**Miami-Dade County Public Schools** 

# Lenora Braynon Smith Elementary



2021-22 Schoolwide Improvement Plan

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# **Demographics**

**Principal: Shawntai Dalton** 

Start Date for this Principal: 7/29/2016

2019-20 Status (per MSID File)	Active
School Type and Grades Served (per MSID File)	Elementary School PK-5
Primary Service Type (per MSID File)	K-12 General Education
2020-21 Title I School	Yes
2020-21 Economically Disadvantaged (FRL) Rate (as reported on Survey 3)	100%
2020-21 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* Economically Disadvantaged Students*
School Grades History	2018-19: C (45%) 2017-18: C (50%) 2016-17: D (40%)
2019-20 School Improvement (SI) Ir	nformation*
SI Region	Southeast
Regional Executive Director	LaShawn Russ-Porterfield
Turnaround Option/Cycle	N/A
Year	
Support Tier	
ESSA Status	
As defined under Rule 6A-1.099811, Florida Administrative Code.	For more information, click here.

# **School Board Approval**

This plan is pending approval by the Dade 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:

- 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>.

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School Type and Gr (per MSID I		2020-21 Title I School	Disadvan	Economically taged (FRL) Rate ted on Survey 3)
Elementary S PK-5	chool	Yes		89%
Primary Servio (per MSID I	• •	Charter School	(Reporte	Minority Rate ed as Non-white Survey 2)
K-12 General E	ducation	No		99%
School Grades Histo	ry			
Year	2020-21	2019-20	2018-19	2017-18
Grade		С	С	С

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# **Part I: School Information**

#### School Mission and Vision

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

Lenora B. Smith Elementary School will provide the highest quality education. Also, empowering students to live productive lives as lifelong learners and responsible citizens. Through high levels of quality instruction students will achieve academic success that will lead them to and through college.

### Provide the school's vision statement.

At Lenora B. Smith Elementary, we believe in leading our own lives with astute scholarship and well-rounded

character. We will be kind, make meaning of the world around us, own our responsibilities and work to achieve

at the highest levels. Character, citizenship, and scholarship are at the core of all we do and seek to accomplish at Lenora B. Smith Elementary School. We not only seek to prepare students for the next grade level, but we seek to inspire the next generation by helping students embody the lasting traits and mindsets necessary to be lifelong learners, ultimately going to and through college. This year, our school's theme is "Full STE(A)M Ahead".

# School Leadership Team

#### Membership

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

Name	Position Title	Job Duties and Responsibilities
Dalton, Shawntai	Principal	-Shaping a vision of academic success for all students -Creating a climate hospitable to education -Cultivating leadership in others -Managing staff, data and budget -Improving School Leadership
Colzie, Shundra	Assistant Principal	Assist with issues of school management coordinate student activities and services, -assist in defining and enforcing school policies and guidelines for students, staff, and faculty -Oversees curriculum instruction & Instructional Coaches -Oversee Schoolwide Discipline
Porter, Darnell	Instructional Coach	The Mathematics Coach will direct the instructional services related to mathematics for students and provide technical assistance to teachers. Emphasis will be on utilizing the coaching model to facilitate successful implementation of research-based mathematics instruction.
Victor, Valeria	Instructional Coach	The Reading Coach will direct the instructional services related to the K-12 Comprehensive Reading Plan for students and provide technical assistance to teachers. Emphasis will be on utilizing the coaching model to facilitate successful implementation of research-based reading instruction.

# **Demographic Information**

### Principal start date

Friday 7/29/2016, Shawntai Dalton

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.

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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.

20

Total number of teacher positions allocated to the school

18

Total number of students enrolled at the school

355

Identify the number of instructional staff who left the school during the 2020-21 school year.

3

Identify the number of instructional staff who joined the school during the 2021-22 school year.

# **Demographic Data**

# **Early Warning Systems**

### 2021-22

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

Indicator					Gr	ade	Le	ve	ı					Total
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOLAT
Number of students enrolled	37	55	48	65	52	75	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	332
Attendance below 90 percent	23	27	28	28	21	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	152
One or more suspensions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Course failure in ELA	0	2	7	8	5	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
Course failure in Math	0	2	4	1	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
Level 1 on 2019 statewide FSA ELA assessment	0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9
Level 1 on 2019 statewide FSA Math assessment	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
Number of students with a substantial reading deficiency	1	24	36	46	21	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	177

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

Indicator					(	Grad	le L	.ev	el					Total
mulcator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOtal
Students with two or more indicators	1	4	10	12	3	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	48

### The number of students identified as retainees:

Indicator		Grade Level													
indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total	
Retained Students: Current Year	2	4	7	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	

# Date this data was collected or last updated

Saturday 8/21/2021

## 2020-21 - As Reported

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

Indicator Grade Level Total

Number of students enrolled

Attendance below 90 percent

One or more suspensions

Course failure in ELA

Course failure in Math

Level 1 on 2019 statewide FSA ELA assessment

Level 1 on 2019 statewide FSA Math assessment

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

Indicator Grade Level Total

Students with two or more indicators

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

Indicator	Grade Level	Total

Retained Students: Current Year

Students retained two or more times

# 2020-21 - Updated

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

Indicator					Gr	ade	Le	ve	I					Total
mulcator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOtal
Number of students enrolled	57	55	72	66	83	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	395
Attendance below 90 percent	25	27	30	25	27	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	159
One or more suspensions	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Course failure in ELA	0	7	7	8	9	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	58
Course failure in Math	0	5	2	0	14	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37
Level 1 on 2019 statewide FSA ELA assessment	0	0	0	0	10	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	21
Level 1 on 2019 statewide FSA Math assessment	0	0	0	0	9	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	18

