



District Literacy Team



The Friendship School



LEARN Team

Coaches

District Leaders

Multilanguage Learners

Special Education

Teachers

Principals



Our Plan

Year One Anticipated Outcomes

- Articulate “We Believe” Statements
- Identify Core Literacy Block Components





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Year One Anticipated Outcomes

- Create or Refine Look Fors/Essential Agreements
- Create or Refine Assessment Calendars

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Year One Anticipated Outcomes

- Build Out/Share Tiers of Literacy Instruction
- Utilize Collected Data to Identify Professional Learning Needs



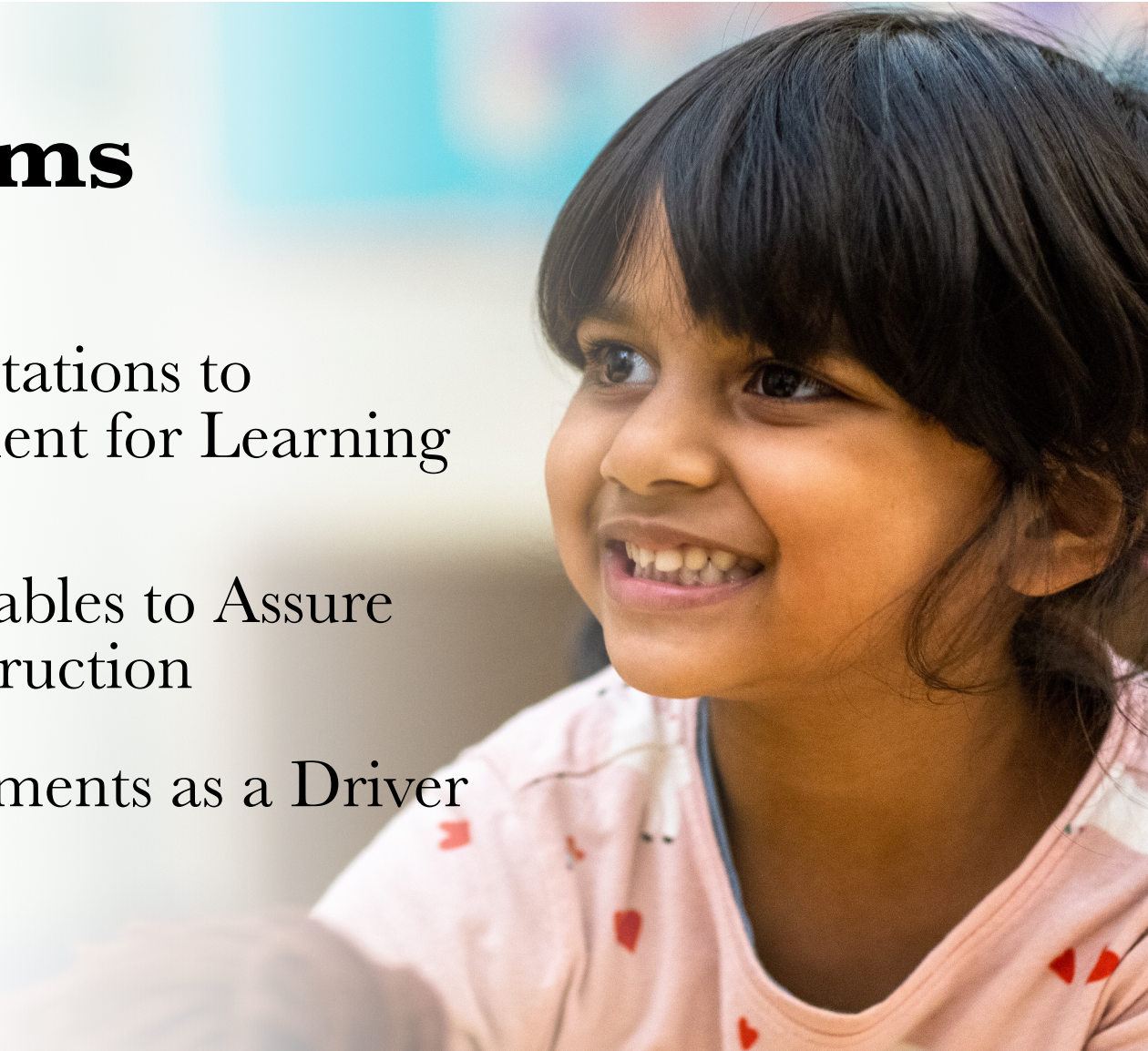
Tier 1 Systems

- Created and Refined “We Believe” Statements
- Articulated Current Practices/Expectations



Tier 1 Systems

- Created Shared Expectations to Establish an Environment for Learning
- Identified Non-Negotiables to Assure Equity in Literacy Instruction
- Examined Unit Assessments as a Driver of Instruction





MTSS Development

- Revised Intervention Menus
- Examined Student Needs (Holistically)
- Increased Review Opportunities
- Focused on Each Child's Needs
 - Class meeting student reviews
- Incorporated Multiple Perspectives
 - Special education
 - Multilanguage learners
- Implemented MTSS Case Studies

Staff: Equity Cycles

- Designed a System of Equity Cycles
 - Focus on learning
 - Articulate expectations
 - Check on implementation
 - Monitor impact
 - Adjust



Training of All Staff

- Trained All Teachers
 - Heggerty (piloting)
 - Lexia
 - Heggerty and Foundations
 - Special education teachers
- Grounded in Data
 - Reteaching
 - Instructional Planning



Challenges

Shifting Mindsets

- Use of Existing Resources
 - Training
 - Professional Learning
 - Curriculum
- Share New or Reinforced Learning
 - All staff





Challenges: Staffing and Systems

- Sustain Professional Learning
- Allocate Resources to Commit to Professional Learning Time
- Navigate Staffing Challenges

Learned: Mastery

and Not Skipping Steps

- Teach to Mastery
 - What if a student is missing a key piece?
- Collect and Use Data
 - Knowing our impact
 - Addressing needs



Lesson Learned: Focused Improvement

- Narrow Focus for Actual Improvement
- Shift Focus of Ownership of ALL Students



Looking Ahead: Enhancing Professional Learning

- Leverage Available Resources
- Train in LETRS
 - Internally and regionally
- Dig into Vocabulary
 - Integrate into units/interactive read-alouds
- Examine SOR Implications for Grades 4-5 and Beyond



Looking Ahead: Data Systems

- Implement Data Warehouse/District Data System
- Examine Intervention Data and Assessment Calendars to Inform Professional Learning



Cross-School Alignment

- Restructure Schools/Grade levels
- Collaborate Cross-Schools for Shared Expectations

