

# Jensen Elementary Scholastic Academy 2020-2022 plan summary

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## Team Meetings

No meetings saved for this plan.

## Framework

### Category scoring

- 1 NONE or FEW of the practices are CONSISTENTLY evident.
- 2 FEW of the practices are CONSISTENTLY evident for FEW students and/or staff.
- 3 MOST of the practices are CONSISTENTLY evident for SOME students and/or staff.
- 4 Nearly ALL practices are CONSISTENTLY evident for ALL students and/or staff.

### Subcategory scoring

- 1 Practice is not consistently evident for ANY students and/or staff.
- 2 Practice is CONSISTENTLY evident for FEW students and/or staff.
- 3 Practice is CONSISTENTLY evident for SOME students and/or staff.
- 4 Practice is CONSISTENTLY evident for ALL students and/or staff.
- Not scored

## Leadership and Structure for Continuous Improvement

- 3 - Leadership for Continuous Improvement
  - 3 Set the direction and create a sense of purpose by building consensus on and implementing a shared vision
  - 3 Inspire a culture of collective responsibility for ALL students to succeed and for building a safer and more supportive environment throughout the school, not just in their own classrooms (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 2 Empower others to make or influence significant decisions (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Enable staff to focus and prioritize what matters most
  - 2 Employ the skills to effectively manage change
  - 3 Make "safe practice" an integral part of professional learning
  - 3 Collaborate, value transparency, and inform and engage stakeholders
  - **Evidence:** Grade level leaders & ILT have been established. Communication to staff is transparent. Increase informal classroom visits with 24 hour feedback. Implementation of school-wide Dojo. N5 Pacing guide and interim assessment!
- 3 - Structure for Continuous Improvement
  - 3 Engage in ongoing inquiry (e.g. continuous improvement cycles) as a basis for improvement
  - 3 Build the capacity of teacher teams to lead cycles of learning and problem solving focused on student learning data and student work
  - 3 Design professional learning (PL) to achieve school-wide improvement goals
  - 3 Design and implement school day schedules that are responsive to student needs
  - 3 Align the budget to the CIWP priorities and the mission of the school
  - 3 Strategically hire, assign, and retain teachers to create balanced grade/content teams with a variety of strengths to ensure all students have equitable access to high-quality teachers
  - 2 The local school council (LSC) or another community oversight committee of board is actively and productively involved in supporting SEL initiatives and improvements to school climate (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Physical surroundings convey a positive, student-centered school environment (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - **Evidence:**

## Depth and Breadth of Student Learning and Quality Teaching

- 3 - Curriculum
  - 3 Provide culturally relevant/sustaining curriculum that provides opportunities to explore and celebrate student's communities, culture, history, and language
  - 3 Utilize the "big ideas" that should be taught to determine whether students are being taught the body of knowledge, the understandings, and the skills expected
  - 3 Curriculum connects to real world, authentic application of learning
  - 3 Curriculum is aligned to expectations of the standards
  - 3 Integrate the teaching of academics and the ISBE Social Emotional Learning Standards (REQUIRED: OSEL)

