

Comprehensive Needs Assessment 2024 - 2025 School Report



Fayette County
Fayette County High School

1. PLANNING AND PREPARATION

1.1 Identification of Team

The comprehensive needs assessment team consists of people who are responsible for working collaboratively throughout the needs assessment process. Ideal team members possess knowledge of programs, the capacity to plan and implement the needs assessment, and the ability to ensure stakeholder involvement. A required team member's name may be duplicated when multiple roles are performed by the same person. Documentation of team member involvement must be maintained by the LEA. Watch the <u>Planning and Preparation webinar</u> for additional information and guidance.

Leadership Team

	Position/Role	Name
Team Member # 1	Principal	Yolanda Briggs Johnson
Team Member # 2	Assistant Principal	Hope Wilkins
Team Member # 3	Assistant Principal	Chris Key
Team Member # 4	Assistant Principal	Ashley Lott
Team Member # 5	Assistant Principal	Reco Webb
Team Member # 6	Teacher	Chasity Manning
Team Member # 7	Teacher	Suzette Weinhardt

Additional Leadership Team

	Position/Role	Name
Team Member # 1	Teacher	Kristen Rabun
Team Member # 2	School Counselor	Jen Travis
Team Member # 3	Teacher	Ayesha Denny
Team Member # 4	Teacher	Iris Harris
Team Member # 5	Media Specialist	Rochelle Jacobs
Team Member # 6	Teacher	Andre' Flynn
Team Member # 7	Teacher	Jenny Ross
Team Member # 8	Teacher	Helen Moncrief
Team Member # 9	Teacher	La Porsha Allen
Team Member # 10	Teacher	Janeria Rowells

1. PLANNING AND PREPARATION

1.2 Identification of Stakeholders

Stakeholders are those individuals with valuable experiences and perspective who will provide the team with important input, feedback, and guidance. Required stakeholders must be engaged in the process to meet the requirements of participating federal programs. Documentation of stakeholder involvement must be maintained by the LEA. Watch the <u>Planning and Preparation webinar</u> for additional information and guidance.

Stakeholders

	Position/Role	Name
Stakeholder # 1	Parent	Gail Bohles
Stakeholder # 2	Parent	Andrea Foster
Stakeholder # 3	Parent	Lydia Powell
Stakeholder # 4	Teacher	TBD
Stakeholder # 5	MTSS Intervention Specialist	Janerria Rowells
Stakeholder # 6	School Counselor	Wendy Ricker
Stakeholder # 7	Student	TBD
Stakeholder # 8	Assistant Principal	Reco Webb

How will the team ensure that stakeholders, and in particular parents and/or guardians, were able to provide meaningful input into the needs assessment process?

Fayette County High School's Leadership, MTSS, and Subject Area Learning Teams (SALT-bi-semester) will meet monthly to address the ongoing needs and progress of the continuous school improvement plan. We will look at data that assist with discussion and final decisions on goals for student engagement and the operations of the school. Along with perception survey's that include but not limited to all stakeholders. Additionally, faculty meetings, Tiger Talk messages (via IC Blast / Parent Square will be sent weekly) to teachers, parents, students; FCHS School Counselor, ESOL, and MTSS newsletters, along with bi-semester School Council meetings will be held to review and address data/ programming/ initiatives at FCHS. Additionally, FCHS has two Councils, Principal's School Council and School Counselor's Council. FCHS PTSO also meets once a month to address concerns, ideas, suggestions.

2. DATA COLLECTION ANALYSIS

2.1 Coherent Instructional System

Analyze the LEA's data (including sections 2.6) and answer the guiding questions to determine existing trends and patterns that support the identification of instructional needs. Complete a data-informed self-rating for each Georgia School Performance Standard (GSPS). See the Coherent Instructional System webinar for additional information and guidance.

Curriculum Standard 1 -Uses systematic, collaborative planning processes so that teachers share an understanding of expectations for standards, curriculum, assessment, and instruction		
1. Exemplary	A systematic, collaborative process is used proactively for curriculum planning.	
	Nearly all teachers or groups of teachers, support staff, and leaders within the school have common expectations for standards, curriculum, assessment, and instruction.	
2. Operational	A systematic, collaborative process is used regularly for curriculum planning. Most teachers or groups of teachers within the school have common expectations for standards, curriculum, assessment, and instruction.	√
3. Emerging	A collaborative process is used occasionally for curriculum planning. Some teachers or groups of teachers within the school have common expectations for standards, curriculum, assessment, and instruction.	
4. Not Evident	A collaborative process is rarely, if ever, used for curriculum planning. Few, if any, teachers or groups of teachers within the school have common expectations for standards, curriculum, assessment, and instruction.	

Curriculum Standard 2 -Designs curriculum documents and aligns resources with the intended rigor of the required standards		
1. Exemplary	Curriculum documents (e.g., lesson plans, unit plans, performance tasks, curriculum maps, scope, and sequence documents, guides) that are aligned with the intended rigor of the required standards are the products of a systematic, collaborative process. These curriculum documents and resources are used and continuously revised by teachers and support staff to ensure an alignment with the intended, taught, and tested standards.	
2. Operational	Curriculum documents (e.g., lesson plans, unit plans, performance tasks, curriculum maps, scope and sequence documents, guides) have been designed, and resources are aligned with the intended rigor of the required standards. These curriculum documents and resources guide the work of teachers and instructional support staff.	√
3. Emerging	Curriculum documents and resources exist, but they are not complete in all content areas or grade levels or lack the intended rigor of the required standards.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, curriculum documents and resources exist to support the implementation of the intended rigor of the required standards.	

Instruction Standard 1	-Provides a supportive and well -managed environment conducive to learning	
1. Exemplary	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident throughout the school.	
	Students consistently stay on-task and take responsibility for their own actions.	
2. Operational	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident in most classrooms.	✓
3. Emerging	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident in some classrooms.	
4. Not Evident	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident in few, if any, classrooms.	

Instruction Standard 2	-Creates an academically challenging learning environment	
1. Exemplary	Nearly all teachers create an academically challenging, learning environment (e.g., higher-order thinking skills and processes, active student engagement, relevance, collaboration). Students consistently work independently and in teams to solve real-world problems that require advanced effort, decision-making, and critical and creative thinking.	
2. Operational	Most teachers create an academically challenging, learning environment (e.g., higher-order thinking skills and processes, active student engagement, relevance, collaboration).	√
3. Emerging	Some teachers create an academically challenging learning environment.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, teachers create an academically challenging learning environment.	

Instruction Standard 3 -Establishes and communicates clear learning targets and success criteria align curriculum standards		ed to
1. Exemplary	Nearly all teachers establish and communicate clear learning targets and success criteria aligned to the required curriculum standards. Learning targets are evident throughout the lesson and in student work. Articulation of the learning targets is consistent and pervasive among like content areas and grade levels.	
2. Operational	Most teachers establish and communicate clear learning targets and success criteria aligned to the required curriculum standards. Learning targets are evident throughout the lesson and in student work.	
3. Emerging	Some teachers establish and communicate clear learning targets and success criteria aligned to the required curriculum standards.	✓
4. Not Evident	Few, if any teachers establish clear learning targets and success criteria aligned to the required curriculum standards.	_

Instruction Standard 4 -Uses research based instructional practices that positively impact student learning		
1. Exemplary	Nearly all teachers pervasively demonstrate a repertoire of highly effective, research-based instructional practices that positively impact student learning (e.g., providing feedback, cooperative learning, advance organizers, questioning techniques, similarities and differences, reinforcing effort, goal setting, summarizers, graphic representations, reciprocal teaching).	
2. Operational	Most teachers demonstrate a repertoire of effective, research-based instructional practices that positively impact student learning (e.g., providing feedback, cooperative learning, advance organizers, questioning techniques, similarities and differences, reinforcing effort, goal setting, summarizers, graphic representations, reciprocal teaching).	√
3. Emerging	Some teachers demonstrate a repertoire of effective, research-based instructional practices that positively impact student learning.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, teachers demonstrate a repertoire of effective, research-based instructional practices that positively impact student learning.	

Instruction Standard 5	-Differentiates instruction to meet specific learning needs of students	
1. Exemplary	Nearly all teachers differentiate instruction (e.g., using flexible grouping, making adjustments, providing choices based upon readiness levels, interests, or needs) to meet the specific learning needs of students.	
	Nearly all teachers plan and implement multiple means of representation, engagement, action, and expression to meet the learning needs of students (UDL).	
	Remediation, enrichment, and acceleration are pervasive practices.	
2. Operational	Most teachers differentiate instruction (e.g., using flexible grouping, making adjustments, providing choices based upon readiness levels, interests, or needs) to meet the specific learning needs of students.	
	Most teachers plan and implement multiple means of representation, engagement, action, and expression to meet the learning needs of students (UDL).	
3. Emerging	Some teachers differentiate instruction to meet the specific learning needs of students.	√
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, teachers differentiate instruction to meet the specific learning needs of students.	

