enhances student learning by producing autonomy in students. Teachers who feel that they have authority and leadership in their classroom are better equipped to foster independent learning strategies in their students which has long term successes in and out of the classroom environment.

#### 2) Student Opportunities

SCCC is continually expanding its horizons through bringing in guest speakers, exploring community partnerships, and thoroughly preparing its students for life outside of highschool. In the 2020-2021 year, as identified in the needs assessment/analysis section, SCCC will actively explore how to increase industry certification offerings in order to graduate our students with the best chance of immediate success post high school.

#### 3) Professional Learning

Professional learning communities are the eyes and ears of the student, faculty, and staff body. Perhaps the most active PLC is the positive behavior system PLC. They, along with direct input from the student advisory committee composed of both career side and behavior center students, created the reward system for the school. The use of these rewards for positive behavior (defined as attendance, point sheet data, course progress data etc.) lead to improvements in the student body. Actively engaging with parents aided in increasing student successes: positive calls home, incentivized family/teacher conferences, and parent surveys were used as feedback along with other means.

#### Parent Family and Engagement Plan (PFEP) Link

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

## Part V: Budget

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

1	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Instructional Practice: Professional Learning	\$0.00
		Total:	\$0.00