- 3 Expand access to diverse, contemporary well-stocked text collections that provide opportunities for all students to engage with text from a wide range of genres, including text of appropriate grade level complexity
  - **Evidence:**
- 3 - Instruction
  - 3 Create a culture that reflects high expectations for all students and enables practice and perseverance for each individual student (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 2 Engage students in learning and foster student ownership
  - 2 Use questioning and discussion as techniques to deepen student understanding
  - 2 Plan and assign tasks that are cognitively challenging for individual students and require students to provide evidence of their reasoning
  - 3 Provide students frequent, informative feedback
  - 3 Persist in adjusting instruction so individual student misunderstandings or advanced needs are successfully accommodated
  - 2 Engage all learners in content areas by differentiating and fully integrating opportunities for all learners
  - 3 Tasks convey the key shifts and practices of the discipline. (See departmental guidance for Arts Education, Health and Physical Education, Literacy, Math, Science, Social Science & Civic Engagement)
  - **Evidence:** Small group schedules and work folders, Accelerated reader allows for scholar choice of text. Student NWEA goal setting and
- 2 - Balanced Assessment and Grading
  - 2 School-based teams discuss and monitor the effect of teaching on student learning, integrate formative assessment into instruction and intervention of individual students
  - 3 Use multiple measures (i.e. a range of assessment types and at multiple points in time) to supplement district-centralized assessments with other formative assessments to provide a more comprehensive picture of student learning
  - 2 ILT, GLT, and interventionists use a Problem Solving Process approach to screening, diagnostic, and progress monitoring assessments to identify specific gaps and monitoring improvement for students within all tiers
  - 3 Make assessments accessible to students, including diverse learners and English Learners through employing features of universal design and use of accommodations and, where needed, modifications
  - 2 Utilize assessments that reflect the key shifts in content areas in teacher created or selected assessments
  - 3 Utilize assessments that measure the development of academic language for English learners
  - 2 Have access to and analyze school-wide, teacher team, and classroom assessment data to determine instructional effectiveness, in house criteria, and subsequent learning needs
  - 3 Improve and promote assessment literacy
  - 2 Have a grading system that clearly, accurately, consistently, and fairly communicates learning progress and achievement to students, families, postsecondary institutions, and prospective employers
  - **Evidence:**
- 2 - MTSS
  - 2 ON TRACK - Provide universal supports to prevent failing and absenteeism and targeted interventions for grades below 2C or chronic absenteeism (REQUIRED: MTSS)
  - 3 MTSS Team completes SEF ratings for MTSS subcategories (denoted as "REQUIRED MTSS") at MOY and EOY to reflect on MTSS fidelity of implementation (REQUIRED: MTSS)

- 3 MTSS Team uses MTSS Framework Implementation Guide or other resources from Central Office to align priorities to outcomes (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- 3 Administration supports MTSS Team with resources needed to make changes to framework/system (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- 2 School tracks growth of ALL students, specifically students receiving Tier 2 and Tier 3 supports based on district-wide available data to accurately assess student achievement results and school practices (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Shared Leadership: Administration recruits a diverse MTSS core team (content areas, counselors, etc.), or identifies an existing team that is responsible for driving the school's MTSS Framework and Implementation (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Shared Leadership: MTSS Team uses multiple data sources to determine local Tiering Criteria For Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3 interventions (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Shared Leadership: MTSS Team develops a Menu of Interventions that clearly outlines the supports, resources, system and structures for Tier 1, Tier 2, and Tier 3 (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 2 Shared Leadership: School Teams communicate MTSS related outcomes to all stakeholders (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 2 Problem Solving Process: MTSS Team, teachers, and intervention providers use the Problem Solving Process (PSP) to identify root causes and contributing factors of deficit areas (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 2 Problem Solving Process: MTSS Team gathers and utilizes multiple data sources to define the problems and take action for Tiers 1, 2, and 3 (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Curriculum and Instruction: Instructional staff provides culturally relevant, high-quality, standards-aligned curriculum in which SEL instruction is embedded into core content (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Curriculum and Instruction: Instructional staff provides differentiated instruction to meet the needs of all students (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- 2 Curriculum and Instruction: Instructional staff provides interventions that are research-based (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 2 Curriculum and Instruction: School Teams analyze data to prioritize opportunities to improve instruction, guide grouping, re-teaching and to identify/prioritize instructional needs (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- 2 Progress Monitoring (PM): School identifies and uses a research-based diagnostic tool and process to determine root-cause and area of need for Tier 2 and Tier 3 supports (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 2 Progress Monitoring (PM): School Teams progress monitor and analyze student response to intervention throughout the intervention cycle to determine and implement needed adjustments (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 2 Progress Monitoring (PM): MTSS Team clearly defines the method, duration, frequency, and measures for progress monitoring (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Family & Community Engagement: School establishes regular communication with families to build their understanding of MTSS, purpose of interventions and tiered support systems, and how it will support their child (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Family & Community Engagement: School teams develop a process of communication for formally notifying parents/families when their child is selected to receive Tier 2 or Tier 3 interventions (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Family & Community Engagement: Administration and school teams establish and continually evaluate community partnerships to support MTSS implementation (i.e. providing Tier 2 or Tier 3 supports) (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Family & Community Engagement: School teams ensure that feedback/input from families is taken into consideration during the PSP and intervention planning (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)

