# **Central Middle School Comprehensive Improvement/Accountability Plan**

Improvement/Accountability Plan					
Focus of Plan (check	Name of LEA: Kansas City Public	Check if appropriate			
the appropriate box):	Schools	☐ Comprehensive School			
		***Requires a Regional School Improvement Team			
☐ School or Charter	Name of School or Charter: Central	☐ Targeted School			
	Middle School	☐ At-Risk			
		□ Other			
Date: 5-28-2020					
Purpose: To develop a	plan for improving the top 3 needs ide	ntified in the needs assessment.			
Title I.A School Title I.C Educa Title I.D Preve Title II.A Lang Title IV 21st C Title V Flexibi Individuals with Rehabilitation Carl D. Perkins Workforce Inn Head Start Act	uage Instruction for English Learners an entury Schools lity and Accountability th Disability Education Act Act of 1973 Career and Technical Education Act ovation and Opportunities Act	nildren and Youth who are Neglected, Delinquent or At-Risk			
☐ Other State ar	d Local Requirements/Needs				

What staff/stakeholders	Simone Chambers				
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	Shaylee Welch				
	Thomas Fay				
What are the key issues	1. Low Achievement				
identified from the needs					
assessment?	2. Discipline				
	3. Attendance				
	4. Cohesive Unified Vision				
What are the prioritized	1. Increase Student Achievement				
needs for the LEA or building					
based on a root cause	2. Improve Student Behavior				
analysis?					
	3. Increase Attendance				
	Consistent Messaging of Vision/Goals				

# The Goals and the Plan

### Goal #1 - Circle the appropriate Pillar of the Continuous Improvement System this goal falls under:

	Leadership	Collaborative Climate	Effective Teaching and	Data-Based Decision	Alignment of Standards
<u> </u>		and Culture	Learning	Making	and Curriculum

### SMART (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant and Timely) Goal #1

During the 2020-2021 SY, Central Middle School's Administrative Team, will establish a strong collaborative culture by meeting biweekly to discuss instructional strategies, strong classroom management practices and provide support and resources needed to ensure teaching and learning are the focus in every classroom. This will result in a 10% decrease in classroom related incidents and will be measured with discipline data from Pulse, Spring AQ survey results, iReady and Achievement Series data.

- S Improve collaboration and support to teachers through biweekly meetings
- M- Tyler and Pulse data, iReady and Achievement Series data
- A Reduction of classroom behavior related incidents by 10%, increase in the number of advancing ratings on TNTP walkthrough data by 10%
- R Aligned with mission where students and staff are inspired to reach their maximum academic, social and professional potential.
- T -2020-2021 SY with 30, 60, 90 day checkpoints

### Rationale (name of the existing conditions/data points to support the selection of the objective/goal)

Data to support the establishment of goals:

- 1. Data from the Mass Insight survey indicated students do not feel challenged and do not feel teachers believe they can do well.
- 2. Data from Tyler revealed 808/1671 discipline events occurred in the classroom. This data supports the implementation of strong classroom management plans to address behavior. This data also supports the implementation of building wide systems and processes to ensure efficient and smooth daily operations.
- 3. Data from the Mass Insight Report disclosed staff desires opportunity for collaboration with the administrative team and shared decision making with building related matters.

### **Strategies for Improvement**

1. Each administrator will be responsible for cultivating a collaborative team that meets regularly to discuss building topics related to culture, climate, interventions, student behavior, etc.

2. Conflict resolution and restorative justice practices in place to decrease student discipline and improve the classroom learning environment.

# Funding Source(s): Comprehensive Schools Funding/Title 1

Action Steps	Start Date	Person Responsible	Resources	Completed/Date
30 Days:	08/24/20			
August/September 2020				☐ On-going
1. School-wide		Central Middle School	Culture lessons	
implementation of		administrative team	provided to staff	
building culture				
lessons by teachers				
during the first week				
of school		Central Middle School	Classroom Culture	
2. Implementation of		administrative team, all	Rubric	
strong classroom		teaching staff		
management plans				
by all teaching staff.				
3. Central Middle		Central Middle School	Administrative Team	
Administrative Team		Administrative Team	notes	
meets daily to				
debrief and weekly				
to discuss major				
planning and				
building issues.				
4. The Leadership		Central Middle School	Team meeting notes	
Team will meet the		administrative team, all	stored in Google Drive	
first and third		teaching staff		
Monday of the				
month.				
5. Five walkthroughs		Central Middle School	TNTP Walkthrough	
per week by each		administrative team	observation form and	
			rubric	