Instruction Standard 6	-Uses appropriate, current technology to enhance learning	
1. Exemplary	The use by staff members and students of appropriate, current technology to enhance learning is an institutional practice (e.g., facilitate communication, collaboration, research, design, creativity, problem-solving).	
2. Operational	Most staff members and students use appropriate, current technology to enhance learning (e.g., facilitate communication, collaboration, research, design, creativity, problem-solving).	√
3. Emerging	Some staff members, students, or both use appropriate, current technology to enhance learning.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, teachers demonstrate a repertoire of effective, research-based instructional practices that positively impact student learning.	

Instruction Standard 7	-Provides feedback to students on their performance on the standards or learning	ng targets
1. Exemplary	Nearly all teachers use the language of the standards or learning targets to provide students with specific, timely, descriptive feedback on their performance.	
	Nearly all teachers systematically elicit diagnostic information from individual students regarding their understanding of the standards or learning targets.	
2. Operational	Most teachers use the language of the standards or learning targets to provide students with specific, timely, descriptive feedback on their performance.	
3. Emerging	Some teachers use the language of the standards or learning targets to provide students with specific, descriptive feedback on their performance.	✓
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, teachers use the language of the standards or learning targets to provide students with feedback on their performance, or the feedback that is provided is not specific, timely, or understandable.	_

Instruction Standard 8 -Establishes a learning environment that empowers students to actively monitor t progress		their own
1. Exemplary	Nearly all students use tools (e.g., rubrics, checklists, exemplars) to actively monitor their own progress. Nearly all students develop a sense of personal responsibility and accountability by engaging in record keeping, self-monitoring, sharing, exhibiting, and self-reflection.	
2. Operational	Most students use tools (e.g., rubrics, checklists, exemplars) to actively monitor their own progress.	✓
3. Emerging	Some students use tools to actively monitor their own progress.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, students use tools to actively monitor their own progress.	

Instruction Standard 9 -Provides timely, systematic, data -driven interventions		
1. Exemplary	Nearly all students are provided timely, systematic, data-driven interventions to support their learning needs. Interventions are designed to meet the needs of each student. The effectiveness of those interventions is consistently monitored and	
	adjustments are made.	
2. Operational	Most students are provided timely, systematic, data-driven interventions to support their learning needs.	✓
3. Emerging	Some students are provided extra assistance or needed support in a timely manner.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, students are provided extra assistance or effective support in a timely manner.	

Assessment Standard 1 -Aligns assessments with the required curriculum standards		
1. Exemplary	Nearly all assessments are aligned with the required curriculum standards.	
	Assessments are reviewed during the school year to ensure alignment.	
2. Operational	Most assessments are aligned with the required curriculum standards.	✓
3. Emerging	Some assessments are aligned with the required curriculum standards.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, assessments are aligned with the required curriculum standards.	

Assessment Standard 3 -Uses common assessments aligned with the required standards to monitor stuprogress, inform instruction, and improve teacher practices		tudent
1. Exemplary	Teachers consistently use common assessments aligned with the required standards in nearly all content areas, grade levels, or both for diagnostic, summative, and formative purposes.	
	The data from the common assessments are analyzed down to the item level, and the results are used to inform instruction and improve teacher practices.	
2. Operational	Teachers use common assessments aligned with the required standards in most content areas to monitor student progress, inform instruction, and improve teacher practices.	√
3. Emerging	Teachers use some common assessments aligned with the required standards in a few content areas with a limited amount of data analysis to monitor student progress, inform instruction, or improve teacher practices.	
4. Not Evident	Teachers use few, if any, common assessments to monitor student progress, inform instruction, or improve teacher practices.	

Assessment Standard	Assessment Standard 4 -Implements a process to collaboratively analyze assessment results to adjust instruction	
1. Exemplary	Teachers extensively use a systematic, collaborative process to analyze assessment results. Instruction is consistently adjusted based on the analysis of assessment results across all content areas, grade levels, or both.	
2. Operational	Teachers regularly use a collaborative process to analyze assessment results. Instruction is routinely adjusted based on the analysis of assessment results.	✓
3. Emerging	Teachers occasionally use a collaborative process to analyze assessment results. Instruction is sometimes adjusted based on the analysis of assessment results.	
4. Not Evident	A collaborative process to analyze assessment results does not exist. Instruction is rarely, if ever, adjusted based on the analysis of assessment results.	

Assessment Standard 5 -Implements grading practices that provide an accurate indication of student progress on the required standards		
1. Exemplary	The grading practices used by teachers across nearly all content areas, grade levels, or both, consistently provide an accurate indication of student progress on the required standards.	
2. Operational	The grading practices used by teachers in most content areas, grade levels, or both provide an accurate indication of student progress on the required standards.	√
3. Emerging	The grading practices used by teachers in some content areas, grade levels, or both provide an accurate indication of student progress on the required standards.	
4. Not Evident	The grading practices used by teachers rarely, if ever, provide an accurate indication of student progress on the required standards.	

2. DATA COLLECTION ANALYSIS

2.2 Effective Leadership

Analyze the LEA's data (including sections 2.6) and answer the guiding questions to determine existing trends and patterns that support the identification of leadership needs. Complete a data-informed self-rating for each Georgia School Performance Standard (GSPS). See the <u>Effective Leadership webinar</u> for additional information and guidance.

Leadership Standard 1	-Builds and sustains relationships to foster the success of students and staff	
1. Exemplary	Administrators consistently build and sustain relationships to foster the success of students and staff. The school staff is fully engaged in relationship building through collaboration,	
	internal and external communication, and building trust with staff, students, families, and community stakeholders.	
2. Operational	Administrators regularly build and sustain relationships to foster the success of students and staff.	√
3. Emerging	Administrators sometimes build relationships to foster the success of students and staff.	
4. Not Evident	Administrators seldom, if ever, build relationships to foster the success of students and staff.	_

Leadership Standard 2	-Initiates and manages change to improve staff performance and student learn	ing
1. Exemplary	Administrators, the school leadership team, and other teacher leaders initiate and sustain change to improve staff performance and student learning.	
	Administrators, the school leadership team, and other teacher leaders create a sense of urgency for change and effectively communicate a common vision.	
2. Operational	Administrators and the school leadership team initiate and sustain change to improve staff performance and student learning.	√
	The principal provides an appropriate balance of pressure and support to manage the change process for desired results.	
3. Emerging	Administrators initiate change to improve staff performance and student learning but do not sustain the change, remove barriers, or both.	
4. Not Evident	Administrators initiate few, if any, changes that impact staff performance and student learning.	

Leadership Standard 3 -Uses systems to ensure effective implementation of curriculum, assessment, ins and professional learning practices		nstruction,
1. Exemplary	The principal and other school leaders continually use systems to ensure effective implementation of curriculum, assessment, instruction, and professional learning practices. The principal and other school leaders have a comprehensive knowledge and understanding of the best practices for curriculum, assessment, instruction,	
	and professional learning.	
2. Operational	The principal and other school leaders often use systems to ensure effective implementation of curriculum, assessment, instruction, and professional learning practices.	✓
3. Emerging	The principal and other school leaders occasionally use systems to ensure effective implementation of curriculum, assessment, instruction, and professional learning practices.	
4. Not Evident	The principal and other school leaders rarely, if ever, use systems to ensure effective implementation of curriculum, assessment, instruction, and professional learning practices.	

Leadership Standard 4 -Uses processes to systematically analyze data to improve student achievement		
1. Exemplary	Extensive, comprehensive processes, including root cause analysis, are used consistently to analyze data (e.g., multiple sources of data: classroom, grade level, departmental, and subgroup, perception data) to improve student achievement.	
2. Operational	Numerous processes are used frequently to analyze data (e.g., multiple sources of data: classroom, grade level, departmental, and subgroup, perception data) to improve student achievement.	√
3. Emerging	Some processes are in place and used occasionally to analyze data to improve student achievement.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, processes are in place to analyze data to improve student achievement.	

Leadership Standard 5 -Builds leadership capacity through shared decision-making and problem-solving		ng
1. Exemplary	Extensive structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making and problem-solving and to build their leadership capacities. Administrators collaborate consistently with staff members to gather input.	
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2. Operational	Numerous structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making and problem-solving and to build their leadership capacities.	
3. Emerging	Some structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making, problem-solving, or both.	√
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making or problem-solving.	

Leadership Standard 6 learning	-Establishes and supports a data-driven school leadership team that is focused	l on student
1. Exemplary	A highly effective, proactive, and data-driven school leadership team is focused on student learning. The leadership team addresses nearly all areas of student and staff learning and school leadership, including the development, implementation, and regular monitoring of the school improvement plan.	
2. Operational	A data-driven school leadership team is established with stakeholder representation (e.g., core and non-core teachers, certified support staff) and is focused on student learning. The school leadership team meets regularly and uses norms and protocols to work effectively and efficiently.	√
3. Emerging	The school leadership team is established and has some stakeholder representation but is focused chiefly on school operations rather than student learning.	
4. Not Evident	A school leadership team does not exist or does not have adequate stakeholder representation.	

