



SCHOOLWIDE IMPROVEMENT PLAN (SIP) TITLE I SCHOOLWIDE PROGRAM (SWP) PLAN

NAME OF SCHOOL/PRINCIPAL:

Rabun County Elementary School/Jonathan Welch, Principal

NAME OF DISTRICT/SUPERINTENDENT:

Rabun County Schools/Melissa Williams, Superintendent

Schoolwide Title I School

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**Can be translated to any language upon request.

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All required components of the Title I Schoolwide and Targeted Assistance are included in this template.

SIGNATURES:	
Superintendent	Date
Principal	Date
Title 1 Director	Date

Planning Committee Members

Name	Position/Role	Signature – Sign-In Sheet on File
Melissa Williams	Superintendent	
Jonathan Welch	Principal 2018-2019	*
Lisa Patterson	Principal 2017-2018	
Joy Phillips	Assistant Principal 2018-2019	*
Colette Lovell	Assistant Principal 2017-2018/2018-2019/Parent	
Mark Beck	Assistant Principal Principal 2017-2018	
Amy Pruitt	Federal Programs Director/Parent	
Michelle Black	Family Engagement Specialist	
Cindi Dean	Director of Business Operations/School Nutrition Director	
Elise Allen	Teacher	
Sarah Hutcheson	Parent	
Joshua Holt	Parapro/Parent	
Michelle Noffsinger	Teacher/Parent	
Christina Toneygay	Counselor	
Michelle Newman	Parapro/Parent	
Katrina Blalock	Parent	
Jessica Cantrell	Media Specialist	
M'ryanne Peacock	Teacher	
Kelley Curtis	Teacher	
Grant Chartrand	Student	
Brandie Richardson	Parent	
Whitney Kelly	Teacher/Parent	
Laurie Dills	Teacher/Parent	
Starla Shriver	Parapro/Parent	
Meadow Krockum	Teacher	
Holli Weber	Teacher/Parent	
Joey Thompson	Parent	

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Needs Assessment/ Data Review Results

Prioritized Needs	Data Source	Participants Involved	Communication to Parents and Stakeholders
Improve math Fluency and number sense – building an understanding of advanced numeration into more complex math concepts such as place value, fractions, multiplication and division.	 Milestones Data - Georgia Milestones assessments are normed statewide. Teachers have been trained to administer the assessment properly according to the Georgia Milestones testing instructions. Therefore, the disaggregated assessment results for each category are valid and reliable. Classroom Assessment Data Teacher Observational Data EasyCBM Math Assessment Data- EasyCBM is a nationally normed, research-based benchmark assessment. Teachers have been trained to administer the assessment properly according to the EasyCBM instructions. Therefore, the disaggregated assessment results for each category are valid and reliable. STAR Math Data Feedback from teachers in other grades (vertical planning) Title 1 Parent Involvement Survey Results 	All members who signed in above & content area teachers	 Data was shared at the Needs Assessment meeting in PowerPoint form Handouts showing a breakdown of the data were provided to members of the team All stakeholders were invited to attend the meeting via parent newsletters, school marquee, school website, phone calls, and email. Parents were given several opportunities to read drafts of Title I Parent/School Compacts Teachers will interpret and explain individual EasyCBM Math & Reading fall student assessment results in a face-to-face or phone conference with every students' parent/guardian by November 30, 2017. Parent letters provided by the Georgia Milestones Assessment System will be distributed to all students when received. These letters will inform parents about Milestones scores and what they mean. There will be an open public meeting to report disaggregated data in May of 2018. All RCES parents, community members, personnel, and other stakeholders will be invited to attend the meeting. RCES will distribute disaggregated Georgia Milestones data to parents and other stakeholders via newsletters, conferences, etc.
Increase reading fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension.	 Milestones Data - Georgia Milestones assessments are normed statewide. Teachers have been trained to administer the assessment properly according to the Georgia Milestones testing instructions. Therefore, the disaggregated assessment results for each category are valid and reliable. Classroom Assessment Data Teacher Observational Data EasyCBM Reading Data - EasyCBM is a nationally normed, 	All members who signed in above & content area teachers	 Data was shared at the Needs Assessment meeting in PowerPoint form Handouts showing a breakdown of the data were provided to members of the team All stakeholders were invited to attend the meeting via parent newsletters, school marquee, school website, phone calls, and email. Parents were given several opportunities to read drafts of Title I Parent/School Compacts Teachers will interpret and explain individual EasyCBM Math & Reading fall student assessment results in a face-to-face or phone conference with every students' parent/guardian by November 30, 2017.