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

Indicator	Grade Level													
Indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Students with two or more indicators	1	8	11	10	20	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	80

### The number of students identified as retainees:

Indicator	Grade Level													
Indicator	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total
Retained Students: Current Year	2	4	7	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22
Students retained two or more times	0	0	0	2	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7

# Part II: Needs Assessment/Analysis

# **School Data Review**

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	2021		2019			2018			
School Grade Component	School	District	State	School	District	State	School	District	State
ELA Achievement				35%	62%	57%	43%	62%	56%
ELA Learning Gains				42%	62%	58%	54%	62%	55%
ELA Lowest 25th Percentile				65%	58%	53%	52%	59%	48%
Math Achievement				56%	69%	63%	54%	69%	62%
Math Learning Gains				46%	66%	62%	61%	64%	59%
Math Lowest 25th Percentile				31%	55%	51%	45%	55%	47%
Science Achievement				39%	55%	53%	40%	58%	55%

# **Grade Level Data Review - State Assessments**

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 Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
03	2021					
	2019	35%	60%	-25%	58%	-23%
Cohort Cor	nparison					
04	2021					
	2019	24%	64%	-40%	58%	-34%
Cohort Cor	nparison	-35%				
05	2021					
	2019	40%	60%	-20%	56%	-16%
Cohort Cor	nparison	-24%				

			MATH	1		
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
03	2021					
	2019	58%	67%	-9%	62%	-4%
Cohort Co	mparison					
04	2021					
	2019	35%	69%	-34%	64%	-29%

			MATH	1		
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
Cohort Con	nparison	-58%				
05	2021					
	2019	58%	65%	-7%	60%	-2%
Cohort Con	nparison	-35%				

			SCIEN	CE		
Grade	Year	School	District	School- District Comparison	State	School- State Comparison
05	2021					
	2019	31%	53%	-22%	53%	-22%
Cohort Com	parison					

# **Grade Level Data Review - Progress Monitoring Assessments**

Provide the progress monitoring tool(s) by grade level used to compile the below data.

The progress monitoring tool that we used was iReady for grades K-5 and the Science Mid-Year Assessment for fifth grade.

		Grade 1		
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring
	All Students	24.0	15	32.0
English Language Arts	Economically Disadvantaged	23.80	15.0	31.70
<i>,</i> to	Students With Disabilities	0	0	0
	English Language Learners	0	0	0
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring
	All Students	32.5	13.2	17.5
Mathematics	Economically Disadvantaged	32.5	13.2	17.5
	Students With Disabilities	66.7	0	0
	English Language Learners	14.3	0	0

		Grade 2						
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring				
	All Students	15.0	23.60	35.2				
English Language Arts	Economically Disadvantaged	14.80	24.10	34.0				
	Students With Disabilities	0	33.3	0				
	English Language Learners	0	0	0				
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring				
	All Students	16.0	16.4	38.2				
Mathematics	Economically Disadvantaged	16.3	16.7	37.0				
	Students With Disabilities	0	0	0				
	English Language Learners	0	0	0				
Grade 3								
		Grade 3						
	Number/% Proficiency	Grade 3 Fall	Winter	Spring				
	Proficiency All Students		Winter 33.9	Spring 63.0				
English Language Arts	Proficiency  All Students  Economically  Disadvantaged	Fall						
	Proficiency  All Students  Economically  Disadvantaged  Students With  Disabilities	Fall 28.1	33.9	63.0				
	Proficiency  All Students Economically Disadvantaged Students With Disabilities English Language Learners	Fall 28.1 26.8	33.9 32.7	63.0 62.3				
	Proficiency  All Students Economically Disadvantaged Students With Disabilities English Language Learners  Number/% Proficiency	Fall 28.1 26.8 0 0 Fall	33.9 32.7 12.5 0 Winter	63.0 62.3 28.6 0 Spring				
	Proficiency  All Students Economically Disadvantaged Students With Disabilities English Language Learners  Number/% Proficiency  All Students	Fall 28.1 26.8 0	33.9 32.7 12.5 0	63.0 62.3 28.6 0				
	Proficiency  All Students Economically Disadvantaged Students With Disabilities English Language Learners  Number/% Proficiency  All Students Economically Disadvantaged	Fall 28.1 26.8 0 0 Fall	33.9 32.7 12.5 0 Winter	63.0 62.3 28.6 0 Spring				
Arts	Proficiency  All Students Economically Disadvantaged Students With Disabilities English Language Learners  Number/% Proficiency  All Students Economically	Fall 28.1 26.8 0 0 Fall 9.4	33.9 32.7 12.5 0 Winter 29.6	63.0 62.3 28.6 0 Spring 41.8				