Leadership Standard 7 -Monitors and evaluates the performance of teachers and other staff using multiple data sources		
1. Exemplary	Monitoring the performance of teachers and other staff through observations, surveys, data, and documentation is consistent and comprehensive, resulting in highly accurate performance evaluations.	
	A comprehensive system is in place to provide teachers and staff with ongoing, accurate, timely, detailed, descriptive feedback related to their performance.	
	Administrators use the evaluation process to identify role models, teacher leaders, or both.	
2. Operational	Monitoring the performance of teachers and other staff regularly occurs using data or documentation, generally resulting in accurate performance evaluations.	✓
	Teachers and staff receive accurate, timely, descriptive feedback related to their performance.	
3. Emerging	Monitoring the performance of teachers and other staff is inconsistent, incomplete, or lacks data or documentation, sometimes resulting in inaccurate performance evaluations.	
	Teachers and staff receive some descriptive feedback related to their performance.	
4. Not Evident	Monitoring the performance of teachers and other staff rarely occurs or often results in inaccurate performance evaluations.	
	Teachers and staff receive little or no descriptive feedback related to their performance.	

Leadership Standard 8 -Provides ongoing support to teachers and other staff		
1. Exemplary	A comprehensive support system that is timely and targeted to individual	
	needs is provided to teachers and other staff.	
2. Operational	Most support provided to teachers and other staff is targeted to individual	✓
	needs.	
3. Emerging	Some support provided to teachers and staff is targeted to individual needs.	
4. Not Evident	Support to teachers and staff does not exist or is not targeted to individual	
	needs.	

Planning and Organization Standard 1 -Shares a common vision and mission that define the school culture and guide the continuous improvement process		
1. Exemplary	A common vision and mission have been collaboratively developed and communicated to nearly all stakeholders.	√
	The culture of the school has been deeply defined over time by the vision and mission, which are updated as needed.	
	The daily work and practices of staff consistently demonstrate a sustained commitment to continuous improvement.	
2. Operational	A common vision and mission have been developed through a collaborative process and communicated to most stakeholders.	
	The vision and mission define the culture of the school and guide the continuous improvement process.	
3. Emerging	A common vision and mission have been developed by some staff members but have not been effectively communicated so that they guide the continuous improvement process.	_
4. Not Evident	A common vision and mission have not been developed or updated or have been developed by a few staff members.	

Planning and Organization Standard 2 -Uses a data-driven and consensus-oriented process to develop implement a school improvement plan that is focused on student performance		
1. Exemplary	A school improvement plan has been developed using a data-driven and consensus-oriented process with input from nearly all stakeholders.	
	The plan includes appropriate goals and strategies with a strong focus on increasing student performance.	
	This process and plan consistently guide the work of the school staff.	
2. Operational	A school improvement plan has been developed using a data-driven and consensus-oriented process with input from most plan stakeholders. The plan includes appropriate goals and strategies with a focus on increasing student performance.	~
3. Emerging	A school improvement plan has been developed with input from some stakeholders. The school improvement plan is based on incomplete data analysis with limited focus on student performance.	
4. Not Evident	An up-to-date, data-driven school improvement plan focused on student performance is not in place.	

Planning and Organization Standard 3 -Monitors implementation of the school improvement plan and makes adjustments as needed		
1. Exemplary	The goals and strategies of the school improvement plan are continually monitored by administrators, the school leadership team, and teacher leaders to evaluate the impact on student performance.	
	Ongoing adjustments are made based on various performance, process, and perception data.	
2. Operational	he goals and strategies of the school improvement plan are regularly monitored by administrators and the school leadership team to evaluate the impact on student performance.	✓
	Adjustments are made to the plan, as needed, based on the analysis of data.	
3. Emerging	The goals and strategies of the school improvement plan are occasionally monitored by administrators.	
4. Not Evident	The goals and strategies of the school improvement plan are rarely, if ever, monitored.	

Planning and Organization Standard 4 -Monitors the use of available resources to support continuous improvement		
1. Exemplary	The use of available resources (e.g., personnel, time, facilities, equipment, materials) to support continuous improvement is consistently monitored. School schedules and processes are designed to make effective use of personnel, time, materials, and equipment.	
2. Operational	The use of available resources (e.g., personnel, time, facilities, equipment, materials) to support continuous improvement is frequently monitored.	✓
3. Emerging	The use of available resources to support continuous improvement is inconsistently monitored.	
4. Not Evident	The use of available resources to support continuous improvement is rarely, if ever, monitored.	

Planning and Organization Standard 5 -Develops, communicates, and implements rules, policies, schedules, a procedures to maximize student learning and staff effectiveness		
1. Exemplary	Rules, policies, schedules, and procedures are developed with stakeholder input, effectively communicated, and consistently implemented throughout the school to maximize student learning and staff effectiveness. These rules, policies, schedules, and procedures are consistently reviewed and revised as needed.	
2. Operational	Rules, policies, schedules, and procedures are developed, communicated, and implemented throughout the school to maximize student learning and staff effectiveness. These rules, policies, schedules, and procedures are periodically reviewed and systematically revised as needed.	√
3. Emerging	Rules, policies, schedules, and procedures are developed but are not effectively communicated or are implemented inconsistently across the school.	
4. Not Evident	Rules, policies, or procedures are not developed, are poorly communicated, or are ineffectively implemented. In some cases, rules, policies, schedules, or procedures are out of date or have become barriers to student learning or staff effectiveness.	

Planning and Organization Standard 6 -Uses protocols to maintain the school campus and equipment providing		
safe, clean, and inviting learning environment		
1. Exemplary	Protocols (e.g., safety drills, tornado drills, inclement weather plans, current crisis plan, school-wide safety plan, maintenance protocols, facility-use protocols, functional custodial schedules) are used extensively to maintain the school campus and equipment providing a safe, clean, and inviting learning environment. A proactive maintenance process is in place, and repairs are completed in a satisfactory and timely manner, when needed.	
2. Operational	Protocols (e.g., safety drills, tornado drills, inclement weather plans, current crisis plan, school-wide safety plan, maintenance protocols, facility-use protocols, functional custodial schedules) are used to maintain the school campus and equipment providing a safe, clean, and inviting learning environment. The school and campus are clean, well-maintained, inviting, and safe.	√
3. Emerging	Protocols are sometimes used to maintain the school campus and equipment. The school and campus are partially clean, maintained, and inviting, but some safety issues exist.	
4. Not Evident	Protocols do not exist or are rarely, if ever, used to maintain the school campus and equipment. The school and campus are not clean, maintained, or inviting, and safety issues exist.	

2. DATA COLLECTION ANALYSIS

2.3 Professional Capacity

Analyze the LEA's data (including sections 2.6) and answer the guiding questions to determine existing trends and patterns that support the identification of professional capacity needs. Complete a data-informed self-rating for each Georgia School Performance Standard (GSPS). See the Professional Capacity webinar for additional information and guidance.

Leadership Standard 5 -Builds leadership capacity through shared decision-making and problem-solving		
1. Exemplary	Extensive structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making and problem-solving and to build their leadership capacities.	
	Administrators collaborate consistently with staff members to gather input.	
2. Operational	Numerous structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making and problem-solving and to build their leadership capacities.	✓
3. Emerging	Some structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making, problem-solving, or both.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, structures exist for staff to engage in shared decision-making or problem-solving.	

Professional Learning Standard 1 -Aligns professional learning with needs identified through analysis of data		of a variety
1. Exemplary	Professional learning needs are identified and differentiated through a collaborative analysis process using a variety of data (e.g., student achievement data, examination of student work, process data, teacher and leader effectiveness data, action research data, perception data from students, staff, and families). Ongoing support is provided through differentiated professional learning.	
2. Operational	Professional learning needs are identified through a collaborative analysis process using a variety of data (e.g., student achievement data, examination of student work, process data, teacher and leader effectiveness data, action research data, perception data from students, staff, and families).	√
3. Emerging	Professional learning needs are identified using limited sources of data.	
4. Not Evident	Professional learning needs are identified using little or no data.	

Professional Learning Standard 2 -Establishes a culture of collaboration among administrators and staff to enhance individual and collective performance		
1. Exemplary	Administrators and staff, as a foundational practice, consistently collaborate to support leadership and personal accountability and to enhance individual and collective performance (e.g., construct knowledge, acquire skills, refine practice, provide feedback). Teachers conduct action research and assume ownership of professional learning processes.	
2. Operational	Administrators and staff routinely collaborate to improve individual and collective performance (e.g., construct knowledge, acquire skills, refine practice, provide feedback).	√
3. Emerging	Administrators and staff sometimes collaborate to improve individual and collective performance.	
4. Not Evident	Administrators and staff rarely collaborate to improve individual and collective performance.	

Professional Learning Standard 3 -Defines expectations for implementing professional learning		
1. Exemplary	Administrators, teacher leaders, or both consistently define expectations for the implementation of professional learning, including details regarding the stages of implementation and how monitoring will occur as implementation progresses.	
2. Operational	Administrators, teacher leaders, or both regularly define expectations for the implementation of professional learning.	✓
3. Emerging	Administrators, teacher leaders, or both occasionally define expectations for the implementation of professional learning.	
4. Not Evident	Administrators, teacher leaders, or both rarely, if ever, define expectations for the implementation of professional learning.	