- 3 Family & Community Engagement: School engages families in supporting with progress monitoring of their students (REQUIRED: MTSS & OSEL)
- 3 Fidelity of Implementation: School teams utilize the SAM at BOY, MOY and EOY to reflect on MTSS fidelity of Implementation (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- 3 Fidelity of Implementation: School teams use MTSS Framework Implementation Guide and/or other resources from Central Office to align priorities to outcomes (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- 3 Fidelity of Implementation: School teams leverage other self-reflecting processes such as the SEF or the CIWP to evaluate and improve MTSS framework and implementation (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- 3 Fidelity of Implementation: Administration supports the fidelity of MTSS practices, principles, and resources needed to make suitable changes to systems and structures (REQUIRED: MTSS)
- **Evidence:**
- 3 - Transitions, College & Career Access, & Persistence
  - 3 TRANSITIONS - Have structures and processes in place to ensure successful transitions (e.g. into school, grade to grade, school to school, school to post-secondary)
  - 3 AWARENESS - Expose students early to academic/professional worlds beyond K-12
  - 3 READINESS ? Ensure equitable access to college preparatory curriculum
  - 3 SUCCESS - Provide direct assistance to all students and families through every stage of the college selection, application, and entry process (Transition to College (HS)) including, but not limited to academic planning/advising to assist with
  - **Evidence:**

## Quality and Character of School Life

- 3 - Relational Trust
  - 3 Foster respectful and supportive student-student interactions, with strong norms for responsible behavior, to encourage a sense of belonging to the school and the classroom community (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Foster supportive, caring and respectful staff-student interactions, so that each student has at least one trusted adult in the school (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Adults support and respect one another, personally and professionally (Teacher-Teacher Trust, Teacher-Principal Trust) (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - **Evidence:**
- 3 - Student Voice, Engagement, and Civic Life
  - 3 Study politics
  - 3 Become informed voters and participants in the electoral process
  - 3 Engage in discussions about current and controversial issues
  - 3 Explore their identities and beliefs (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Exercise student voice (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Authentically interact with community and civic leaders
  - 3 Engage with their community
  - 3 Take informed action where they work together to propose and advocate for solutions
  - 3 Experience a schoolwide civics culture
  - **Evidence:**
- 2 - Physical and Emotional Safety
  - 2 Ensure students and adults feel physically, socially, intellectually, and emotionally safe throughout the school (REQUIRED: OSEL)

- 2 Provide clear procedures for reporting and responding to concerns about safety and well-being (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 2 Manage efficient and orderly transitions between activities (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 A representative team (e.g. admins, teachers, staff, families, & students) dedicated to school climate development meets regularly to make decisions that promote SEL and create supportive, restorative, and trauma sensitive environments (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - **Evidence:**
- 2 - Supportive and Equitable Approaches to Discipline
  - 2 INSTRUCTIVE - Integrate universal SEL skills instruction in disciplinary responses (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 2 RESTORATIVE - Employ a discipline system that guides students to take ownership, resolve conflict, and learn from their actions (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 2 SUPPORTIVE - Employ a discipline system that assesses the root causes of student behaviors and utilizes a trauma-informed, multi-tiered approach to supportive social and emotional intervention (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 2 EQUITABLE - Employ a discipline system that ensures equity across groups of students, school-wide and district-wide (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - **Evidence:**
- 3 - Family & Community Engagement
  - 3 Establish a welcoming environment for families and community members that is warm, inviting, and helpful (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Provide frequent, high quality, well publicized opportunities for families and community to participate in authentic and engaging activities in the school community (e.g. student performances/ exhibitions, literacy, or math events).
  - 3 Provide multiple opportunities for parents to ask questions, raise concerns, and give feedback
  - 3 Teachers and families see each other as partners in educating children, and all families are directly invited to formally contribute and participate in decision-making about their children and about the school (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Communicate with families proactively and frequently about class and individual activities and individual student's progress (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Conduct intensive outreach to families in need of specialized support through home visits and collaboration with social service agencies (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - 3 Partner equitably with parents speaking languages other than English
  - 3 Partner with one or more organizations that share the values of the school and have a complementary mission to the school's vision (REQUIRED: OSEL)
  - **Evidence:**