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Improve RCES climate and culture.	 Therefore, the disaggregated assessment results for each category are valid and reliable. STAR Reading Data Feedback from teachers in other grades (vertical planning) Title 1 Parent Involvement Plan Results School Attendance Data CCRPI STAR Rating Data School Behavioral Data from PowerSchool and SWIS Title 1 Parent Involvement Survey Results TKES Parent & Teacher Survey Results PBIS Student Survey Results Teacher Observation 	All members who signed in above, students, parents, & teachers	 There will be an open public meeting to report disaggregated data in May of 2018. All RCES parents, community members, personnel, and other stakeholders will be invited to attend the meeting. RCES will distribute disaggregated Georgia Milestones data to parents and other stakeholders via newsletters, conferences, etc. Data was shared at the Needs Assessment meeting in PowerPoint form Handouts showing a breakdown of the data were provided to members of the team All stakeholders were invited to attend the meeting via parent newsletters, school marquee, school website, phone calls, and email.
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SMART GOAL #1- The percentage of 3-6 grade students scoring in the "High Risk" range on the Fall Math-EasyCBM will decrease by at least 2% on the spring Math-EasyCBM.

Georgia School Performance Standard	Student group (All or subgroup)	Action /Strategies	Action /Strategies Learning		Timeline for Implementation/ Method for	Estimated Cost, Funding Source, and/or Resources	
			Artifacts	Evidence	Monitoring		
Assessment Standard 4: Implements a process to collaboratively analyze assessment results to adjust instruction Instruction	All Students	 Provide effective differentiation during math instruction for all students. Use flexible grouping based on current formative data to ensure student needs are addressed. Use STAR Math Assessment reports to place each student in 	Lesson Plans Walk-throughs conducted by the administration	Students will demonstrate a mastery of the content as demonstrated on summative classroom assessments, EasyCBM results,	Teachers will submit lesson plans to administration for review weekly. Walkthroughs will be ongoing (minimum of 1 per quarter) to ensure effectiveness	Professional Learning funds for continued teacher support in math instruction if deemed necessary by the administration- Approximately \$1,000.00	
Standard 4: Uses research-based instructional practice that positively impact student learning Instruction Standard 5: Differentiates instruction to meet specific learning needs of students		appropriate reading levels and to provide appropriate reading goals.		and Milestones Math assessment at the end of the fiscal year. Students will also show growth on their STAR Math tests.	of instruction. STAR Math Assessment tests administered at the beginning of school and at the end of each 9 weeks.	Purchase of 2 Sets of Chrome Books and Carts to aid in the instruction of content	

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Instruction Standard 9: Provides timely, systematic, data-driven interventions	All Students	 Provide one-on-one interventions for students as needed. In addition to the teacher providing remediation when needed, utilize technology programs for interventions. 	Data reports from Technology Labs conducting interventions	Students will demonstrate an improved understanding of the specific area of focus.	Technology instructors will submit a data report of intervention programs to the administration monthly for review.	\$0.00
Family and Community Engagement Standard 5: Develops the capacity of families to use support strategies at home that will enhance academic achievement	All Students	 Improve Parent Understanding of Ways to Help their Student in Math Have a Family Engagement Specialist available to provide parents with workshops and assistance on helping their child with math needs (English & Spanish). Hold a family math night where parents are taught how they can help their children at home. Use of the Parent Resource Room where parents can check out materials to use at home to help their child. 	Parent Resource Room Check out Sheet Parent Workshop Agendas	The school will create a climate of cooperation with families, which will welcome and provide parents/guardians with the resources and knowledge needed to assist their children at home, when needed.	Monthly reports from the Family Engagement Specialist will be submitted to show use of the parent resource room and frequency of parent workshops. (These are submitted to the Federal Programs Director.)	Title 1 funding for supplies and materials for Family Engagement- Approximately \$3000.00

SMART GOAL #2- The percentage of 3-6 grade students scoring in the "High Risk" range on the Rall Reading-EasyCBM will decrease by at least 2% on the spring Reading-EasyCBM.

Georgia School Performance Standard	Student group (All or subgroup)	Action /Strategies		plementation and dent Learning Evidence	Timeline for Implementation/ Method for Monitoring	Estimated Cost, Funding Source, and/or Resources
Curriculum Standard 1: Uses systematic, collaborative planning processes so that teachers share an understanding of expectations for standards, curriculum, assessment, and instruction Instruction Standard 4: Uses research-based instructional practice that positively impact student learning	All Students	 Provide effective reading and writing instruction to all students. Ensure that reading and writing are integrated regularly across the curriculum including science, social studies, and math. 	Lesson Plans Walk-throughs conducted by the administration	Students will demonstrate a mastery of the content as demonstrated on summative classroom assessments, EasyCBM results, and Milestones Math assessment at the end of the fiscal year.	Teachers will submit lesson plans to administration for review weekly. Walkthroughs will be ongoing (minimum of 1 per quarter) to ensure effectiveness of instruction.	Professional Learning funds for continued teacher support in math instruction if deemed necessary by the administration- Approximately \$1,000.00 Purchase of 2 Sets of Chrome Books and Carts to aid in the instruction of content