Professional Learning Standard 4 -Uses multiple professional learning designs to support the various learneeds of the staff		
1. Exemplary	Staff members actively participate in job-embedded professional learning that engages collaborative teams in a variety of appropriate learning designs (e.g., collaborative lesson study, analysis of student work, problem solving sessions, curriculum development, coursework, action research, classroom observations, online networks). Professional learning includes extensive follow-up with descriptive feedback and coaching.	
2. Operational	Staff members actively participate in professional learning, most of which is job-embedded, which includes multiple designs (e.g., collaborative lesson study, analysis of student work, problem-solving sessions, curriculum development, coursework, action research, classroom observations, online networks) to support their various learning needs. Professional learning includes follow-up with feedback and coaching.	✓
3. Emerging	Some staff members are engaged in professional learning that makes use of more than one learning design to address their identified needs.	
4. Not Evident	Staff members receive single, stand-alone professional learning events that are informational and mostly large-group presentation designs.	

Professional Learning Standard 5 -Allocates resources and establishes systems to support and sustain effective professional learning		
1. Exemplary	Extensive resources (e.g., substitute teachers, materials, handouts, tools, stipends, facilitators, technology) and systems (e.g., conducive schedules, adequate collaborative time, model classrooms) are allocated to support and sustain effective professional learning. Opportunities to practice skills, receive follow-up, feedback, and coaching are provided to support the effectiveness of professional learning.	
2. Operational	Adequate resources (e.g., substitute teachers, materials, handouts, tools, stipends, facilitators, technology) and systems (e.g., conducive schedules, adequate collaborative time, model classrooms) are in place to support and sustain professional learning.	✓
3. Emerging	Some resources and systems are allocated to support and sustain professional learning.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, resources and systems are provided to support and sustain professional learning.	

Professional Learning Standard 6 -Monitors and evaluates the impact of professional learning on staff pand student learning		practices
1. Exemplary	Monitoring and evaluating the impact of professional learning on staff practices and increases in student learning occurs extensively.	
	Evaluation results are used to identify and implement processes to extend student learning.	
2. Operational	Monitoring and evaluating the impact of professional learning on staff practices and student learning occurs routinely.	✓
3. Emerging	Monitoring and evaluating the impact of professional learning on staff practices occurs sporadically.	
4. Not Evident	Monitoring and evaluating the impact of professional learning on staff practices occurs rarely, if ever.	

2. DATA COLLECTION ANALYSIS

2.4 Family and Community Engagement

Analyze the LEA's data (including sections 2.6) and answer the guiding questions to determine existing trends and patterns that support the identification of needs related to family and community engagement. Complete a data-informed self-rating for each Georgia School Performance Standard (GSPS). See the Family and Community Engagement webinar for additional information and guidance. Visit Georgia's Family Connection Partnership's KIDS COUNT for additional data.

Family and Community Engagement Standard 1 -Creates an environment that welcomes, encourages, and connects family and community members to the school		
1. Exemplary	The school has a well-established, inviting learning environment that welcomes, encourages, and connects family and community members to the school.	
	Numerous opportunities are given to family members to become actively engaged in school-related events and improvement efforts as participants, event managers, and workers.	
2. Operational	The school has created an environment that welcomes, encourages, and connects family and community members to the school.	√
3. Emerging	The school has made some progress toward creating an environment that welcomes, encourages, and connects family and community members to the school.	
4. Not Evident	The school has not created an environment that welcomes, encourages, or connects family and community members to the school.	

Family and Community Engagement Standard 2 -Establishes structures that promote clear and open communication between the school and stakeholders		
1. Exemplary	Extensive structures that promote clear and open communication between the school and stakeholders have been effectively established and implemented. Structures are continuously monitored for reliable and interactive communication.	
2. Operational	Most structures that promote clear and open communication between the school and stakeholders have been effectively established and implemented.	✓
3. Emerging	Some structures that promote clear and open communication between the school and stakeholders exist.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, structures that promote clear and open communication between the school and stakeholders exist.	

	Family and Community Engagement Standard 3 -Establishes relationships and decision-making processes that build capacity for family and community engagement in the success of students		
1. Exemplary	A wide variety of relationships and collaborative decision-making processes (e.g., business partnerships, school councils, parent or family organizations, academic and extra-curricular booster clubs, civic organizations, tutoring services, post-secondary partnerships) are pervasive in promoting student success and well being. Expectations for family and community engagement are embedded in the culture and result in stakeholders being actively involved in decision-making.		
2. Operational	Numerous relationships and decision-making processes (e.g., business partnerships, school councils, parent or family organizations, academic and extra-curricular booster clubs, civic organizations, tutoring services) effectively build capacity for family and community engagement in the success of students.	√	
3. Emerging	Limited relationships and decision-making processes have been initiated by the school to build capacity for family and community engagement.		
4. Not Evident	Relationships and decision-making processes for families and the community are non-existent, or those that do exist contribute minimally to student success.		

Family and Community Engagement Standard 4 -Communicates academic expectations and current student		
achievement status to families		
1. Exemplary	The school staff provides families with ongoing, detailed academic expectations and/or graduation status (e.g., four-year graduation plans, syllabi, academic advisement protocols).	
	Extensive communication related to the current achievement level of individual students is provided (e.g., progress reports, student-led parent conferences, report cards, reading level reports, state test reports, school-based assessment reports, online reporting system).	
2. Operational	The school staff communicates academic expectations and/or graduation status (e.g., four-year graduation plans, syllabi, academic advisement protocols) throughout the year.	√
	Regular communication related to the current achievement level of individual students is provided (e.g., progress reports, parent conferences, report cards, reading level reports, state test reports, school-based assessment reports, online reporting system).	
3. Emerging	The school staff communicates some academic expectations at the start of the year.	
	Some communication related to the current achievement level of individual students is provided.	
4. Not Evident	The school staff does little to inform families of academic expectations.	
	Little, if any, communication related to the current achievement level of individual students is provided.	

Family and Community Engagement Standard 5 -Develops the capacity of families to use support strategies at home that will enhance academic achievement		
1. Exemplary	The school continually develops the capacity (e.g., parent training, lunch and learn, make-it and take-it) of families to use support strategies at home that will enhance academic achievement.	
2. Operational	The school frequently develops the capacity (e.g., parent training, lunch and learn, make-it and take-it) of families to use support strategies at home that will enhance academic achievement.	
3. Emerging	The school occasionally develops the capacity of families to use support strategies at home that will enhance academic achievement.	√
4. Not Evident	The school seldom, if ever, develops the capacity of families to use support strategies at home that will enhance academic achievement.	

Family and Community Engagement Standard 6 -Connects families with agencies and resources in the community to meet the needs of students		
1. Exemplary	The school has a systematic process in place to connect families with an array of agencies and resources (e.g., Y-Clubs, after-school programs, health and counseling services, community service agencies, civic organizations, tutoring services) to meet the needs of students.	
2. Operational	The school regularly connects families to agencies and resources in the community (e.g., Y-Clubs, after-school programs, health and counseling services, community service agencies, civic organizations, tutoring services) to meet the needs of students.	✓
3. Emerging	The school sometimes connects families to agencies and resources in the community to meet the needs of students.	
4. Not Evident	The school does little to connect families with agencies and resources in the community to meet the needs of students.	

2. DATA COLLECTION ANALYSIS

2.5 Supportive Learning Environment

Analyze the LEA's data (including sections 2.6) and answer the guiding questions to determine existing trends and patterns that support the identification of needs related to a supportive learning environment. Complete a data-informed self-rating for each Georgia School Performance Standard (GSPS). Student subgroups with a count of less than 15 are denoted by "TFS" (too few students). See the Supportive Learning Environment webinar for additional information and guidance.

Instruction Standard 1 -Provides a supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning		
1. Exemplary	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident throughout the school.	
	Students consistently stay on-task and take responsibility for their own actions.	
2. Operational	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident in most classrooms.	✓
3. Emerging	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident in some classrooms.	
4. Not Evident	A supportive and well-managed environment conducive to learning is evident in few, if any, classrooms.	

Instruction Standard 2	-Creates an academically challenging learning environment	
1. Exemplary	Nearly all teachers create an academically challenging, learning environment (e.g., higher-order thinking skills and processes, active student engagement, relevance, collaboration). Students consistently work independently and in teams to solve real-world problems that require advanced effort, decision-making, and critical and creative thinking.	
2. Operational	Most teachers create an academically challenging, learning environment (e.g., higher-order thinking skills and processes, active student engagement, relevance, collaboration).	√
3. Emerging	Some teachers create an academically challenging learning environment.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, teachers create an academically challenging learning environment.	