## School Excellence Framework Priorities

Score	Framework dimension and category	Area of focus
2	Depth and Breadth of Student Learning and Quality Teaching: Balanced Assessment and Grading	2
2	Depth and Breadth of Student Learning and Quality Teaching: MTSS	0

Score	Framework dimension and category	Area of focus
2	Quality and Character of School Life: Physical and Emotional Safety	0
2	Quality and Character of School Life: Supportive and Equitable Approaches to Discipline	1
3	Depth and Breadth of Student Learning and Quality Teaching: Curriculum	0
3	Depth and Breadth of Student Learning and Quality Teaching: Instruction	3
3	Depth and Breadth of Student Learning and Quality Teaching: Transitions, College & Career Access, & Persistence	0
3	Leadership and Structure for Continuous Improvement: Leadership for Continuous Improvement	0
3	Leadership and Structure for Continuous Improvement: Structure for Continuous Improvement	0
3	Quality and Character of School Life: Family & Community Engagement	0
3	Quality and Character of School Life: Relational Trust	0
3	Quality and Character of School Life: Student Voice, Engagement, and Civic Life	0

# Goals

## Areas of critical need and root cause analysis

[X] By checking this box, I confirm that we have recalled previous data analysis, conducted new data analysis as needed, and indicated 3-5 areas of critical need in our school's CIWP Google sheet for the Area of Critical Need component. We will now move on to the Goals component.;

[X] By checking this box, I confirm that we have completed a root cause analysis for **each** area of critical need and indicated 3-5 root causes in our school's CIWP Google sheet for the Root Cause Analysis component.

## Vision metrics

Metrics (select 3-5)	Student groups (1-2 for each metric)	SY19 data actual (provided by CPS)	2020-2021 goal	2021-2022 goal
SQRP: % of Students Meeting/Exceeding National Avg Growth Norms (Grades 3-8)  abc	African American		60.00	65.00
Vision: Attendance Rate  abc	African American		94.50	95.00
SQRP: National School Attainment Percentile - Reading (Grade 2)  abc	African American		30.00	35.00
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**Required metrics (Elementary) (33% complete)**

	2018-2019 Actual	2019-2020 Actual	2019-2020 Goal	2020-2021 Goal	2021-2022 Goal
<b>My Voice, My School 5 Essentials Survey</b> increase from moderately organized to organized					

**Custom metrics (0% complete)**

2018-2019 Actual	2019-2020 Actual	2019-2020 Goal	2020-2021 Goal	2021-2022 Goal

**Strategies**

**Strategy 1**

If we do...	Create a professional learning cycle that's aligned to school-wide, individual goals, or performance management across the curriculum that's inclusive of differentiation, sufficient time, safe practice, and strategic implementation monitoring
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Then we see...	The delivery of high quality and rigorous CCSS instruction and scholar more engaged in the instructional partnership
which leads to...	All staff will have skills and a concrete understanding to meet expectations and increase scholar achievements and attainment levels
Budget Description	
Tags	Leadership for Continuous Improvement, Teacher Leader Development & Innovation: Distributed Leadership, Teacher Leader Development & Innovation: Teacher Teams
Action steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(Not started) Create structures that support authentic professional learning cycles which includes but is not limited to: job embedded professional learning communities, collaborative learning, provision of protected time for grade level and vertical planning, identification of informal/formal protocols to assess implementation practice</li> </ul> <p>Tags:Leadership for Continuous Improvement, Instruction</p>