member of the administrative team 6. Weekly submission of lesson plans 7. Establishment of biweekly meetings by admin team with assigned teachers		Central Middle School administrative team and all teachers Central Middle School administrative team and all teachers	Google Drive	
60 Days: September/October 2020 1. Continue to monitor and measure effectiveness of classroom management and culture. 2. Central Middle	09/24/20	Central Middle School administrative team  Central Middle School	Classroom Culture Feedback Rubric	□ On-going
Administrative Team meets daily to debrief and weekly to discuss major planning and building issues.  3. The Leadership Team will meet the first and third Monday of the		administrative team  Central Middle School Administrative Team and Lead Teachers	Team meeting notes stored in Google Drive	
month. 4. Continue with five walkthroughs per week by each member of the administrative team		Central Middle School Administrative Team	KCPS TNTP Walkthrough Form and Rubric	

	Weekly submission of lesson plans on Google Drive by all teachers. Biweekly meetings by admin team with assigned teachers		Central Middle School administrative team, all teaching staff Central Middle School administrative team	Google Drive	
Oct	Days: tober/November 2020 Continue to monitor and measure effectiveness of classroom management and	10/24/20	Central Middle School administrative team	Classroom Culture Feedback Rubric	□ On-going
2.	culture. Central Middle Administrative Team meets daily to debrief and weekly to discuss major planning and		Central Middle School Administrative Team	Team Meeting Notes	
3.	building issues. Continue with five walkthroughs per week by each member of the administrative team		Central Middle School administrative team	KCPS TNTP Walkthrough Form and rubric	
4.	The Leadership Team will meet the first and third Thursday of the month.		Central Middle School administrative team and lead teachers	Team meeting notes stored in Google Drive	

5. Weekly submission		Central Middle School	Google Drive	
of lesson plans on		administrative team and		
Google Drive by all		all teachers		
teachers.				
6. Biweekly meetings				
by admin team with		Central Middle School		
assigned teachers		administrative team		
Long Range:	11/24/20			
1. Continue to monitor		Central Middle School	Classroom Culture	□ 05/20/21
and measure		Administrative Team	Feedback Rubric	
effectiveness of				
classroom				
management and				
culture.				
2. Central Middle		Central Middle School		
Administrative Team		Administrative Team		
meets daily to debrief				
and weekly to discuss				
major planning and				
building issues.				
3. The Leadership Team		Central Middle School	Team meeting notes	
will meet the first and		Administrative Team	stored in Google Drive	
third Monday of the		and Lead Teachers		
month				
4. Five walkthroughs		Central Middle School	KCPS TNTP	
per week by each		Administrative Team	Walkthrough Form and	
member of the		and all teachers	rubric	
administrative team				
5. Weekly submission of		Central Middle School	Google Drive	
lesson plans on		Administrative Team		
Google Drive by all		and teachers		
teachers.				

6. Biweekly meetings by admin team with assigned teachers  Central Middle School Administrative Team
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Goal #2 - Circle the appropriate Pillar of the Continuous Improvement System this goal falls under:						
Leadership	Collaborative Climate and	Effective Teaching and	<b>Data-Based Decision</b>	Alignment of Standards		
Culture Learning Making and Curriculum						
SMART (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant and Timely) Goal #2						

During the 2018-2019 SY, 100% of Central Middle School's vertically aligned Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) will have documented shared discussions, with identified follow-up actions, at five times per week on any of the following topics: establishment of a viable and guaranteed curriculum, common formative assessments, tier 2 interventions, and best teaching practices; as measured by PLC notes, agendas, and The Professional Learning Community Continuum Rubric and TNTP Walkthrough data.

- S- Vertically aligned PLCs and Solution Tree Resources to focus on guaranteed and viable curriculum, CFAs, tier 2 interventions, and best teaching practices
- M- 100% of all PLCs will meet; documented through notes, agendas and measured with PLC continuum rubric
- A Daily structured meetings that are built into the master schedule.
- R Aligned with vision to build capacity, provide intentional interventions and inspire all to reach their maximum capacity.
- T- 2020-2021 SY with 30, 60, and 90-day checkpoints

### Rationale (name of the existing conditions/data points to support the selection of the objective/goal)

Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) is an extended learning opportunity to foster collaborative learning among colleagues within a particular work environment. The meetings are used at Central Middle School as a way to organize teachers into working groups, both departmentally and cross curricular to assess, formulate, and improve instructional strategies. This will result in increased student engagement in the classroom, with an improved focus on teaching and learning.

Departmental and Cross curricular PLCs are designed provide focus on classroom instruction and ensure a viable curriculum is taught, tested, and appropriate interventions are implemented at the right time for the right students. It will also provide teachers the opportunity to share best practices, discuss student work, data, and create engaging lessons.

