Curriculum and Instruction Update

TOP 5 of 5

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D87 VISION STATEMENTS



Academic Achievement: Students will annually improve their academic skills in the core curricula, performing at least at grade level or higher as evaluated using District assessments. (Primary)

Educational Environment: We will promote mutual respect, an appreciation for student and staff diversity, and the importance of family and community engagement in order to provide a supportive learning environment in which students can succeed. (Primary)

Personnel: We will employ, support, and retain an outstanding and diverse staff. (Secondary)

Facilities: We will maintain facilities that are safe, energy-efficient, and conducive to teaching and learning. (Supportive)

Finances: We will manage the District's resources and spending as responsible stewards for our taxpayers and community. (Secondary)

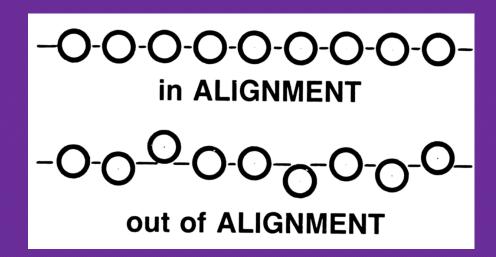
Top 5 Areas

- 1. Coordination and Cooperation
- 2. Committees
- 3. Projects and Priorities
- 4. Summer 2019
- 5. Assessments



Coordination and Cooperation

- Technology
 - Audit
 - Systems (email, materials, curriculum)
- Special Education
 - Programming
 - Systems (Embrace, personnel, training)
- Grant Allocations
 - New ESSA Accountability
 - Alignment of purpose to money



Coordination and Cooperation

- Multi-Tiered System of Support
 - Transformation Zone
 - Tier 1 Needs
- Cabinet
 - HR
 - Finance
 - Food Service and Wellness
 - Community Relations
 - Safety



Ongoing Committees-Internal

D87 Structure

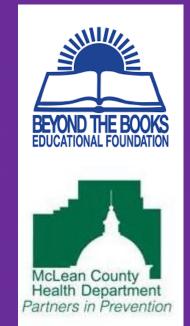
- Appraisal Committee (P-12)
- PE Task Force and Strategic Plan (K-12)
- Curriculum Leadership Team (Elementary and Secondary)
- Grade Level Meetings (Elementary)
- Technology Committee (P-12)



Ongoing Committees-External

Community Engagement

- Beyond the Books
- McLean County Health Advisory Board
- Community Educators
- McLean County Health Needs Assessment
- Advisors for Engaged Learning and Community Partnerships (IWU)





Projects and Priorities

- Relationships and Relations with Technology and Special Education
- Literacy Plan: Elementary
- Curriculum Audit and Review: BJHS
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- Title 1, 2, 3, 4 Grants and Accountability for ESSA

Summer Programming- Students

- 1. Extended School Year- Districtwide
- 2. Elementary Specialized Summer Programming-Title Schools
- 3. C2: Credit Recovery-Bloomington Jr. High
- 4. C2: Credit Recovery-Bloomington High School
- 5. Partnerships with Community Agencies



Summer Programming- Teachers/Staff

- 1. InspireD87-June/July/August
- 2. Mini-Feast-August
- 3. Curriculum Projects-aligned to projects and processes
- 4. Principal PLC-focus on MTSS structures
- 5. Task Forces for Literacy, Curriculum Reviews



Assessment: Spring 2019

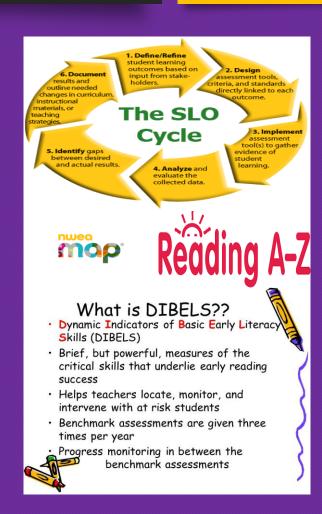
State Mandated

- GOLD (PK)
- KIDS assessment (K)
- Access (EL)
- Illinois Science Assessment (5, 8, Biology)
- Illinois Assessment of Readiness (3-8; ELA and Math)
 - Field Testing
- DLM
- SAT Suite (PSAT 8/9, PSAT 10, SAT)
- Fitness Testing
- NAEP
 - Field Testing



Assessment: Spring 2019

- District
 - MAP (3 x year, placement)
 - DIBELS (K-5, interventions)
 - Reading Inventory (SRI. Reading A-Z, Scholastic)
 - Student Learning Outcomes (SLO's for Appraisal)
 - Classroom Assessments (grades)
- How do we use data?
- Are we using data appropriately?



Reflection and Review

- 1. Time is a limited resource
- 2. Cooperation makes the work productive
- 3. Less is more
- 4. Alignment to strategic goals
- 5. Can't buy passion and perseverance