**Strategy 2**

If we do...	Articulate a pyramid of preventions and interventions that include classroom based practices and strategies that all teachers implement and persist in adjusting instruction so individual student misunderstanding or advanced needs are successfully accommodated
Then we see...	The utilization of a root cause analysis/problem solving process to determine appropriate instructional interventions and a student tracking system that assesses the accuracy and effective use of interventions.
which leads to...	Significant Increase in all scholars achievement and attainment. Regular classroom instruction that identifies and addresses varied scholar needs and is focused in prevention and scaffolding to reduce the need for additional interventions.
Budget Description	
Tags	Leadership for Continuous Improvement, Instruction, Teacher Leader Development & Innovation: Teacher Teams
Action steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(Not started) Monitor students' grades every 5 weeks and send intervention notices home to alert parents of the current failing or in danger of failing grade(s)</li> </ul> <p>Tags:Leadership for Continuous Improvement, Instruction, Personalized Learning: Tailored Learning/Differentiation</p>

**Strategy 3**

If we do...	Develop a high-performing instructional leadership team that engages in ongoing aggressive inquiry as a basis for school improvement
Then we see...	Frequent meetings that analyze timely data and problem solving systems that lead to informed decision making and progress monitoring
which leads to...	Effective and shared leadership for improving school-wide teaching and learning and improved 5 essential data in regards to teacher collaboration and Teacher voice.
Budget Description	
Tags	Leadership for Continuous Improvement, Instruction, Teacher Leader Development & Innovation: Distributed Leadership, Teacher Leader Development & Innovation: Teacher Teams
Action steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(Not started) Organize the team around common understanding of team's purpose and instructional priorities.</li> </ul> <p>Tags:Leadership for Continuous Improvement, Instruction, Teacher Leader Development &amp; Innovation: Distributed Leadership, Teacher Leader Development &amp; Innovation: Teacher Teams</p>

**Strategy 4**

If we do...	Establish age-and-developmentally-appropriate behavioral expectations and create structures to implement frequent teaching and reinforcing of behaviors
Then we see...	Adults use of teachable moments and reinforcement of expected behaviors and ultimately a decrease in negative behaviors and an increase in the positive, expected behaviors
which leads to...	Students who exhibit positive behaviors demonstrate high levels of personal responsibility in social and academic settings; thus overall social and academic improvements school wide
Budget Description	
Tags	MTSS: Problem Solving Process, MTSS: Progress Monitoring
Action steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(Not started) Behavioral/Discipline Team will work to establish protocols and procedures for school wide management of student behaviors, both positive and negative</li> </ul> <p>Tags:MTSS: Problem Solving Process, ODLSS: Behavior Support</p>

**Strategy 5**

If we do...	Develop a consistent system of structures and procedures for successful creation and implementation of IEPs; as well as instructional practices and interventions for Diverse Learners
Then we see...	A consistent school wide IEP process and individualized interventions and instructional practices
which leads to...	An increase in the number of Diverse Learners meeting their targets and goals for IEPs and NWEA scores
Budget Description	
Tags	Assessment: Accessing and Analyzing Assessment Data for Instructional Effectiveness, Assessment: Monitoring Student Learning to Support Growth, ODLSS: Instructional Quality, ODLSS: Procedures and Standards
Action steps	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(Not started) DL Team will work with Admin to begin developing protocols and procedures process and identify strategies for instruction and interventions</li> </ul> <p>Tags:Assessment: Accessing and Analyzing Assessment Data for Instructional Effectiveness, Assessment: Monitoring Student Learning to Support Growth, ODLSS: Instructional Quality</p>

# Action Plan

## Strategy 1

Create structures that support authentic professional learning cycles which includes but is not limited to: job embedded professional learning communities, collaborative learning, provision of protected time for grade level and vertical planning, identification of informal/formal protocols to assess implementation practice

Jul 01, 2020 to Jun 15, 2021 - Principal, AP, ILT, GLT Leads

## Strategy 2

Monitor students' grades every 5 weeks and send intervention notices home to alert parents of the current failing or in danger of failing grade(s)

Jul 01, 2020 to Jun 15, 2021 - Teacher, Admin

## Strategy 3

Organize the team around common understanding of team's purpose and instructional priorities.