		Grade 4		
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring
	All Students	18.2	14.9	12.7
English Language Arts	Economically Disadvantaged	8.2	14.90	12.7
	Students With Disabilities	7.1	21.4	7.7
	English Language Learners	0	0	0
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring
	All Students	12.5	25.7	37.3
Mathematics	Economically Disadvantaged	12.7	25.7	37.3
	Students With Disabilities	0	14.3	21.4
	English Language Learners	0	0	0
		Grade 5		
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring
	All Students	18.5	24.5	34.60
English Language Arts	Economically Disadvantaged	18.9	25.0	35.3
	Students With Disabilities	0	28.6	0
	English Language Learners	0	0	0
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring
	All Students	14.8	28.3	55.8
Mathematics	Economically Disadvantaged	15.1	26.9	54.9
	Students With Disabilities	14.3	14.3	14.3
	English Language Learners	0	0	0
	Number/% Proficiency	Fall	Winter	Spring
	All Students	0	17.0	0
Science	Economically Disadvantaged	0	17.0	0
	Students With Disabilities	0	0.0	0
	English Language Learners	0	17.0	0

# **Subgroup Data Review**

		2021	SCHOO	DL GRAD	E COMF	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 2019-20	C & C Accel 2019-20
SWD	18	40		14	9						
ELL	20	48		42	65		24				
BLK	27	38		25	34	27	32				
HSP	25	41		48	64		30				
FRL	26	39	47	32	44	38	31				
		2019	SCHO	OL GRAD	E COMF	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 2017-18	C & C Accel 2017-18
SWD	13	26		37	39	18					
ELL	36	67	71	78	61		40				
BLK	34	35	50	51	42	27	39				
HSP	37	73	90	72	61		40				
FRL	34	43	65	56	46	32	38				
		2018	SCHO	OL GRAD	E COMF	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	19			29							
ELL	43	90		79	91						
BLK	43	52	43	50	56	38	33				
HSP	45	63		69	80						
FRL	43	55	55	54	62	48	40				

# **ESSA Data Review**

This data has been updated for the 2021-22 school year as of 10/19/2021.

ESSA Federal Index	
ESSA Category (TS&I or CS&I)	
OVERALL Federal Index – All Students	36
OVERALL Federal Index Below 41% All Students	YES
Total Number of Subgroups Missing the Target	5
Progress of English Language Learners in Achieving English Language Proficiency	32
Total Points Earned for the Federal Index	289
Total Components for the Federal Index	8
Percent Tested	95%
Subgroup Data	

Other Williams	
Students With Disabilities	
Federal Index - Students With Disabilities	20
Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES
Number of Consecutive Years Students With Disabilities Subgroup Below 32%	
English Language Learners	
Federal Index - English Language Learners	39
English Language Learners Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES
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	31
Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES
Number of Consecutive Years Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 32%	
Number of Consecutive Years Black/African American Students Subgroup Below 32%  Hispanic Students	
	40
Hispanic Students	40 YES
Hispanic Students Federal Index - Hispanic Students	
Hispanic Students  Federal Index - Hispanic Students  Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	
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Hispanic Students  Federal Index - Hispanic Students  Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?  Number of Consecutive Years Hispanic Students Subgroup Below 32%  Multiracial Students  Federal Index - Multiracial Students  Multiracial Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?  Number of Consecutive Years Multiracial Students Subgroup Below 32%  Pacific Islander Students	YES

White Students	
Federal Index - White Students	
White Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	N/A
Number of Consecutive Years White Students Subgroup Below 32%	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	
Federal Index - Economically Disadvantaged Students	36
Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 41% in the Current Year?	YES
	1

## **Analysis**

## **Data Analysis**

Answer the following analysis questions using the progress monitoring data and state assessment data, if applicable.

# What trends emerge across grade levels, subgroups and core content areas?

Number of Consecutive Years Economically Disadvantaged Students Subgroup Below 32%

According to the 2020-2021 i-Ready Diagnostic school-wide data, the following trends emerged. Data Analysis

Answer the following analysis questions using the progress monitoring data and state assessment data, if applicable.

What trends emerge across grade levels, subgroups and core content areas? According to the 2020-2021 i-Ready Diagnostic school-wide data, the following trends emerged.

In ELA, when comparing i-Ready AP1, AP2, to AP3 data, there were steady increases in Grades 2, 3, and 5 with the exception of Grades 1 and 4.

On i-Ready AP2 the proficiency was 54.8 percentage points which decreased to 31 percentage points on i-Ready AP3 in Grade 1.

In ELA, there was a decrease in achievement in Grade 4 of 2.7 percentage points. On i-Ready AP2 the proficiency was 14.5 percentage points which decreased to 11.8 percentage points on i-Ready AP3.

According to the 2021 FSA Data, the following trends emerged:

In ELA, when comparing 2021 FSA data to 2019 FSA, there was a decrease in achievement in Grades 3-5. Our ELA Achievement Level in 2019 decreased from 35% proficiency to 27% in 2021.

In Mathematics, when comparing 2021 FSA data 2019 FSA, there was a decrease in achievement in Grades 3-5. Our Math Achievement Level in 2019 decreased from 56% proficiency to 33% in 2021.

In Mathematics, when comparing 2021 FSA data 2019 FSA, there was a decrease in achievement in Grades 3-5. Our Math Achievement Level in 2019 decreased from 56% proficiency to 33% in 2021.