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Assessment Standard	All	Provide effective differentiated	Lesson Plans	Students will	Teachers will submit	Professional Learning
4: Implements a process	Students	small group reading instruction		demonstrate a	lesson plans to	funds for continued
to collaboratively		for all students.	Walk-throughs	mastery of the	administration for	teacher support in math
analyze assessment		• Use flexible grouping based on	conducted by the	content as	review weekly.	instruction if deemed
results to adjust		current formative data to ensure	administration	demonstrated on		necessary by the
instruction		student needs are addressed.		summative	Walkthroughs will	administration-
Instruction Standard		• Use STAR Reading		classroom	be ongoing	Approximately \$1,000.00
4: Uses research-based		Assessment reports to place		assessments,	(minimum of 1 per	
instructional practice		each student in appropriate		EasyCBM results,	quarter) to ensure	
that positively impact		reading levels and to provide		and Milestones	effectiveness of	
student learning		appropriate reading goals.		Reading	instruction.	
Instruction Standard				assessment at the		
5: Differentiates				end of the fiscal	STAR Reading	
instruction to meet				year. Students will	Assessment tests	
specific learning needs				also show growth	administered at the	
of students				on their STAR	beginning of school	
				Reading Tests.	and at the end of	
				-	each 9 weeks.	
Family and	All	Improve Parents'	Parent Resource	The school will	Monthly reports	Title 1 funding for
Community	Students	Understanding of Ways to Help	Room Check out	create a climate of	from the Family	supplies and materials for
Engagement Standard		their Child Learn to Read	Sheet	cooperation with	Engagement	the Parent Resource
5: Develops the		Have Family Engagement		families, which	Specialist will be	Room- Approximately
capacity of families to		Specialist provide parents	Parent Workshop	will welcome and	submitted to show	\$3,000.00
use support strategies at		with workshops and	Agendas	provide	use of the parent	<i>42,000.00</i>
home that will enhance		assistance on helping their	1 iBollaub	parents/guardians	resource room and	
academic achievement		child with reading needs.		with the resources	frequency of parent	
academic acmevement		 Hold family literacy nights 		and knowledge	workshops.	
		where parents are taught how		needed to assist	(Submitted to	
		to work with their child at		their children at	Federal Programs	
		home.		home, when	Director.)	
		 Utilize the Parent Resource 		needed.	Director.)	
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		Room for parents to check out materials to use at home to				
		help their child.				

SMART GOAL #3- Maintain a positive school climate and culture by scoring 4 or higher on the 2018-19 CCRPI Star Climate Rating.

Georgia School Performance Standard	Student group (All or subgroup)	Action /Strategies	Evaluation of Imp Impact on Stud Artifacts		Timeline for Implementation/ Method for Monitoring	Estimated Cost, Funding Source, and/or Resources
 Planning and Organization Standard 6: Uses protocols to maintain the school campus and equipment providing a safe, clean, and inviting learning environment Family and Community Engagement Standard 1: Creates an environment that welcomes, encourages, and connects family and community members to the school 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 Family and Community Engagement Standard 6: Connects families with agencies and resources in the 	All Students	 Increase PBIS/PRIDE Code Implementation Expand the existing PBIS system Strengthen Behavioral Interventions Establish a school-wide criteria for students to participate in end-of-quarter rewards as well as the end of year award Establish end of year incentives for behavior, attendance, and academic success Promote positive student behaviors through the development of positive school-wide campaigns Provide parent workshops on behavioral interventions and strategies Provide materials in the parent resource room to help families with behavioral needs 	Newsletters and communication logs PBIS Meeting Agendas, sign-in sheets, comparison of data Social Media Parent Workshop Agendas and sign-in sheets Attendance Data Climate Survey Results	Students will demonstrate a willingness to follow the RCES PRIDE Code. The number of office referrals will reduce from those of previous years.	Administration will review attendance and provide incentives for perfect attendance quarterly. PRIDE Team meetings will be held quarterly to monitor implementation and effectiveness of our PBIS plan. Administration will monitor office referral data monthly. Climate Survey Results- April, 2019	Mailing costs for all correspondence to families regarding relationship building- Funded through office supply money – Approximately \$400.00 End of 9 weeks Incentives- Donations End of Year Incentives/Field Trips- Approximately \$60,000 raised through donations and fundraisers

community to meet the needs of students			
School Culture Standard 3: Establishes a culture that supports the college and career readiness of students			