Instruction Standard 8 -Establishes a learning environment that empowers students to actively monitor progress		their own
1. Exemplary	Nearly all students use tools (e.g., rubrics, checklists, exemplars) to actively monitor their own progress. Nearly all students develop a sense of personal responsibility and accountability by engaging in record keeping, self-monitoring, sharing, exhibiting, and self-reflection.	
2. Operational	Most students use tools (e.g., rubrics, checklists, exemplars) to actively monitor their own progress.	✓
3. Emerging	Some students use tools to actively monitor their own progress.	
4. Not Evident	Few, if any, students use tools to actively monitor their own progress.	

School Culture Standard 1 -Develops, communicates, and implements rules, practices, and procedures to maintain a safe, orderly learning environment		
1. Exemplary	Rules, practices, and procedures that maintain a safe, orderly learning environment are proactively developed, communicated, and consistently implemented across the school. These rules, practices, and procedures are continually monitored and revised as needed.	
2. Operational	Rules, practices, and procedures that maintain a safe, orderly learning environment are developed, communicated, and implemented.	✓
3. Emerging	Rules, practices, and procedures are developed and communicated but are ineffective or inconsistently implemented across the school.	
4. Not Evident	Rules, practices, and procedures that maintain a safe, orderly, learning environment are not developed nor updated or are poorly communicated.	

School Culture Standard 2 -Establishes a culture of trust and respect that promotes positive interactions and a sense of community		ns and a
1. Exemplary	Extensive evidence (e.g., positive and respectful interactions, appreciation of diversity, tolerance, understanding) exists that a culture of trust and respect has been established. A pervasive commitment to promoting positive interactions and a sense of community is evident.	
2. Operational	Evidence (e.g., positive and respectful interactions, appreciation of diversity, tolerance, understanding) exists that a culture of trust and respect has been established. A sustained commitment to promoting positive interactions and a sense of community is evident.	√
3. Emerging	Some evidence exists that a culture of trust and respect has been established. A limited commitment to promoting positive interactions and a sense of community is evident.	
4. Not Evident	Little or no evidence exists that a culture of trust and respect has been established. Unresolved conflicts interfere with a sense of community.	

School Culture Standard 3 -Establishes a culture that supports the college and career readiness of students		
1. Exemplary	Extensive evidence (e.g., advisement, career counseling, transition coaching, high expectations) exists that the beliefs and practices of the school support the college and career readiness of students. The school culture supports addressing individual achievement needs and	
	strengths to prepare students for success.	
2. Operational	Evidence (e.g., advisement, career counseling, transition coaching, high expectations) exists that the beliefs and practices of the school support the college and career readiness of students.	√
3. Emerging	Some evidence exists that the school supports the college and career readiness of students.	
4. Not Evident	Little or no evidence exists that the school supports the college and career readiness of students.	

School Culture Standard 4 -Supports the personal growth and development of students		
1. Exemplary	The school staff consistently provides a comprehensive system of support (e.g., counseling, mentoring, advisement, coaching, goal setting, time management, problem solving) to maximize the personal growth and development of nearly all students.	
2. Operational	The school staff regularly provides support (e.g., counseling, mentoring, advisement, coaching, goal setting, time management, problem solving) to enhance the personal growth and development of students.	√
3. Emerging	The school staff sporadically supports the personal growth and development of students.	
4. Not Evident	The school staff does little to support the personal growth and development of students.	

School Culture Standard 5 -Recognizes and celebrates achievements and accomplishments of students and staff		
1. Exemplary	The school community consistently recognizes and celebrates the achievements and accomplishments of students and staff.	
	The celebrations are publicized within the school and to the community and support the culture of the school.	
2. Operational	The school community regularly recognizes and celebrates the achievements and accomplishments of students and staff.	✓
3. Emerging	The school community periodically recognizes or celebrates the achievements or accomplishments of students and/or staff.	
4. Not Evident	The school community rarely, if ever, recognizes or celebrates the achievements or accomplishments of students or staff.	

Planning and Organization Standard 1 -Shares a common vision and mission that define the school culture and guide the continuous improvement process		
1. Exemplary	A common vision and mission have been collaboratively developed and communicated to nearly all stakeholders.	
	The culture of the school has been deeply defined over time by the vision and mission, which are updated as needed.	
	The daily work and practices of staff consistently demonstrate a sustained commitment to continuous improvement.	
2. Operational	A common vision and mission have been developed through a collaborative process and communicated to most stakeholders.	√
	The vision and mission define the culture of the school and guide the continuous improvement process.	
3. Emerging	A common vision and mission have been developed by some staff members but have not been effectively communicated so that they guide the continuous improvement process.	_
4. Not Evident	A common vision and mission have not been developed or updated or have been developed by a few staff members.	

2. DATA COLLECTION ANALYSIS

2.6 Data Analysis Questions

Analyze the LEA's data and answer the guiding questions to determine existing trends and patterns that support the identification of demographic and financial needs. Student subgroups with a count of less than 15 are denoted by "TFS" (too few students).

What perception data did you use? [examples: student perceptions about school climate issues (health survey, violence, prejudice, bullying, etc.); student/parent perceptions about the effectiveness of programs or interventions; student understanding of relationship of school to career or has an academic plan]

Fayette County High School uses the GA school climate survey, Terrific Tiger Educator Retention Chats, End of Year Teacher Survey, Student Survey, Leadership/PTSO/School Council meetings, in addition to student surveys, FCHS has Senior Survey (FCBOE district office) and the School Counselors create a needs assessment for all students at FCHS.

What does the perception data tell you? (perception data can describe people's knowledge, attitudes, beliefs, perceptions, competencies; perception data can also answer the question "What do people think they know, believe, or can do?")

75% of students, completed the Student Wellness Survey for the 2023-24 SY regarding the climate perception and culture of FCHS. Additionally, FCHS has a 5 star climate rating on the school's CCRPI. Students have shared concerns on the GA Health Survey regarding mental health and wellness, specifically with relationships, school work, self-awareness, and home environment. The school continues to pursue avenues for students to share and discuss their well being with school counselors and trusted faculty within the building. The school also used data from Infinite Campus (Spotlight/ MARS/Custom Data Visualization) and other data points, such as Ga DOE to determine trustworthiness, relationships, and perceptions and interactions between peers and faculty and staff that are healthy and supportive.

What process data did you use? (examples: student participation in school activities, sports, clubs, arts; student participation in special programs such as peer mediation, counseling, skills conferences; parent/student participation in events such as college information meetings and parent workshops)

Fayette County High School used the following information: TKES/LKES, IC data source points, IC behavior reports, Spotlight IC, Custom Visualization, MARS Spotlight, IC, FCHS Safety Plan, FCBOE District Safety Plan, Professional Learning sessions, Master Schedule, MS, Graduation Coach, Teacher and Peer mentors.

What does the process data tell you? (process data describes the way programs are conducted; provides evidence of participant involvement in programs; answers the question "What did you do for whom?")

The process describes the areas of growth that should be developed and supported to meet the needs of all stakeholders at FCHS, both academically and with overall well being. TKES/LKES assist with determining what professional learning and development should be in place. IC behavior reports also share areas in which students may suffer from mental/emotions challenges that are and will continue to negatively impact their learning in the school. Additional data processes, such as, our safety plan should create assurance that

	students are able to thrive in a safe environment. Our MTSS processes should identify students who may have academic, social/emotional factors that impede their learning, and our School Counselors, Graduation Coach along with Teacher and Peer mentors should yield strategies and interventions to create an atmosphere where students are engaged in their learning while being socially and emotionally healthy.
What achievement data did you use?	Fayette County High School's achievement data was derived from District Benchmarks, End of Course assessments, (local) common assessments, Advanced Placement assessments, EOPS, AP testing.
What does your achievement data tell you?	Specific data disclosed the following: FCHS has seen a 3 to 9% increase in our US History, American Lit, and Biology, however, more instructional attention will be focused with Algebra I for student achievement. The development of an action plan have been established, which will include an instructional coach for the 2023-24SY, with continuation of professional learning needs of the teachers and engagement and application from students. Additional achievement data from district benchmarks, common assessments, AP testing, and SRI (Scholastic Reading Inventory) suggest dialogue and planning that will address higher order thinking, learning processes, lexile, writing, and creative thinking for our students.
What demographic data did you use?	Fayette County reviews demographic data from Infinite Campus Demographic reports, FTE reports, attendance/student enrollment, GA's SLDS (Student Longitudinal Data System), Free and Reduce Lunch reports, and CCRPI.
What does the demographic data tell you?	The data interprets a narrative that suggest FCHS has a sustained core population of 86%, and a fluctuating yet consistent transient student population of 14%, who move in and out of the school during the school year. Much of the aforementioned description can be found when looking at our FTE reports, which has shown a gradual but steady increase in our ECS (Exceptional Children Services) program, in addition to our student enrollment increasing, as well as, our free and reduced lunch. FCHS has a 47% population of students on free and reduced lunch, which includes a growing population of ESOL students.

3. NEEDS IDENTIFICATION AND ROOT CAUSE ANALYSIS

3.1 Strengths and Challenges Based on Trends and Patterns

Read the trends and patterns summaries from each section of the data analysis process. Use the information in these summaries to complete 3.2 and 3.3. Using the summaries in 3.1 and other local data, describe the strengths and challenges or answer the guiding questions for each program. Include strengths and challenges related to: a) general program implementation, and b) students and adults involved in or affected by the program. Focus on strengths and challenges that will assist in the identification of needs during 3.2. Watch the Identifying Needwebinar for additional information and guidance.