What data components, based off progress monitoring and 2019 state assessments, demonstrate the greatest need for improvement?

According to the 2020-2021 progress monitoring assessments, the areas in need of improvement include the following:

In Grade 1 among all subcategories, the percentage decreased in Math from 35.7 percentage points to 31.0 percentage points and ultimately to 16.7 percentage points. This is a total decline of 19 percentage points.

In Grade 4 among all subcategories, the percentage increased from 28.0 percentage points to 37.3 percentage points. This was an increase of 9.3 percentage points. This followed a decrease from 37.3 percentage points to 12.0, a decrease of 25.3 percentage points.

According to the 2020-2021 FSA Data, the area in need of improvement include the following: In Grade 4, the ELA achievement in 2021 decreased 8% compared to the achievement level in 2019.

# What were the contributing factors to this need for improvement? What new actions would need to be taken to address this need for improvement?

The contributing factors to the need for improvement for Grade 1 Math was the novice teacher who taught ELA in years past, as well as the lack of student engagement from the students in the collecting of their available learning resources. This teacher also taught in the online modality throughout the school year. The contributing factor to the need for improvement in Grade 4 were novice teachers in ELA. The actions of targeted intervention and strategic differentiated instruction will address the need for improvement and gaps in learning.

# What data components, based off progress monitoring and 2019 state assessments, showed the most improvement?

Third grade ELA Learning Gains increased from 33.3 percentage points on i-Ready AP2 to 59.7 percentage points on the i-Ready AP3.

Fifth-grade Mathematics Learning Gains increased from 27.8 percentage points on i-Ready AP2 to 53.7 percentage points on the i-Ready AP3.

# What were the contributing factors to this improvement? What new actions did your school take in this area?

We created a collaborative planning schedule that allotted time to plan for data analysis and DI. Professional development was provided to teachers on disaggregating data for small group instruction.

### What strategies will need to be implemented in order to accelerate learning?

Academic Vocabulary Instruction, Checks for Understanding, Data-Driven Decision Making, Standards-Based Collaborative Planning.

Based on the contributing factors and strategies identified to accelerate learning, describe the professional development opportunities that will be provided at the school to support teachers and leaders.

Through the support of the Instructional Coaches and the Miami Learns Initiative, opportunities for job embedded sessions will be provided to train ELA teachers with the alignment of the new B.E.S.T. standards (September/21), and data driven decision making for improved small group instruction (October/21). Each teacher will make adjustments to groups as data becomes available (ongoing after i-Ready diagnostics), administration and Instructional Coaches will provide individualized feedback and next steps (ongoing) and continuous data chats. Coaching cycles will be also be implemented individually with teachers to support specific needs (ongoing).

Provide a description of the additional services that will be implemented to ensure sustainability of improvement in the next year and beyond.

Collaborative planning will be scheduled weekly, and a member of the Administration Team will attend to ensure fidelity to the strategies being implemented school-wide that are aligned to the goals. The acquisition of an additional Reading Coach will support the primary grade levels. Interventions will be implemented with fidelity and Saturday Academy sessions will provide the opportunity for extended learning. STEAM projects will be implemented monthly schoolwide.

# Part III: Planning for Improvement

**Areas of Focus:** 

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

Area of Focus Description and Rationale: Based on the data review, our school will implement the Instructional Practice Area of Focus of Standards-aligned Instruction. We selected the overarching area of Standards-aligned Instruction based on our findings that demonstrated decreased and/or stagnated progress according to our 2019 FSA data and our 2020-2021 iReady Assessment data. In comparison to the District, our school scored below the District in all categories except for ELA Lowest 25. Therefore, it is evident that we must improve our ability to retain the novice teachers that are currently in the process of implementing effective standards aligned Instruction, collaborating with veteran teachers, and infusing ongoing progress monitoring of the students' current reality of data to make the necessary instructional adjustments. We will provide the scaffolding necessary for all subgroups to access grade-level content in order to make learning gains and move towards proficiency.

# Measurable Outcome:

Monitoring:

If we successfully implement Standards-aligned Instruction, then all of our students will increase by a minimum of 10 percentage points in Proficiency and Learning Gains in ELA and Mathematics as evidenced by the 2022 FSA State Assessments.

The Leadership Team will conduct quarterly data chats, adjust DI and Intervention groupings based on current data, and follow-up with regular walkthroughs to ensure quality instruction is taking place. Administrators will review bi-weekly lesson plans for indication of standards-aligned Instruction for all students. Data analysis of formative assessments of all students will be reviewed monthly to observe progress. We will create an online tracker to monitor OPM data on a bi-weekly basis. This data will be analyzed during Leadership Team meetings to ensure students are demonstrating growth on remediated standards. Extended learning opportunities will be provided to those students who are not showing

# Person responsible for monitoring

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

growth on OPMs.

Evidencebased Strategy:

outcome:

Within the Targeted Element of Standards-aligned Instruction, our school will focus on the evidence-based strategy of Data-Driven Instruction. Data-Driven instruction will assist in accelerating the learning gains of our students as it is a systematic approach to meet the students' needs. Data-Driven instruction will be monitored through the use of data trackers to drive instructional planning and data driven conversations to include OPMs.

