



2009-2010 Local School Plan For Improvement

LSPI Objectives

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NORTH GWINNETT MIDDLE

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Accountability and flexibility are hallmarks of Gwinnett County Public Schools' success. Key to that success is ensuring that each school community understands the progress being made by its schools, as well as what plans will drive improvement. Each school creates a collaborative Local School Plan for Improvement (LSPI), with targeted goals based on student achievement results. These goals are dynamic, like our schools, and are updated to reflect changes that occur in schools. Data is used to determine areas needing improvement and to identify specific, measurable, annual objectives. Schools then determine how to use research-based strategies to achieve these goals, using flexibility as needed. The LSPI development process involves teachers, parents, and community members, so the entire school community has the opportunity to be involved in conversations about school improvement. Please contact the principal to see the detailed implementation plan designed to achieve the following objectives.

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Objective: North Gwinnett Middle school will increase academic performance in literacy in all subgroups by increasing the percentage of students who reach the exceeds level of performance on the Grade 8 Writing Assessment through using research based teaching strategies, analyzing benchmark data, use of instructional coaches, providing opportunities for enrichments in language arts and reading during Bulldog Pride time, collaborating with North Gwinnett High School to develop a vertical cluster alignment of the writing standards, and analyzing research studies on how writing can increase achievement in all academic areas.

Objective: North Gwinnett Middle school will increase academic performance in math in all subgroups by increasing the percentage of students who reach the exceeds level of performance on the CRCT through using research based teaching strategies, analyzing benchmark data, creation of assessment blueprints, use of instructional coaches, providing opportunities for enrichment in math through Bulldog Pride time and a math enrichment connection class.

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Objective: North Gwinnett Middle school will increase academic performance in science in all subgroups by increasing the percentage of students who reach the exceeds level of performance on the CRCT through using research based teaching strategies, analyzing benchmark data, use of instructional coaches, providing opportunities for enrichment in science through Bulldog Pride time, collaborating with North Gwinnett High school to provide acceleration in Biology and vertical alignment of the science standards in grades 6 - 12.