

Jefferson Elementary Site Goals



1 Decrease the number of chronically absent students to less than 20% for the 24–25 school year.

Implement the *Attendance Matters* initiative, which includes magnets, flyers and other materials that will be shared with families during conferences and CS events.

Identify families that are chronically absent at bi-weekly attendance meetings, and determine a strategy for intervention which includes outreach by social worker, principal, and asst. principal.

Implement *Falcons Beyond* as an intervention strategy for chronically absent students. Outreach will include contact by FACES, CS Coordinator, focus groups and school day teacher.

2 Increase positive student focused communication

Initiate 1,000+ positive engagements between Jefferson staff and families during the 24–25 school year.

Increase understanding of lived experiences of those in the community including students, family, and staff through training, simulations and focus groups. Specific opportunities include a poverty simulation, Falcon Days PD, and FACES success and challenges analysis.

3 Engage 150 students for 50+ hours in *Falcons Beyond* programming

Market *Falcons Beyond* programming through flyers, social media and word of mouth.

Implement and market Friday *Falcons Beyond* programming to Somali families.

Implement Friday sports league (soccer, basketball) programming for students and staff.

Work with youth, community partners and staff to reintroduce a chess program at *Falcons Beyond*.

Work with Little Falcons to provide and promote a *Faribault Cheer and Dance* workshop.

