

2024-2025 Professional Development Plan

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On Wednesday, March 13, 2024 the committee members met with Nicole in Mrs. McDonald's classroom at 3:35. We discussed the final 3 hours of PIR time that remain in this school year on the last day of school. Then, we turned our focus to the 2024-2025 school year PIR time.

Our first 2 days together in August will include the following: opening speaker Travis Neimeyer, elementary principal from Billings presenting "First Five" for 90 minutes. We will also schedule in 1 hour of MAPS training so teachers have an introduction to the new district wide assessment tool. There may also need to be 20 minutes or less of GoGuardian training for the entire staff from Mike—this is an additional safeguard for internet use. Other traditional meetings will be included throughout these 2 days as well.

Next, we discuss our 3 1PM outs where we get 3 hour chunks of PD time. Our first 1PM out will be in January and the committee agreed that it would be a good time to dive deeper into our MAPS assessment tool where we have a trainer to teach us how to read the data, compare fall and winter data checkpoints, and use the data to drive instruction.

Our second 1PM out will be used for Mental Health 1st Aid for the entire staff. The normal class is typically more than 3 hours, but we will take what we can get in these 3 hours.

Our 3rd and final 1PM out will be used for Indian Education for All training. We hope to bring in a trainer for our 3 hours together.