## **Strategies for Improvement**

- 1. During weekly PLC time, teams will collaboratively create/revise their team meeting norms.
- 2. During the PLC time, teams will identify the essential standards that will be taught and establish a guaranteed curriculum.
- 3. For each standard, the team will write the standard in student-friendly learning targets, determine the level of rigor, identify prior skills/academic vocabulary needed, create/select the common assessment that will be used to measure student masterv. and determine when the standard will be taught.
- 4. Each team will have at least one SMART goal that measures the effectiveness of common formative assessments.

- 5. Each team member will create and maintain a data notebook.
- 6. Teams will collaboratively create at least four common assessments (1 per term).
- 7. Teams will collaboratively align their grading practices and check that grade books are set up correctly for each team member.
- 8. Teacher will update grades a minimum of once per week.
- 9. Teams will determine weekly tier 2 intervention days to work with students who need additional time to master concepts.
- 10. PLC teams will upload agendas and meeting notes to Google Drive.

Funding Source(s): Comprehensive School Funding/Title I

Action Steps	Start Date	Person Responsible	Resources	Completed/Date
30 days: August/September 2020 1. The Administrative Team will meet with	08/24/20	Administrative Team, all PLCs	PLC notes, goals and agendas – Solution Tree	□ On-going
staff to establish PLC requirements for the submittal of agenda and notes.  2. PLCs will meet to establish meeting norms and SMART goals.		Administrative Team, PLC leads and teachers	PLC notes, goals and agendas – Solution Tree	
3. PLCs will review student academic data.		Administrative Team, PLC leads and teachers	PLC notes, goals and agendas – Solution Tree	
4. PLCs will Identify essential learning standards.		Administrative Team, PLC leads and teachers	PLC notes, goals and agendas – Solution Tree	
5. PLCs will develop common Formative		Administrative Team, PLC leads and teachers	PLC notes, goals and agendas – Solution Tree	

Assessments and common rubrics 6. PLCs will determine and implement weekly tier 2 intervention days to work with students who need additional time to master concepts.		Administrative Team, PLC leads and teachers	PLC notes, goals and agendas – Solution Tree	
60 days: September/October	09/24/20			
2020				☐ On-going
1. PLCs will submit		PLC leads	Book Learning by Doing	
completed agendas				
and meeting notes,			PLC Central Middle	
within 24 hrs. of			School Agenda and Notes Guide	
meeting 2. PLCs will monitor		Central Middle School	Notes Guide	
progress toward		Administrative Team	Achievement Series	
identified SMART		and PLC leads	Data	
goals.				
3. PLCs will continue to		Central Middle School	iReady Data	
review student		Administrative Team		
academic data and		and PLC leads		
update data in Hope Room.				
4. PLCs will continue to		Central Middle School	Common Formative	
develop and		Administrative Team	Assessments and	
administer common		and PLC leads	Common Rubrics	
Formative				
Assessments and				

utilize common rubrics to assess student progress.  5. PLCs will continue with weekly tier 2 intervention days to work with students who need additional time to master concepts.		Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads		
90 days: October/November 2020  1. PLCs will continue to upload completed agendas and meeting notes, within 24 hrs. meeting completion.  2. PLCs will continue to monitor progress toward identified SMART goals.  3. PLCs will continue to review student academic data and update data in Hope Room.  4. PLCs will continue to develop and administer common	10/24/20	PLC leads  Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads  Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads  Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads	Book Learning by Doing  PLC Central Middle School Agenda and Notes Guide  Student academic data.  Student academic data.  Common Formative Assessments	□ On-going

Formative Assessments and utilize common rubrics to assess student progress.  5. PLCs will continue with weekly tier 2 intervention days to work with students who need additional time to master concepts.		Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads	Common Rubrics	
Long Range:  1. PLCs will continue to upload completed agendas and meeting notes, within 24 hrs. meeting completion.  2. PLCs will continue to monitor progress toward identified SMART goals.	11/24/20	PLC leads  Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads	Book Learning by Doing  PLC Central Middle School Agenda and Notes Guide  Student academic data.	□ 05/20/21
<ul> <li>3. PLCs will continue to review student academic data and update data in Hope Room.</li> <li>4. PLCs will continue to develop and administer common Formative Assessments and</li> </ul>		Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads  Central Middle School Administrative Team and PLC leads	Common Formative Assessments and Common Rubrics	

utilize common rubrics to assess student progress.  5. PLCs will continue with weekly tier 2 intervention days to work with students who need additional time to master concepts.	
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Goal #3 - Circle the appropriate Pillar of the Continuous Improvement System this goal falls under:					
Leadership	Collaborative Climate	Effective Teaching and	Data-Based Decision	Alignment of Standards	
and Culture Learning Making and Curriculum					
SMART (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant and Timely) Goal #3					

