Northern Elementary School SBLT

February 18th, 2025

<u>2024-2025 SBLT Team</u>

Principal: Nicole Weeks Asst. Principal: Tyron McMillon CF: Tricia Archer Members: Traci Browning, Gena Farrior, Sydney Rogers, Lori Vernon, David Hammack, Susan McCormick, Guy Vann, Michelle Worthy, Andrea Matkins, Elizabeth Spencer Parent Reps: Kimberly Brenneman and Kate Cruz

2024-2025 NES School Improvement Plan:

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will increase its **Reading** Proficiency by at least 3 percentage points from 73.3 to 76.3. (3rd: 76.2 to 79.2; 4th: 76.6 to 79.6; 5th: 68.4 to 71.4)

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will increase its **Math** Proficiency by at least 3 percentage points from 85.3 to 88.3. (3rd: 91.4 to 94.4; 4th: 82.2 to 85.2; 5th: 83.1 to 86.1)

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will increase its **Science** Proficiency by at least 3 percentage points from 83.8 to 86.8.

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will maintain the number of **lost instructional days** resulting from discipline referrals. During the 23-24 school year, there were 6.65 days of lost instructional time.

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will decrease **chronic student absences** (10% or more of days enrolled) by 5 percentage points, from 9.2% in 2023-2024 to 4.2% in 2024-2025.

Agenda Item	Indicator	SIP Goal
Welcome/ Meeting Called to Order		I
Approval of Minutes		
Traci Browning Moved to approve the meeting minutes. Gina Farrior Seconded this motion.		
All approved.		
Celebrations		
Specialists- 3 rd grade musical was a success.		
AG- CogAt testing.		
EC- Growth at following routines.		
K- Increased student participation.		
1 st - MOY testing finished; Revamping RIME.		

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2 nd - NWEA Reading data looked good; Beginning famous person's	s project.		
3 rd - Excited Testing is finished.			
4 th - Finished mid-year testing, Living history Museum.			
5 th - Great Science Interim Scores 85% Proficiency.			
Coaching Comments			
No coaching comments were shared at this time.			
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Principal's Report			
Continue with consistency when we have in-person learni	•	d	
Importance of RIME time; keeping focus on small groups.	Use successe	sand	
challenges to create and revise groups.			
The transfer window is open for employees.			
NES will be interviewing for several positions.			
Review of Data		Math,	
	C2.01	Reading, and	
(See below for C2.01 indicator conversations)	02.01	Science Goals	
Committee Reports			
Inclement weather has impacted the ability of			
committees to meet. SEL needs to meet soon in	A4.16	All SIP Goals	
preparation for a March 14 event—SEL day districtwide.			
Indicators Review			
• #1 A.4.16			
Report Cards for EC Students. Concern was raised			
due to there being inconsistency regarding grading EC			
students. Grade level chairs will talk to their teams about			
grading practices for EC students. Students should be			
graded based on their modifications, but there is evidence			
to show this is not occurring in all upper grades			
classrooms.		All SIP Goals	
• #2 C.2.01			
Look at school data thus far this school year. (You			
also have last year's data as a reference). Members			
of SBLT review 23-24 and current 24-25 school testing			
data.			

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SBLT interpreted School-Wide data and talked about		
"glows and grows."		
Grade level chairs are to come prepared to discuss		
implications of data, as well as how do we use this data the		
remainder of the school year.		
• #3 D.1.02		
GCS has shared the academic priorities for next		
school year. Mrs. Weeks has created a master schedule		
for next school year. Grade level chairs are to take it back		
to their grade level for feedback. Grade levels should keep		
in mind:		
\circ Prioritizing instructional time for grades 3-5 at the		
beginning of the day.		
 Specialists, EC, and AG needing a lunch break 		
\circ No overlapping RIME times 2 nd -5 th grade		
Upcoming Calendar Items		
-February		
25 th : Kindergarten registration begins		
25 th -27th: 2 nd Grade- Pet Therapy		
27 th : 4 th Grade African American Living History Museum		
28th: Nighthawk of the Month Ceremony		
March		
6 th -14 th : Fun Run		
7 th : Hawks Hobbies	Ea aa	
11 th : Kindergarten Orientation 14 th : Fun Run Day	E2.02	
14 th : SEL Day		
18 th -21 st : IOWA Testing		
21 st : Book Fair Preview		
21 st : 4 th Grade Symphony		
25 th : 4 th IA3 and 5 th Field trip to NGMS		
27 th : Nighthawk of the Month Ceremony		
28 th : End of 3 rd quarter		
31 st : Mandatory Teacher Workday		
New Business	B.1.05	

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RIME Time		
We need to ensure that all teachers have a plan for this time.		
Utilize MOY data to determine groups and content.		
TA's should be utilized with small groups.		
Make use of Zearn, Amplify, and Progress Learning for		
differentiated Core.		
FAM-S Check-in		
(Moved to the March Meeting.)		
Questions & Suggestions		
Specialist coverage during programs		
- Mrs. Weeks will speak with specialists.		
Indoor Recess		
- Everyone should be cognizant of the amount of time		
students are on devices. Overall, keep it structured and		
educational.		
Device Use/ Reminders		
- Please make sure you use Go Guardian or Apple		
Classroom to ensure that your students are making		
good choices throughout the school day. Again, be		
cognizant of the amount of time students are on		
devices. They do not replace actual core instruction,		
nor should they be used as a toy.		
Smartwatches		
- Students will receive a warning if used during the		
school day. After the first warning to the student and		
their parent, contact Admin Team.		
Old Business		
• MTAC (Moved to March)		
• Teacher's Only Spirit Week (Week of Fun Run)		
March 10 th - Dress like the students Day.	B.1.05	
March 11 th - Salad Dressing Day.		
March 12 th - Favorite Holiday Day.		
March 13 th - Grade Level choice Day.		
March 14 th - Anything but a Cup Day.		

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Set Agenda for Next Meeting	
- MTAC	
- FAM-S	
- Finish Data Conversation	
- EC Report Cards	
Adjournment	
Tricia Archer Moved to adjourn the meeting. Susan McCormick seconded the motion.	
All approved. Meeting Adjourned.	