Rationale for Evidencebased Strategy:

Data-Driven Instruction will ensure that teachers are using relevant, recent, and aligned data to plan lessons that are customized to students' needs. Teachers will continually make adjustments to their instruction, plans, and instructional delivery as new data becomes available.

# **Action Steps to Implement**

8/18 - 9/17 - Provide professional development for teachers by the Instructional Coaches on Data-Driven that is aligned to the school goals. As a result, teachers will develop instructional practices such as data-driven student groupings, student trackers and folders.

# Person Responsible

Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

8/23 - 10/11 -Analyzing Data will be the focal point during collaborative planning sessions on a weekly basis. Instructional coaches will ensure instructional adjustments while analyzing data trackers with teachers. As a result, teachers will develop standards-aligned lesson plans and daily end products.

## Person Responsible

Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

8/23 - 10/11 - Classroom walkthroughs will take place on a weekly basis by the Leadership Team using a targeted area from the Framework of Effective Instruction and IPEGS standards. As a result, improved classroom instruction will lead to an increase in progress monitoring data.

## Person Responsible

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

8/31-10/11- Teachers will collaboratively develop data trackers that can be used to track miniassessments that are aligned to weekly small group instruction. As a result, teachers will use data trackers to monitor student progress and adjust as necessary.

## Person Responsible

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

11/1 - 12/17 Teachers and Instructional Coaches will continue to analyze student data for the purpose of driving whole and small group instruction during collaborative planning sessions on a weekly basis. As a result, teachers will develop standards-aligned lesson plans and daily end products.

# Person Responsible

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

11/1- 12/17 Transformation Coaches will ensure the Gradual Release Model (GRRM) is explicitly planned for during Collaborative Planning. As a result, standards-aligned lessons will be evident during instructional delivery and during walkthroughs by the School Leadership Team.

# Person

Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net) Responsible

1/31-4/29 Transformation Coaches will ensure that explicit instruction includes the use of levels 3 and 4 depth of knowledge questions are used in engagement and scaffolded. The transformation coach will model, then develop the plan of implementation with classroom teachers during collaborative planning. As a result, L25/35 students will be more engaged and able to respond to higher depths of knowledge questions.

### Person

Responsible

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

1/31- 4/29 Teachers will introduce specific standard vocabulary at the beginning of the ELA instructional block that relates to the weekly focus standard. As a result, student's reading comprehension and vocabulary development should improve for our L25/35 students.

#### Person

Responsible

Valeria Victor (277534@dadeschools.net)

No description entered

#### Person

Responsible

[no one identified]

# #2. Instructional Practice specifically relating to Collaborative Planning

Area of Focus Description and Rationale: Based on the data review, our school will implement the Targeted Element of Collaborative Planning. We selected the overarching area of Collaborative Planning based on our findings that demonstrated decreased and/or stagnated progress according to our 2019 FSA data and our 2020-2021 iReady Assessment data. In comparison to the District, our school scored below the District in all categories except for ELA Lowest 25. Therefore, it is evident that we must improve our ability to plan effective lessons and make necessary instructional adjustments based on data. We will provide the scaffolding and instructional support necessary for teachers in order for students to make learning gains and move towards proficiency.

Measurable Outcome: If we successfully implement Collaborative Planning, then all of our students will increase by a minimum of 10 percentage points in Proficiency and Learning Gains in ELA and Mathematics as evidenced by the 2022 FSA State Assessments.

Monitoring:

Administration will attend weekly collaborative planning sessions to ensure appropriate collaborative conversations and planning are taking place. Administrators will actively participate within the collaborative planning sessions and assist with suggestions for follow up items and action steps.

Person responsible

for monitoring outcome:

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

Evidencebased Strategy: Within the Targeted Element of collaborative planning, our school will focus on the evidence-based strategy of: Data-Driven Instruction. Data-Driven instruction will assist in accelerating the learning gains of our students as it is a systematic approach of instruction to meet the students needs. Data-Driven instruction will be monitored through the use of data trackers to drive instructional planning and data driven conversations to include OPMs.

Rationale for Evidencebased Strategy:

Data-Driven Instruction will ensure that teachers are using relevant, recent, and aligned data to plan lessons that are customized to student needs. Teachers will continually make adjustments to their instruction, plans, and instructional delivery as new data becomes available.

# **Action Steps to Implement**

8/23-10/11 During collaborative planning, instructional coaches and teachers will collaborate about implementing Effective Questioning and Response Techniques into their lesson plans. As a result, teachers will incorporate Effective Questioning and Response Techniques during the delivery of instruction. Teachers and students will be able to practice the use of effective questioning and techniques on how to respond.

Person Responsible

Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11 Teachers will implement Effective Questioning and model how to properly use techniques when responding to effective questions. As a result, teachers will model how to respond to effective questions while using responsive techniques. Teachers will be able to provide their students with timely feedback following student responses.

Person Responsible

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11 The Leadership Team will conduct walkthroughs to ensure Effective Questioning and Response Techniques are incorporated into teacher's lesson plans and implemented during ELA instruction. As a result, the Leadership Team will be able to provide teachers with effective timely feedback via email and/or during collaborative planning.

Person Shaw

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11 During collaborative sessions, teachers, Instructional Coaches, and administration will analyze data and provide assistance with any necessary adjustments to the delivery of instructions.