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Professional Learning Plan to Support School Improvement Plan

Professional Learning Strategy to support achievement of SMART Goals	Professional Learning Timeline	Estimated Cost, Funding Source, and/or Resources	Person(s) Responsible	Monitoring Teacher Implementation of Professional Learning/Timeline	Artifacts/Evidence of Impact on Student Learning
Professional Learning Communities focused on various topics (Improving Math Fluency & Numeration; Increasing Reading Fluency, Vocabulary and Comprehension; Improving School Climate & Culture,	Throughout the 2018-2019 School Year	Professional Learning Communities will meet during common planning times or after school. Costs will be minimal since RCES teachers will lead the PLC discussions. When needed, funds will come from professional	Jonathan Welch, Joy Phillips, Colette Lovell, Joi Woods, Amy Pruitt	Teachers will share new knowledge during grade level meetings and faculty meetings as appropriate- monthly TKES and administrative observations will provide evidence of	Math & Reading EasyCBM, STAR Reading Post-Tests, Georgia Milestones, Moby Max, Powerschool Grades, and common assessments SWIS (through PBIS) & Powerschool
etc.)		development.		the implementation of professional learning- ongoing (at least one every 9 weeks)	Behavioral Data
Technology: Manga High Math Training & SRA Reading Training	Pre-planning - August, 2018	Licenses for programs- Professional Learning Funds	Greg Purcell Joi Woods Jonathan Welch, Joy Phillips, Colette Lovell	Teachers will use the software to implement interventions and monitor student progress- weekly Administration will monitor through software data- monthly	Math & Reading EasyCBM, Georgia Milestones, Moby Max, Powerschool Grades, and common assessments software data

Parent Engagement and Communication

Parent Engagement Activities	Timeline	Estimated Cost, Funding Source, and/or Resources	Person(s) Responsible	Evaluation Results	Artifacts/Evidence of Impact on Student Learning
Back to School Blitz	July 28, 2018	\$0 to RCES	Amy Pruitt Michelle Black Tammy Wilbanks		Parent & Student Sign-In Sheets
Meet Your Teacher/Open House	August 2, 2018	\$500.00 – Parent Materials / RCES Instructional Account	All RCES Personnel	Feedback from parents during the event Parent Involvement Survey	Sign-In Sheets Parent Involvement Survey Results
Title I Annual Meeting	October 6, 2018 7:00 A.M. & 7:00 P.M.	\$0 to RCES	Federal Programs Director – Amy Pruitt		Sign-In Sheets
School Council Meetings	September 20, 2018 November 15, 2018 January 17, 2019 March 21, 2019 May 16, 2019	\$200.00 Funding Source: RCES Principal's Fund	Jonathan Welch	Feedback from parents during the events Parent Involvement Survey	Sign-In Sheets Parent Involvement Survey Results
Family Literacy Night	October 25, 2018	\$To Be Determined Funding Source: Title 1 Parent Involvement Funds	RCES Teachers Family Engagement Specialist RCES Administration	Feedback from parents during the event Parent Involvement Survey	Sign-In Sheets Parent Involvement Survey Results
Family Math & Science Night	March 7,, 2019	\$To Be Determined Funding Source: Title 1 Parent Involvement Funds	RCES Teachers Family Engagement Specialist RCES Administration	Feedback from parents during the event Parent Involvement Survey	Sign-In Sheets Parent Involvement Survey Classroom Assessments Math GM Results
Ongoing Communication via Classroom Newsletters, Student Agenda Books, School Website, Principal Newsletters, School Marquee, Parent Conferences, etc.	Throughout the 2018-2019 School Year	\$0	All RCES Personnel	Feedback from parents Parent Involvement Survey	Parent Involvement Survey Milestones Assessments

Resources:

Georgia School Performance Standards - <u>http://www.gadoe.org/School-Improvement/School-Improvement-Services/Pages/default.aspx</u>

Professional Learning Plan Template Guidelines -

http://www.gadoe.org/School-Improvement/School-Improvement-Services/Documents/Professional%20Learning/Learning%20Forward%20Professional%20Professional%20Profes

System for Effective School Instruction:

http://www.gadoe.org/School-Improvement/School-Improvement-Services/Documents/System%20for%20Effective%20School%20Instruction/System%20for%20E ffective%20School%20Instruction.pdf

Title 1 - http://www.gadoe.org/School-Improvement/Federal-Programs/Pages/default.aspx

QCIS (Indistar) - http://www.indistar.org/

Statewide Longitudinal Data System (SLDS) - <u>http://www.gadoe.org/Technology-Services/SLDS/Pages/SLDS.aspx</u>

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