Strengths and Challenges Based on Trends and Patterns

Coherent Instructional:Summarize the coherent instructional system trends and patterns observed by the team while completing this section of the report. What are the important trends and patterns that will support the identification of student, teacher, and leader needs?

Fayette County High School's has many strengths, however, there are areas of challenge and growth that FCHS has faced this year and in previous years. Most recently, the areas that we would highlight are in the areas of: Strengthening direct teaching and learning, literacy, data review to drive and create instruction, the learning environment of students to actively engage them in ownership of their learning, and continued active engagement in relationship building with all stakeholders. It is agreed that professional development in instructional practices should be addressed with a plan that outlines data reviews. depth of knowledge, that are shared and used to drive discussion. expectation, and best practice. Along with the PD, teachers should have opportunities to discuss, develop, and work with students regarding student participation and engagement of their learning with guided support through PD and FCHS Administration. Lastly, the school will continue to address and design initiatives, and programming that create a warm, supportive, communicative, and positive environment for all stakeholders.

Effective Leadership:Summarize the effective leadership trends and patterns observed by the team while completing this section of the report. What are the important trends and patterns that will support the identification of student, teacher, and leader needs?

Trend~ Relationships~collaborate with stakeholders regarding shared data (test, behavior, etc); allow continued, more, opportunities for discussion and shared decision making (utilizing the SIP as a guide). Inclusion of effective leadership will be with Teacher Leadership team, Administrative Team, SALT Leaders, PLC collaboration, and School Council. All leaders (Admin/teacher/parents) will be open and informative regarding aspects of the school and operations. We will, together, develop and provide opportunities to view, review, understand, and utilize data to improve the overall student learning experience for FCHS Tigers.

Strengths and Challenges Based on Trends and Patterns

Professional Capacity:Summarize the professional capacity trends and patterns observed by the team while completing this section of the report. What are the important trends and patterns that will support the identification of student, teacher, and leader needs?

Fayette County High School will provided intentional, applicable professional learning, locally, and district wide. Our focus will continue to focus on instructional practices, culture proficiency, and literacy. Our vision for 2024-25 SY will be "The Tiger Print". Focusing on teaching and learning, highlighting positive impact for student engagement, while improving instructional practices, accountability, teacher hiring and retention for student achievement.

Family and Community

Engagement:Summarize the family and community engagement trends and patterns observed by the team while completing this section of the report. What are the important trends and patterns that will support the identification of student, teacher, and leader needs?

Trends~ FCHS has created Tiger Talk message to faculty/staff and parents/students on a weekly basis to address information, concerns, needs, and upcoming events of FCHS. Additional information that can and will be included in the Tiger Talk messages to all stakeholders will include academic and behavior growth and development, as well as instructional and parent tips for students throughout the school year. Additional communication through social media to encourage, engage, connect with stakeholders via Instagram/Twitter. And as always, Meet the Teacher, phone calls, parent teacher conferences to be inclusive of a partnership for best outcomes, student achievement for our Tigers.

Supportive Learning

Environment:Summarize the supportive learning environment trends and patterns observed by the team while completing this section of the report. What are the important trends and patterns that will support the identification of student, teacher, and leader needs?

Fayette County High School will continue to focus on and engage in professional learning and daily practices of culture proficiency, one on one and collective relationships, and creating/building an environment where students trust and feel safe at FCHS. FCHS created multiple opportunities for the aforementioned initiatives during the 2023-24 SY and will continue to do so in a variety of ways, such as: PBIS~Zen room, Teacher Leader support with discipline infractions (taking care of the small stuff so it does not become major), School Counselor support with students who are assigned ISS on a regular basis, Transition Plans for students who need additional support (emotionally and or behaviorally), Tiger Academy (Ninth Grade Academy-all first time Freshmen will have all core courses on one hall with content teachers teaming to support and address academics and the overall well being of our young people). Additionally, FCHS will promote and encourage teachers/students to conduct/participate in the following to support/educate/and assist with cultural proficiency: MTSS/ Literacy/ RTI Lessons (weekly) and instructional focus (academics/ wellness~1x a month).

Demographic and Financial:Summarize the demographic and financial trends and patterns observed by the team while completing this section of the report. What are the important trends and patterns that will support the identification of student, teacher, and leader needs?

With the increase in F/R, FCHS has seen an increase in behaviors that may be attributed to a variety of issues that have negatively impacted student learning. However, with the support of the PTSO, parent volunteerism, and community support of students, teachers, and leaders progress have been made to address the negative behaviors with positive outcomes that have greatly impacted student achievement with mastery of content. Additionally, FCHS has implemented a teacher leader to address low level infractions, in addition to having following up

Strengths and Challenges Based on Trends and Patterns

conversations with parents and students to inform them of expectations and conduct check ins for wellness.

Student Achievement:Summarize the student achievement trends and patterns observed by the team while completing this section of the report. What are the important trends and patterns that will support the identification of student, teacher, and leader needs?

FCHS continual growth of teachers, students, and leaders are rising, with pervasive, engaging, and applicable programming we have already cemented our school motto of Excellence In All We Do. FCHS' stakeholders have to stay the course, continue to work on programming and initiatives that make sense to the learning environment for our students, while ensuring relationships and the culture of the school are been developed and nurtured.

FCHS had an instructional coach during the 2023-2024 SY that supported teaching and learning and student engagement and achievement with great success. FCHS will utilize the MTSS intervetion specialist to continut the work that began with the IC last school year.

IDEA - Special Education, Economically Disadvantaged Children, and English Learners.

Using the summaries in 3.1 and other local data, describe the strengths and challenges or answer the guiding questions for each program. Include strengths and challenges related to: a) general program implementation, and b) students and adults involved in or affected by the program. Focus on strengths and challenges that will assist in the identification of needs during 3.3. Watch the <u>Identifying Need webinar</u> for additional information and guidance.

Strengths	FCHS has a brilliant and unique group of young people who learn differently. FCHS has teachers that work tirelessly to support the development and understanding of students to help them embrace their learning. Data continues to show positive trends in our students application of knowledge. Teachers are involved in intentional instructional practices that support student achievement. NOTE: FCHS will partner with the district office's ECS department to conduct ongoing professional development for co-teachers to identify and support learning for students with IEPs during the 2024-25 SY.
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Challenges	FCHS ECS students have pervasive learning needs that may or may
	have not been addressed until later in the student(s) elementary or
	middle school career, or FCHS may be placing students in ECS for the
	first time due to multiple transitions in the student's school history. Due
	to these and aforementioned factors, teachers are working with a team
	of educators to filling in learning gaps, while, implementing individual
	standards based instruction to meet the needs of the students.

3. NEEDS IDENTIFICATION AND ROOT CAUSE ANALYSIS

3.2 Identification and Prioritization of Overarching Needs

Use the results of 3.1 to identify the overarching needs of the LEA. Determine the priority order of the identified needs based on data, team member and stakeholder knowledge, and answers to questions in the table below. Be sure to address the major program challenges identified in 3.1. Watch the <u>Identifying Need webinar</u> for additional information and guidance.

Overarching Need # 1

Overarching Need	Strengthen teaching and learning practices to support student growth and achievement.
How severe is the need?	High
Is the need trending better or worse over time?	Better
Can Root Causes be Identified?	Yes
Priority Order	1

Additional Considerations	Professional Learning of Instructional Framework and Closing the Achievement Gap (Response to Intervention) Consistency with planning and implementation of data reviews to guide formative/summative instruction/assessments through SALT (subject area learning teams) Instructional Focus (in school, monthly (20 mins per day) and two times a year with extended minutes in class *block schedule to include: remediation, enrichment, college and career skills, and wellness:, specifically: MTSS/RTI/Literacy Lessons, In grade / Study Skills Tiger PLUS Wednesday and Saturday School (2x a month to address remediation, enrichment ACT/SAT prep) Instructional walk throughs (calibration walks with Leadership/MTSS Intervention
	Specialist/ Instructional Coach) weekly

Overarching Need # 2

Overarching Need	Strengthen School Culture and Relationships among stakeholders to support student behavior and engagement in learning.
	Student benavior and engagement in learning.
How severe is the need?	Low
Is the need trending better or	Better
worse over time?	
Can Root Causes be	Yes
Identified?	