Person Responsible

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

11/1- 12/17 The Transformation Coaches will plan with teachers to develop higher order questioning strategies, checks for understanding throughout the lesson, and daily end products that mimic sample response mechanisms. As a result, students' critical thinking and engagement will increase.

Person

Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

11/1 - 12/17 The Transformation Coaches will plan with teachers for collaborative strategy activities to engage students. As a result, there will be evidence of collaborative strategies during the "we do" portion of the lessons.

Person

Responsible Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

1/21-4/29 Transformational Coaches will provide explicit instructions (via email) and model (during collaborative planning) on how to access SAT-10 and FSA materials from iReady Teacher Toolbox. As a result,

Person Responsible

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 As we approach FSA testing, teachers will increase the frequency of scaffolded instruction and test taking strategies during whole and small group instruction. As a result, students will be prepared for standard-based testing.

Person

Responsible

Valeria Victor (277534@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 Transformational Coaches will provide explicit instructions (via email) and model (during collaborative planning) on how to access SAT-10 and FSA materials from iReady Teacher Toolbox. As a result, teachers will know where to locate materials which will provide students with explicit instruction.

Person

Responsible

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

## #3. Culture & Environment specifically relating to Student Attendance

Area of Focus Description and Rationale: According to the Student Attendance District/Tiered Comparison Data in 2021, 68% of our students were absent for 11 -31+ days. Based on the data review, our school will implement the Targeted Element of Student Attendance. Through our data review, we noticed the students who struggle with daily attendance are also the students who are not meeting expectations for learning gains as well as proficiency on state and progress monitoring assessments. We recognize the need to tailor our attendance initiatives and improve in making connections with families and the community to ensure attendance is consistently high.

# Measurable Outcome:

If we successfully implement the Targeted Element of Student Attendance, our students will receive quality instruction that will contribute to improved student outcomes. With consistent student incentives, our attendance will increase 5 percentage points by June 2022.

The Leadership Team along with the Attendance Review Committee (ARC) will connect with families who struggle with attendance and identify the root cause for absences, creating a plan of action to ensure students improvement in attendance. The ARC will plan regular student incentives to promote attendance. monitor the Truancy Intervention Report on a weekly basis with emphasis on attendance trends for students with excessive absences. Home visits and address verification will be conducted by the Community Involvement Specialist; and truancy packets and meetings with parents will be held accordingly by the ARC Team and i-Attend Specialist. To ensure we are on track to meeting the outcome above, this data will be discussed during data chats with teachers and students and parental contact will be made as necessary. Also, a designated bulletin board will be used as our monthly Attendance tracker. Grade levels with the most perfect attendance record (monthly) will be recognized and awarded.

# Monitoring:

Person responsible for

monitoring outcome:

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

Evidencebased Strategy: Within the Targeted Element of Student Attendance, our school will focus on the evidence-based strategy of: Attendance Initiatives. Attendance Initiatives will assist in narrowing the absence gap amongst our students. Student absences will be monitored on a weekly basis to prevent a pattern of excessive absences.

Rationale

for Evidencebased Attendance Initiatives will assist in decreasing the number of student absences. The initiatives will provide the Leadership Team with a systematic approach to identify attendance issues, remediation, and rewards.

Strategy:

# **Action Steps to Implement**

8/23-10/11 Daily monitoring of the attendance bulletin will assist with identifying students struggling with attendance. Also, any necessary attendance corrections can be made daily. As a result, the parents of students struggling with attendance will be identified and contacted in a timely manner.

Person Responsible

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11The Leadership Team along with the Attendance Review Committee (ARC) will connect with families who struggle with attendance and identify the root cause for absences. As a result, as a team we'll devise a plan of action to ensure student improvement in attendance.

# Person Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11 Home visits and address verification will be conducted by the Community Involvement Specialist. As a result, truancy packets and meetings with parents will be held accordingly by the ARC Team and i-Attend Specialist. The importance of attending school will be addressed to parents, which should improve student attendance.

# Person Responsible Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11 A designated bulletin board will be used as our monthly Attendance tracker. Grade levels with the highest perfect attendance record (monthly) will be recognized and awarded. As a result, student incentives for attending school will be provided on a monthly basis which in turn will increase attendance. An increase in student achievement will increase student achievement.

# Person Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

11/1-12/17 Administration will ensure home visits and address verification are consistently logged by the Community Involvement Specialist and guidance counselor. As a result, truancy packets and meetings with parents will be held accordingly by the ARC Team and i-Attend Specialist. The importance of attending school will be addressed to parents, which should improve student attendance.

# Person Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

11/1-12/17 Truancy intervention reports will be utilized to identify students eligible for additional wraparound services. As a result, family wellness will student truancy will decrease.

# Person Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 Assistant Principal, Guidance Counselor, and Attendance Interventionist will schedule to meet once a week: Wednesday and/or Friday to contact parents of students struggling with attendance.

# Person Responsible Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 Include teachers making more of an effort to contact parents (and notify any member of the ARC Team) of students that are either habitually late or absent.

