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2023-24 Cluster Advisory Team Cluster Plan Status Update Jackson Cluster

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Priority 1: FAMILIES + COMMUNITIES
High-Level Status Update

Status Date
March 12, 2024

Priority Description: Demonstrate cluster unity through collaboration of events to bring Jackson cluster families together.

Last Status
10.16.23

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03.12.24

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- Action Steps:
- 1. Jackson Cluster Arts Showcase

Priority Highlights

Key Activities Completed

- ✓ 02.08.24-Jackson Cluster Performing Arts Night @ MJJ:
- Chorus
- Visual Arts
- Orchestra
- Jazz Band

Key Activities through SY 23-24

- Plan for SY25 – Annual Arts Event

DELIVERABLES | TIMELINES

Key Deliverables	Responsible	Due	Status

BENCHMARKS | CRITICAL SUCCESS FACTORS

- Attendance (Families, District Leaders, Board Members)
- All Cluster Schools Participate
- Various Art Forms (Diverse Music)





Priority 2: SCHOOLS
High-Level Status Update

Status Date
March 12, 2024

Priority Description: Streamline cluster-wide communication.

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- Action Steps:
- 1. Use School Communication Ambassadors
 - 2. Cluster Newsletter

Priority Highlights

Key Activities Completed

- ✓ Each school posts cluster-wide info to their pages

Key Activities through SY 23-24

- Plan for SY25
- Cluster Calendar
- Ms. Foushee, Media Specialist @ BAMO – Cluster Communications Ambassador

DELIVERABLES | TIMELINES

Key Deliverables	Responsible	Due	Status
Submit formal request to APS Comms	S.Y. Champion	03.13.24	Complete

BENCHMARKS | CRITICAL SUCCESS FACTORS

- Increased engagement
- Intentional vertical alignment from feeder schools