During the 2020-2021 SY, Central Middle School Administrative Team, responsible for ensuring the high academic achievement for all students, will utilize the math and reading interventionists to work with students who have scored below basic in math and ELA on the MAP in spring of 2019. The Central Middle School administrative team will ensure teachers provide weekly tier 2 interventions for students who need additional time to master concepts. This will result in a 10% increase in the number of students scoring proficient and advanced on the 2021 MAP. Fall 2019 iReady, Achievement Series and 2018 MAP scores will be used to place students in appropriate intervention classes. Semester iReady, Achievement Series and Spring Mock MAP scores will be used to assess effectiveness.

Due to COVID-19, faculty and administration will utilize virtual or online means to meet the needs of students' learning to ensure their readiness for each grade level. This may include distance learning, extended school year or further professional development. This may also require the purchase of training, materials and/or technology devices in order to carry out the learning and meet the needs of families during this time of crisis.

- S Math and Reading interventionists will meet with specific students daily to improve functional skills and move closer to grade level
- M iReady, Achievement Series, MAP data
- A Students will receive specific interventions daily based on their academic data
- R Intervention time is part of the student schedule
- T 2020-2021 SY with 30, 60, and 90 day checkpoints

# Rationale (name of the existing conditions/data points to support the selection of the objective/goal)

MAP 4-Year Trend Data (% of students scoring proficient or advanced):

	2015	2016	2017	2018
ELA	11.21%	19.75%	20.52%	11.1%
Math	4.52%	8.16%	5.36%	6.3%

MAP Scores:	2016	2017	2018
ELA	19.7	20.5	11.1
Math	8.2	5.4	6.3
Science	12.1	12.4	(Field Test)

(% scoring proficient and advanced)

Greater than 90% of students scoring consistently basic and below basic in math and 80% of students consistently scoring basic and below basic in ELA supports the need for math and reading intervention. The interventionists will work with specific students to help improve their fundamental skills and provide time to build the foundation for stronger understanding and higher assessment scores in these areas.

### **Strategies for Improvement**

- 1. Reading and Math interventionists will be used for tier 3 intervention during a designated intervention class that will be on the student schedule.
- 2. For those students who have scored in the basic category, they will have intervention with TPT (Tomorrow's Promise Today) 2x weekly for math. The days students are not meeting with TPT they will be in a study hall/character class.

### Funding Source(s): Comprehensive School Plan/Title I

Action Steps	Start Date	Person Responsible	Resources	Completed/Date
30 Days:	08/24/20			
August/September				☐ On-going
2020				
1. Teachers will		Central Middle School	District Pre-Assessment	
administer district		Teachers		
Pre-Tests and			Student Data Trackers	
analyze data in order				
to plan for				
instruction that				
addresses student				
needs.				
2. Teachers will begin				
using student		CMS Teachers	Student Trackers	

trackers so students can become responsible for their learning. 3. Teachers will upload their lesson plans weekly to Google Drive.		Central Middle School Teachers and Administrative Team	CIPD Curriculum Google Drive	
60 days: September/October 2020	09/24/20			☐ On-going
1. Teachers will administer district Pre-Tests/Post-Tests and analyze data in order to plan for instruction that addresses student needs.		Central Middle School Teachers	District Pre and Post Assessments	
2. Teachers will continue to update data walls in classrooms and utilize student trackers.		Central Middle School Teachers	Student Academic Data	
3. Teachers and administration will meet weekly to review academic data.		Administrative Team	Data Notebook	

4. Teachers will continue to upload lesson plans to Google Drive		KCPS curriculum		
90 days: October/November 2018  1. Teachers will administer district Pre-Tests/Post-Tests and analyze data in order to plan for instruction that addresses student needs.  2. Teachers will continue updating classroom data walls.  3. Teachers and administration will	10/12/19	Central Middle School Teachers  Central Middle School Administrative Team Central Middle School	District Pre and Post Assessments  CIPD Curriculum	□ On-going
continue to meet weekly to review academic data.  Long Range 1. Teachers will administer district Pre-Tests/Post-Tests and analyze data in order to plan for instruction that	11/24/20	Administrative Team  Central Middle School Teachers	Data Notebook  District Pre and Post Assessments	□ 05/20/21

addresses student needs.  2. Teachers will continue to update their classroom data	Administrative Team		
walls. 3. Teachers and administration will continue to meet weekly to review academic data.	Central Middle School Administrative Team	Data Notebook	
Superintendent	Date		
State Supervisor, School Improvement	Date		
Federal Programs Supervisor/School Improv	vement Staff Date		