Overarching Need # 2

Priority Order	2
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Additional Considerations	Professional Learning Tiger Academy Tiger Talk Communication (electronic communication with Teachers/Parents/Students informing all stakeholders, weekly, of upcoming events & pertinent school information) Terrific Tiger Educator Chat (Principal will meet with teachers individually throughout the year to touch base to support any ares of growth and concern~this is tool to retain teachers/ staff) Tiger Talks (in person, student led conversations with peers and teachers, addressing the needs/concerns/challenges/triumphs of FCHS) MTSS School Counselor Mental/Emotional Wellness Checks (a engaged/applicable 2 to 3 days a week for one hour activity with students in ISS) Supporting At Risk students Mentor Tuesdays (partnership with New Hope Baptist Church; the church is supporting the top 10% of the Class of 2024 students) Connecting with students (one on one (peer/teacher mentors), group discussions, social media) Caring Adults in the Building (CABS assigned as mentors to students who are identified through PBIS/ School Counselor/ Teacher recommendation)

3. NEEDS IDENTIFICATION AND ROOT CAUSE ANALYSIS

3.3 Root Cause Analysis

Select the top 2-4 overarching needs from 3.2. Conduct a separate root cause analysis (RCA) for each need. Any RCA tools and resources can be used, but suggestions are available as part of the <u>Identifying Need webinar</u>. After describing the RCA process, complete a table for each selected overarching need.

Overarching Need - Strengthen teaching and learning practices to support student growth and achievement.

Root Cause # 1

Root Causes to be Addressed	Implementation of instructional framework for intentional teaching and learning
This is a root cause and not a	Yes
contributing cause or symptom	
This is something we can	Yes
affect	
Impacted Programs	IDEA - Special Education
	School and District Effectiveness
	Title I - Part A - Improving Academic Achievement of Disadvantaged
	Title I, Part A - Foster Care Program
	Title I, Part A - Parent and Family Engagement Program
	Title I, Part C - Education of Migratory Children
	Title I, Part D - Programs for Neglected or Delinquent Children
	Title III - Language Instruction for English Learners and Immigrant Students
	Title IX, Part A - McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children and Youth
	Program

Additional Responses	

Overarching Need - Strengthen School Culture and Relationships among stakeholders to support student behavior and engagement in learning.

Root Cause # 1

Root Causes to be Addressed	Comprehending what and how culture impacts a school and how positive
	relationships impact student achievement.
This is a root cause and not a	Yes
contributing cause or symptom	
This is something we can	Yes
affect	

Root Cause # 1

Impacted Programs	IDEA - Special Education				
	School and District Effectiveness				
	Title I - Part A - Improving Academic Achievement of Disadvantaged				
	Title I, Part A - Foster Care Program				
	Title I, Part A - Parent and Family Engagement Program				
	Title I, Part C - Education of Migratory Children				
	Title I, Part D - Programs for Neglected or Delinquent Children				
	Title III - Language Instruction for English Learners and Immigrant Students				
	Title IX, Part A - McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children and Youth				
	Program				

Additional Responses	

Root Cause # 2

Root Causes to be Addressed	Consistency and fidelity with MTSS and FCBOE Progressive discipline
This is a root cause and not a	Yes
contributing cause or symptom	
This is something we can	Yes
affect	
Impacted Programs	IDEA - Special Education
	School and District Effectiveness
	Title I - Part A - Improving Academic Achievement of Disadvantaged
	Title I, Part A - Foster Care Program
	Title I, Part A - Parent and Family Engagement Program
	Title I, Part C - Education of Migratory Children
	Title I, Part D - Programs for Neglected or Delinquent Children
	Title III - Language Instruction for English Learners and Immigrant Students
	Title IX, Part A - McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children and Youth
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School Improvement Plan 2024 - 2025



Fayette County
Fayette County High School

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

1 General Improvement Plan Information

General Improvement Plan Information

District	Fayette County
School Name	Fayette County High School
Team Lead	Yolanda Briggs Johnson
Federal Funding Options to Be	Traditional funding (Federal funds budgeted separately)
Employed (SWP Schools) in	
this Plan (Select all that apply)	

Fac	Factors(s) Used by District to Identify Students in Poverty (Select all that apply)	
✓	Free/Reduced meal application	
	Community Eligibility Program (CEP) - Direct Certification ONLY	
	Other (if selected, please describe below)	

2. SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

2.1 Overarching Need # 1

Overarching Need

Overarching Need as identified	Strengthen teaching and learning practices to support student growth and
in CNA Section 3.2	achievement.
Root Cause # 1	Implementation of instructional framework for intentional teaching and learning
Goal	To enhance and promote student engagement, increasing achievement by a minimum of 5% or more per year in all content areas indicated by End of Course assessments and local common assessments.
	Increase achievement by 5%, (EOC's, Benchmarks, and local common
	assessment) or more per year through enhancing tier 1 practices and
	engagement via walkthroughs, peer observations, and agendas.

Action Step	Teachers will participate in professional learning that will focus on instructional
	framework, tagging standards within their agendas, depth of knowledge 2 and 3
	emphasizing and reflecting on data. Teachers will share their individual data and
	the SALT/ Dept will collaborate and review data to create common
	assignments/assessments (formative and summative).
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Professional Capacity
	Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring	Agendas for PLCs (SALT) 50 minutes per week and Dept PLCs 50 minutes per
Implementation	week; PLC (FCHS) 50 minutes per month
Method for Monitoring	100%
Effectiveness	
Position/Role Responsible	FCHS Department Chair, FCBOE Coordinators, FCHS Administration
Timeline for Implementation	Weekly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	Teachers will share and review data on a consistent basis in subject area learning teams (SALT) to collaborate, develop, and create learning units using the backwards design instructional model, common assessments to engage students. Teacher will tag standards to common assessments. PLC's will submit SLAT minutes and measurable DOK 2, 3 and 4. Students will apply proficient writing, critical thinking, problem solving, and overall college and career readiness skills.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged Foster Homeless English Learners Migrant Race / Ethnicity / Minority Student with Disabilities
Systems	Effective Leadership Professional Capacity Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring Implementation	TKES/LKES; Tiger Walk throughs (5-7 mins from FCHS Administration, MTSS Intervention Specialist, Instructional Coach, FCBOE Coordinators, and Dept Chairs) progress of instructional framework, common assignments/assessments/EOCs/ EOPAs
Method for Monitoring Effectiveness	100%
Position/Role Responsible	Students, FCHS Teachers, FCHS Administration, FCBOE Coordinators
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	MTSS Team will collaborate with teachers to assist students with challenges for
	support: academically, socially, and or emotionally.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Effective Leadership
	Professional Capacity
	Family and Community Engagement
	Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring	RTI/PBIS Updates, Teacher updates, Parent Teacher Conferences, Student data
Implementation	(Behavior reports, PBIS/SWIS reports), attendance, EOC scores, Graduation rate
Method for Monitoring	100%
Effectiveness	
Position/Role Responsible	Teachers, MTSS Specialist, Graduation Coach, Administration
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	Teachers will incorporate technology embedded learning as a tools with the integration of appropriate learning strategies that will enhance/supplement instructional strategies.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged Foster Homeless English Learners Migrant Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction Effective Leadership Professional Capacity Family and Community Engagement Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring	Monitoring Student Data/Achievement, Teacher reflections/observations,
Implementation	Schoology, digital learning platforms
Method for Monitoring Effectiveness	100%
Position/Role Responsible	Teachers, Students, Administration, FCBOE Technology dept
Timeline for Implementation	Weekly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	Teacher will embed, include, and teach literacy through learning activities that promote students ability to read, write, and speak across curriculum.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners

Subgroups	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Effective Leadership
	Professional Capacity
	Family and Community Engagement
	Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring	SRI Lexile, EOC, AP, EOPA, Benchmark Assessments, in progress and final
Implementation	grades
Method for Monitoring	100%
Effectiveness	
Position/Role Responsible	Teachers/ Literacy Team/ Administrators
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with	
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

2. SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

2.2 Overarching Need # 2

Overarching Need

Overarching Need as identified in CNA Section 3.2	Strengthen School Culture and Relationships among stakeholders to support student behavior and engagement in learning.
Root Cause # 1	Comprehending what and how culture impacts a school and how positive relationships impact student achievement.
Root Cause # 2	Consistency and fidelity with MTSS and FCBOE Progressive discipline
Goal	Over the duration of the 2022-2026 school year FCHS will continue to improve positive school culture and relationships to support positive interactions between stakeholders while decrease overall discipline by 10% allowing for student growth and achievement to improve by 5% or more.