# Person Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

# #4. Leadership specifically relating to Specific Teacher Feedback

# Area of Focus Description and Rationale:

Based on qualitative data from the SIP Climate survey and review of the Core Leadership Competencies, we want to use the Targeted Element of Specific Teacher Feedback. According to the data, 60% of teachers in the building feel they were provided with feedback from administration to improve student outcomes was given annually, Therefore we want to increase the amount of opportunities for teachers to receive administrative feedback which will empower teachers to make the necessary instructional adjustments to improve student outcomes.

# Measurable Outcome:

If we successfully implement the Targeted Element of Specific Teacher Feedback, our teachers will be provided the opportunity to make appropriate instructional decisions to improve student outcomes more frequently. The percentage of administrative feedback to teachers will increase by at least 5% during the 2021-

2022 school year.

The Leadership Team will identify specific opportunities in which administrative feedback can be implemented among instructional staff. By frequent administrative feedback, we hope to create an environment that improves effective instruction with necessary adjustments given by suggestions from administration. This initiative will be evident by improved student achievement and effective changes in instructional practice. To ensure we are on the right track, teachers who receive support will share the knowledge they have gained during collaborative planning which will be addressed as an agenda item during the weekly Leadership Team Meetings.

# Monitoring:

Person responsible for

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

monitoring outcome:

Within the Targeted Element of Specific Teacher Feedback, we will focus on the evidence-based strategy of: Empowering Teachers and Staff. By providing support for teachers, we hope to increase the feeling of immediate teacher feedback. Empowering Teachers and Staff will provide a summary of support to the Leadership Team on a weekly basis to ensure we are on the right track to meeting the outcome above.

Evidencebased Strategy:

Rationale for

Evidencebased Strategy: Empowering Teachers and staff will assist in teacher development in order for the teachers to make appropriate changes in instructional practice.

## **Action Steps to Implement**

8/23-10/11 Having collaborative conversations between instructional coaches and instructional staff during collaborative planning sessions. As a result, timely effective feedback will be provided.

Person Responsible

Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11 During our weekly Leadership Team meeting, specific teacher feedback report updates will be given. As a result, the Leadership Team will will always have the updated version of the teacher's delivery of instruction and student progress.

Person Responsible

Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

8/23-10/11 A walkthrough schedule and timeline for feedback will be created by the instructional coaches. As a result, the schedule will allow the leadership team to conduct walkthroughs with the same "Look-For" as a focal point.

Person
Responsible
Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

8/23 - 10/11 - Administration will provide teachers effective & timely feedback via ClassDojo, email, and/or during collaborative planning sessions. Teachers will make adjustments to instruction based on feedback leading to improved academic outcomes.

Person
Responsible Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

11/1-12/17 Opportunities will be provided for our staff to conduct Professional Learning Communities for their fellow colleagues. As a prerequisite to teachers conducting PLC's, teachers observing teachers will take place during the first and second quarter. As a result, teachers will feel comfortable with observing, learning, and sharing best practices with their colleagues.

Person
Responsible
Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

11/1- 12/17 Walkthrough Look-For's will be developed with teachers during collaborative planning. Instructional Coaches, teachers, and administration will share best practices and coaching cycles during common planning. As a result, teachers, coaches, and administration will have the opportunity to collaborate and provide feedback, which will improve teachers' delivery of instruction and student engagement based on coaching cycles.

Person
Responsible Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 Teachers will conduct peer observations during the third quarter to collaborate and share best practices. As a result, teachers will have opportunities to build awareness about the impact of their own learning.

Person
Responsible Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 Teachers will provide corrective feedback to students on written text-based responses. As a result, students will be able to properly edit their responses.

Person
Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

## **#5. Instructional Practice specifically relating to ELA**

Area of
Focus
Description
and
Rationale:

Based on the review, our school will implement the Targeted Element of ELA. We selected the Area of ELA based on our findings that demonstrated 26% proficiency in ELA for grades 3-5 on the 2020-21 FSA. We compared the current 2021 ELA FSA data of 26% to the 2019 FSA ELA proficiency of 35%. Over the last two years, ELA proficiency decreased by 9 percentage points.

# Measurable Outcome:

If Tier 1 instruction is successfully developed, delivered, and monitored, then our ELA Proficient students will increase by a minimum of 9 percentage points as evidenced by the 2022 Florida Standards Assessment.

This Area of Focus will be monitored with the use of progress monitoring data and iReady Diagnostic data. The Leadership team will actively participate in weekly collaborative planning, conducting targeted walkthroughs which will follow the identified look-for discussed during planning and provide timely effective feedback. Transformation coaches will collaboratively plan with teachers, utilizing instructional resources that explicitly defines the expectation of the standards. The collection of data and effective feedback will be utilized to adjust planning and instruction. Analyzing data during collaborative planning sessions will occur to track progress and determine any necessary adjustments in planning

Person responsible for

**Monitoring:** 

monitoring outcome:

Shawntai Dalton (taikayd@gmail.com)

and instructional delivery.

Evidencebased Strategy: Within the Targeted Element of ELA, our school will focus on the evidence-based strategy of: Effective Questioning/Response Techniques. Effective Questioning and Response Techniques are a vital part of classroom instruction which is used to develop higher-order thinking skills and promote critical thinking. Our area of focus will be monitored by developing effective questions during collaborative planning, modeling effective implementation, conducting walkthroughs, providing effective feedback, and analyzing data.

