

Northern Elementary School SBLT

October 17th, 2024

2024-2025 SBLT Team

Principal: Nicole Weeks

Asst. Principal: Tyron McMillon

CF: Tricia Archer

Members: Traci Browning, Gena Farrior, Sydney Rogers, Lori Vernon, David Hammack, Susan McCormick, Guy Vann, Michelle Worthy, Andrea Matkins, Elizabeth Spencer

Parent Reps: Kimberly Brenneman and Kate Cruz

2024-2025 NES School Improvement Plan:

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will increase its **Reading** Proficiency by at least 3 percentage points from 73.3 to 76.3. (3rd: 76.2 to 79.2; 4th: 76.6 to 79.6; 5th: 68.4 to 71.4)

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will increase its **Math** Proficiency by at least 3 percentage points from 85.3 to 88.3. (3rd: 91.4 to 94.4; 4th: 82.2 to 85.2; 5th: 83.1 to 86.1)

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will increase its **Science** Proficiency by at least 3 percentage points from 83.8 to 86.8.

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will maintain the number of **lost instructional days** resulting from discipline referrals. During the 23-24 school year, there were 6.65 days of lost instructional time.

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Northern Elementary will decrease **chronic student absences** (10% or more of days enrolled) by 5 percentage points, from 9.2% in 2023-2024 to 4.2% in 2024-2025.

Agenda Item	Indicator	SIP Goal
Welcome/ Meeting Called to Order		
Approval of Minutes		
Andrea Matkins representing the Tag Committee		
Lori Vernon Seconded		
<u>Celebrations</u> Kindergarten: Nothing to share at this time. 1st Grade: Nothing to share at this time. 2nd Grade: Nothing to share at this time. 3rd Grade: Ready to roll out Progress Learning		

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4th Grade: Ready to roll out Progress Learning

5th Grade: Ready to roll out Progress Learning, Using it together.

CF- Teachers shared materials and were ready for PLC's. Active Participation

AG- All screenings and identifications completed- 178 students.

Specialists: Nothing to share at this time.

Principal's Report

All decisions are made with thought and thoughts made towards Children.

Review of Data

Chronic Absenteeism Rate- 15.9%

NWEA Math Data- Overall doing very well in K-5th.

Reading NWEA- Overall doing very well 4th-5th grade.

As we can, things will continue to be updated.

C2.01

Math,
Reading
, and
Science
Goals

Committee Reports

- ILT
 - Reviewed Planning, teaching, reflecting posters.
 - Pre-planned the sorting activity at the staff meeting
- Behavior/Attendance
 - Reviewing attendance for students falling under chronic absenteeism radar. Talking through process about mentoring groups/screenings for Check in-Check out system.
- Math
 - Making sure we are all transparent about our processes.
- ELA
 - What is happening in the lower grades and how it is bridged to upper grades.
 - Goal is Vocabulary (12 Powerful Words-discussed for K-5)
- Science/Social Studies
 - How are we teaching those standards?
- Hospitality
 - Join hospitality, how will we continue to celebrate Retirements etc. Monthly gatherings, EOY gatherings, Winter Gathering.

A4.16

All SIP
Goals

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SEL (part of A4.06 discussion) 		
<p>Indicators Review</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #1 A.4.06 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Minimum of a classroom Greeting and Schedule Overview. - Concern for 4th grade team and 5 grade team(s). It was stated that teachers should “Make it work for you and honor the purpose.” • #2 B.2.03 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -The school has established a team structure among teachers with specific duties and time for instructional planning. - Vision Statements created for PLCs. -Hospitality committee updating bylaws. -ILT sharing more information with team members, these will be linked on the Northern Website alongside other Vertical Committee reports. • #3 C.2.01 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 5th grade ELA, female scores dropped from 84% to 62% and grew back to 66%. - Female students out-performed Male students in both Reading and Math EOGs. - Black, Hispanic, Students with Disabilities, and Socio-Economically affected students are significantly lower than others. - It’s important to look at if these students fall under the subgroups of Chronic Absenteeism, Behavior, etc. - A good action step would be to “sub-group” students in order to determine who falls where and where your data set is coming from. - Target students based on individual data/Cross Reference where needed. 		All SIP Goals
<p>Upcoming Calendar Items</p> <p>October</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 25th- Fall Festival - 25th- Students can dress up as their favorite Character - 25th- 5th grade Performance 5:15 <p>November</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1st- Kid’s Voting - 6th- Author Visit (K-5) - 8th- Hawks Hobbies - 19th Book Fair Preview (Students) 	E2.02	

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 20th-22nd Book fair (Parents only) 		
<p>New Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MTAC - Books, articles, movies, speakers. Details will be emailed to all teachers. Reading Buddies from the Highschool, 5th grade library helpers, EBOB is on-going, We are participating in the 1 Million Minutes Beanstack Challenge (Northern has a goal of reading 10,000 minutes for the 24-25 school year through Beanstack.) - Any concerns, feel free to reach out to L. Probst. • Progress Learning - 3 different types of Training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 2 virtual custom training sessions for \$500 (each virtual session is 1 hour) - 4 virtual custom training sessions for \$1,000 - In-person training for the entire day would be \$2,000 - OR do we utilize our own staff to train?? - As a whole, everyone is working through the program and if additional assistance is needed, reach out to 4th grade team. • Science Fair - Interest forms Due Nov. 1st, 5PM (If going to the county—Jan 16th. 8AM-2PM) - Documents must be submitted by Jan 9th. - Last year: December 18th was the general due date 2023/2024. - 2-5 will have their Science Fair project completed the week prior to winter break. The exact date will be determined at a later date. 	B1.05	
<p>Old Business</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PTA Member <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - PTA prefers to have a vote, however if this is not possible, they would like to rotate their participants in order to attend the meeting. - It was agreed that the PTA member will attend but not have a vote at SBLT meetings held. • Weather Policy <u>Warm Weather</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 85-95 Monitor Activity - 95 and Above – Inside Recess 	B.1.05	

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<u>Cold Weather</u> Guy Vann moved to approve the Weather Policy Susan McCormick seconded this motion. All approved. David Hammack moved to adjourn the meeting. Guyy Vann Seconded. Meeting adjourned.		
Set Agenda for Next Meeting		
Adjournment		