Action Step	FCHS Faculty/Staff will model behavior that promotes positive interactions and support towards students academic and behavioral engagement and application.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Effective Leadership
	Professional Capacity
	Family and Community Engagement
	Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring	Georgia Health and Wellness surveys, MTSS support, Discipline data, Student
Implementation	Achievement (in progress/ final grades, EOCs, AP scores, EOPAs),
Method for Monitoring	100%
Effectiveness	
Position/Role Responsible	Teachers/Administration/Students
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	MTSS lessons will be curated for teachers to redeliver monthly. Lessons will be focus on the top three highest behaviors in the school based on data from Infinite Campus with consistency and fidelity. Lesson will be created by the MTSS team to support positive behavior and wellness for students.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged Foster Homeless English Learners Migrant Race / Ethnicity / Minority Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction Effective Leadership Professional Capacity Family and Community Engagement Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring Implementation	SWIS Data, FCHS Golden Ticket (in classroom behavior data sheets that manage FCHS MTSS expectations), Discipline Data from Infinite Campus, Tiger Talks, MTSS Lessons
Method for Monitoring Effectiveness	100%
Position/Role Responsible	Teachers/ MTSS team/Graduation Coach/ Administrtation
Timeline for Implementation	Others : Bi-weekly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	School Counseling department will monitor and collaborate with individual underclass students who are identified as at risk for failure being proactive in maintaining college and career readiness and overall wellness.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged Foster Homeless English Learners Migrant Race / Ethnicity / Minority Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction Effective Leadership Professional Capacity Family and Community Engagement Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring Implementation	School Counsleor, Graduation Coach, Academic Pathway/ Planner, Student failure / pass rate, discipline data
Method for Monitoring Effectiveness	100%
Position/Role Responsible	School Counselors./Graduaiton Coach/ Administration
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	FCHS will hire and retained highly qualified faculty and staff to maintain and increase qualified teachers to promote student learning and achievement.
Funding Sources	N/A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
	N/A
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Effective Leadership
	Professional Capacity
	Supportive Learning Environment
Method for Monitoring	Retention percentage, Student/Parent/Teacher surveys, Student achievement/
Implementation	growth (EOCs., AP scores, EOPAs, in progress/final grades), Tiger Chats with
	Terrific Tiger Educators
Method for Monitoring	100%
Effectiveness	
Position/Role Responsible	Administration, FCHS Teacher Leaders/ FCBOE HR
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

What partnerships, if any, with	Not applicable
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

Action Step	By the end of each school year, FCHS will reduce the percentage of students at attendance risk by 3% or more.	
Funding Sources	N/A	
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged Foster Homeless English Learners Migrant Race / Ethnicity / Minority Student with Disabilities N/A	
Systems	Coherent Instruction Effective Leadership Professional Capacity Family and Community Engagement Supportive Learning Environment	
Method for Monitoring Implementation	IC discipline data, School Counselor Check ins, Social Worker Check ins, Weekly IC/ Parent Square blast with attendance updates of students	
Method for Monitoring Effectiveness	100%	
Position/Role Responsible	onsible Student/ Parent/School Counselor/Teacher/ Administrator/	
Timeline for Implementation	Weekly	

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based
organizations, or any private
entity with a demonstrated
record of success is the LEA
implementing in carrying out
this action step(s)?

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What partnerships, if any, with	
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based	
organizations, or any private	
entity with a demonstrated	
record of success is the LEA	
implementing in carrying out	
this action step(s)?	

3. REQUIRED QUESTIONS

3.1 Stakeholders, Coordination of Activities, Serving Children, and PQ

Required Questions

1. In developing this plan, briefly describe how the school sought advice from individuals (teachers, staff, other school leaders, paraprofessionals, specialized instructional support personnel, parents, community partners, and other stakeholders).

Fayette County High School's Administrative team, FCHS Leadership team members, and input from previous notes from School Council, PTSO meetings, and student surveys assisted with the development of the SIP. FCHS Administrative team and Leadership team reviewed the school's previous SIP and determine what goals had been met, and looked at goals and focus areas which are still in progress. Areas that required further review due to being in progress or not met where specifically with academic progress and culture/relationships among all stakeholders. Upon review of each goal, which included, a review of previous data (EOC scores, Climate surveys, SWIS data from MTSS, parent input from SC and PTSO notes), areas of growth were determined to begin drafting Fayette County High School's School Improvement Plan.

2. Describe how the school will ensure that low-income and minority children enrolled in the Title I school are not served at disproportionate rates by ineffective, out-of-field, or inexperienced teachers.

Fayette County High School will work with the district office to request funding to support academic and wellness initiatives that support student performance. Additionally, FCHS will ensure through hiring practices, we select the best and most highly qualified candidate that has experience and exposure to working with at risk students, along with education and credentialing that will support high quality, standards based instruction. FCHS will continue to use the TKES instrument to assure best instructional practices are occurring. Professional development will be ongoing in the goal areas as described in the SIP.

3. Provide a general description of the Title I instructional program being implemented at this Title I school. Specifically define the subject areas to be addressed and the instructional strategies/methodologies to be employed to address the identified needs of the most academically at-risk students in the school. Please include services to be provided for students living in local institutions for neglected or delinquent children (if applicable).

Instructional Programming at FCHS are as follows:

- ~Students are provided with Study Skills class to assist with organization, study habits, and mentoring, Students also have the opportunity to take Reading Enrichment classes should they have difficulty (as determined by EOCs, SRI scores, Teacher recommendations, Parent (Student) Request).
- ~Students are provided Math Support to assist with depressed math skills/gaps in Alg I, Geo, Alg II, and Foundations of Algebra.
- ~Students are able to sign up for Tiger PLUS Wednesday and/ or Saturday School, twice a month, for remediation/enrichment of all subject areas for graduation requirements.
- ~FCHS conducts an Instructional Focus, monthly for 20 minutes. The focus is based on :enrichment/ remediation; MTSS Lesson, Literacy Lesson, *Tiger Check In (grades/ behavior/ study skills), Tiger Fun, and once per semester two days of block scheduling for extended learning.
- ~FCHS teachers host before and after school tutorials for students who request support and planned required tutorials for students.

~ FCHS teacher mentors (CABs - caring adults in the building) will support and meet 1x a week with identified at risk students
~ FCHS host rising 9th grade Summer School for identified students
who are at risk
~ FCHS host Tiger Academy Transition day for all rising 9th graders
***Data is continuously monitored to determine which students will
benefit from the aforementioned supports. Data sources (daily grades,
formative/summative local assessments, EOCs, SRI, teacher
recommendations, parent/student request)
***Students who are served under the umbrella of IDEA/504 are
supported by the school with IEPs, 504 plans.
***FCHS has a Graduation Coach to support Senior and Junior
students who are currently off track, in addition to Administration and
our RTI/ PBIS~MTSS team members supporting/mentoring students
who have academic and behavior issues.
****FCHS instructional coach supports, assists, models teaching and
learning

4. If applicable, provide a description of how teachers, in consultation with parents, administrators, and pupil services personnel, will identify eligible children most in need of services in Title I targeted assistance schools/programs. Please include a description of how the school will develop and implement multiple (a minimum of 2) objective, academic-based performance criteria to rank students for service. Also include a description of the measurable scale (point system) that uses the objective criteria to rank all students.

Not applicable

3. REQUIRED QUESTIONS

3.2 PQ, Federally Identified Schools, CTAE, Discipline

Required Questions

5. If applicable, describe how the school will support, coordinate, and integrate services with early childhood programs at the school level, including strategies for assisting preschool children in the transition from early childhood education programs to local elementary school programs.

Not applicable.

6. If applicable, describe how the school will implement strategies to facilitate effective transitions for students from middle grades to high school and from high school to postsecondary education including:Coordination with institutions of higher education, employers, and local partners; and lncreased student access to early college, high school, or dual or concurrent enrollment opportunities or career counseling to identify student interest and skills.

Fayette County High School provides a variety of supports, including the following:

- ~February of the 8th graders school year, FCHS holds a Parent Meeting at FCHS to discuss all things FCHS, in addition to expectations of students/parents
- ~March of the 8th graders school year, FCHS School Counselors meet with the 8th graders to finalize their class schedule for the upcoming school year
- ~February/March of the 8th graders school year, the students are invited to FCHS to tour and meet the Administrative staff and visit classrooms
- ~July, rising 9th graders attend TIger Academy Transition Camp ~ June (two week) Summer School for rising FCHS 8th graders who have been identified as at risk (academic/ behavior)
- ~FCHS Tiger Academy supports the academic and wellness transition of 9th graders to the high school. The program has been successful and the overall retention and promotion of our ninth graders. With Tiger Academy FCHS retention decreased from 11% to 5% with promotion improving by 20%.

FCHS also hosts bi-annual dual enrollment meetings and enrollment. Students (parents) are invited to attend DE meetings hosted by our district office, where information is provided regarding the college and FCBOE's expectations, guidance of process and procedures for students who have completed 1 semester of HS and beyond.

- ~FCHS was a little shy of 10% of the student population actively and successfully enrolled in dual enrollment classes.
- ~ FCHS was just shy of 40% of the student population actively and successfully enrolled in advanced placement classes.

7. Describe how the school will support efforts to reduce the overuse of discipline practices that remove students from the classroom, specifically addressing the effects on all subgroups of students.

Fayette County high school promotes MTSS, along with mentorship of students in crisis or at risk; additionally, FCHS provides a wellness program that will be facilitated by a School Counselor and teacher. The program will take place in ISS~the purpose will be to capture the attention of the students who are exhibiting behaviors and work with them to decrease their time in ISS and support/encourage them to make better choices and focus on their academics. FCHS MTSS team will mentor identified at risk students who participate in FCHS Summer School. The CABs will meet once a week with the student for academic and wellness support. NOTE: FCHS will implement a Teacher Leader to also assist with low level discipline incidents (the person will contact students within 24 hrs of the incident and contact parents for partnership of eliminating the behavior).

ADDITIONAL RESPONSES

8. Use the space below to provide
additional narrative regarding the school's
improvement plan.