Rationale

for Evidencebased Strategy: Effective Questioning and Response Techniques will promote critical thinking skills and gauge whether students understand the depth of the reading standards being taught. The criteria used for selecting this strategy is 2021 FSA ELA data and classroom walkthroughs.

# **Action Steps to Implement**

9/30-10/11 During collaborative planning, instructional coaches and teachers will collaborate about implementing Effective Questioning and Response Techniques into their lesson plans. As a result, teachers will incorporate Effective Questioning and Response Techniques during the delivery of instruction. Teachers and students will be able to practice the use of effective questioning and techniques on how to respond.

Person Responsible

Valeria Victor (277534@dadeschools.net)

9/30-10/11 Teachers will implement Effective Questioning and model how to properly use techniques when responding to effective questions. As a result, teachers will model how to respond to effective questions while using responsive techniques. Teachers will be able to provide their students with timely feedback following student responses.

Person Responsible

Valeria Victor (277534@dadeschools.net)

9/30-10/11 The Leadership Team will conduct walkthroughs to ensure Effective Questioning and Response Techniques are incorporated into teacher's lesson plans and implemented during ELA instruction. As a result, the Leadership Team will be able to provide teachers with effective timely feedback via email and/or during collaborative planning.

Person Responsible

Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

9/30-10/11 During collaborative sessions, teachers, Instructional Coaches, and administration will analyze data and provide assistance with any necessary adjustments to the delivery of instructions.

Person Responsible

Shawntai Dalton (sdalton@dadeschools.net)

11/1-12/17 During collaborative planning, instructional coaches and teachers will implement Effective Questioning by developing higher order and scaffolded questions. As a result, teachers will incorporate and practice Effective Questioning during instruction.

Person

Responsible Shundra Colzie (scolzie@dadeschools.net)

11/1-12/17 Transformation coaches will model and provide strategies for teachers during collaborative planning on providing constructive feedback on student work. As a result, student performance will increase based on teacher feedback.

Person Responsible

Valeria Victor (277534@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 To ensure teachers will make students accountable of their own responses, Transformation Coaches will introduce and model 2 column-notes for teachers during common planning. Teachers will scaffold the 2 column-note strategy for the L25/35 students. As a result, the L25/35 will be able to strategically think about how to respond to questions.

Person

Responsible

Valeria Victor (277534@dadeschools.net)

1/31-4/29 Teachers will prepare students for the FSA by using close reading strategies, modeling how to annotate and analyze the text while reading. As a result, students will be able to comprehend the text and identify essential information within the text.

Person

Responsible

Darnell Porter (porterd@dadeschools.net)

# **Additional Schoolwide Improvement Priorities**

Using the <u>SafeSchoolsforAlex.org</u>, compare the discipline data of the school to discipline data across the state and provide primary or secondary areas of concern that the school will monitor during the upcoming school year. Include how the school culture and environment will be monitored through the lens of behavior or discipline data.

The discipline data of the school is moderate in terms of incidents per year compared to the state data. The primary areas of concern are physical attacks and fighting incidents. The school will monitor this area during the upcoming school year through data which will be analyzed during monthly Discipline Committee meetings.

# 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.

Lenora B. Smith Elementary will address building a positive school culture and environment by allowing this year's theme to drive our level of enthusiasm. This year at Lenora B. Smith Elementary, we are a "STEAM" school that's "Moving Full STEAM Ahead". As a community we are moving forward with a sense of urgency and an open mind set which promotes clarity, high expectations, and positive reinforcement among our LBS staff, parents, and our students. As we move Full STEAM ahead as a school and community, the suggestions and teaching from ALL staff members will be considered to promote and a build cohesiveness within our LBSE family.

# Identify the stakeholders and their role in promoting a positive culture and environment at the school.

Stakeholders at Lenora B. Smith entails our administrative staff, teachers, Community Involvement Specialist and parents. In order to promote and build a positive culture and environment, administrators must strive to make decisions that creates a positive culture. Administrators must ensure to maximize student and staff success which then promotes high levels of collaboration. High levels of collaboration among staff members creates an improvement and teaching and learning. Teachers and Support personnel can contribute in promoting a positive culture and environment by establishing classroom norms, celebrating personal achievement and positive behavior. Also, engaging students in ways that benefit our students. Engaging parents in a positive manner can increase their role in creating a positive culture and environment. Administration and staff members Reaching out to parents with positive phone calls about their child, conducting home visits to build a rapport with families, or even communicating with parents via email or Zoom will promote a positive culture and environment. Our Community involvement Specialist promotes parent trainings to increase family involvement.

# Part V: Budget

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

1	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Instructiona	\$0.00			
	Function	Object	Budget Focus	Funding Source	FTE	2021-22
	5100	100-Salaries	0081 - Lenora Braynon Smith Elementary	Title, I Part A	350.0	\$0.00

# Dade - 0081 - Lenora Braynon Smith Elementary - 2021-22 SIP

	Notes: Standards-aligned instruction will be delivered through classroom teachers and hourly interventionists during the school day and through extended learning opportunities.					
2	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Instructional Practice: Collaborative Planning	\$0.00			
3	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Culture & Environment: Student Attendance	\$0.00			
4	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Leadership: Specific Teacher Feedback	\$0.00			
5	III.A.	Areas of Focus: Instructional Practice: ELA	\$0.00			
		Total:	\$0.00			