Jul 01, 2020 to Jun 01, 2021 - Admin, ILT

## Strategy 4

Behavioral/Discipline Team will work to establish protocols and procedures for school wide management of student behaviors, both positive and negative

Jul 15, 2020 to Jun 15, 2021 - AP, Counselor, Behavioral Team, MTSS team, Teachers & staff

### Strategy 5

DL Team will work with Admin to begin developing protocols and procedures process and identify strategies for instruction and interventions

Aug 17, 2020 to Jun 11, 2021 - Case manager, DL Team, admin

## Fund Compliance

### ESSA Program

ESSA Schoolwide Program

The school must annually review the schoolwide plan/program. The schoolwide program plan is available to CPS, parents, and the public, and the information in the plan is in an understandable and uniform format, and to the extent practicable in a language the parents can understand. Please list evidence for the ESSA Schoolwide Program requirements outlined below.

Non-title I school that does not receive any Title I funds

### ESSA Schoolwide Program

**A comprehensive needs assessment of the entire school that is based on the achievement of students relative to state content and achievement standards.**

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**Schoolwide reform strategies that provide opportunities for all students to meet proficient and advanced levels of academic achievement.**

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**Schoolwide reform strategies that use methods and instructional strategies based on scientifically-based research that strengthens the core academic program, increases the amount and quality of learning time, and includes strategies to meet the needs of historically underserved populations.**

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**Schoolwide reform strategies that address the needs of all students in the school, but particularly those students who are low achieving, at risk of not meeting the states academic achievement standards, and/or members of the target population of a program included in the schoolwide plan (includes strategies like: mentoring, counseling, pupil services, college career awareness, personal finance education, innovative teaching methods).**

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**Please describe the strategies used at your school to attract high-quality, highly-qualified teachers.**

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**High-quality and ongoing professional development based on scientifically based research for teachers, principals, paraprofessionals, and if appropriate, pupil service personnel, parents and other staff to ensure students meet state standards.**

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**Strategies to increase parent involvement, such as family literacy services.**

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**Plans for assisting preschool children in the transition from early childhood programs such as Head Start, Even Start, Early Reading First, or a state-run preschool program, to the local elementary program. \*\*Not applicable to middle or high school buildings.**

(Blank)

**Measures to include teachers in decisions regarding the use of academic assessments in order to improve the achievement of individual students and the overall instructional program.**

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**Activities to ensure that students who experience difficulty mastering the proficient or advanced levels of academic achievement standards shall be provided with effective, timely additional assistance, which shall include measures to ensure students' difficulties are identified on a timely basis and to provide sufficient information on which to base effective assistance.**

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**Coordination and integration of federal, state, and local services and programs including programs supported under No Child Left Behind, violence prevention programs, nutrition programs, housing programs, Head Start, adult education, vocational and technical education, and job training. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

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## **ESSA Targeted Assistance Program**

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## Parent Involvement and Schoolwide Programs

I verify that the statement below is correct

Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), the reauthorization of the Elementary and Secondary Act of 1965 continues a legislative commitment to parental involvement. Central features of prior reauthorizations, such as school-parent compacts, parent involvement policies, and the parent involvement funding formula remain unaltered. However, the ESSA reauthorization represents a notable shift in the role of parental involvement in the schools. It includes new provisions increasing parental notification requirements, parental selection of educational options, and parental involvement in governance. It envisions parents as informed and empowered decision makers in their children's education.

## Parent and Family Plan

### Parent and Family Engagement Policy (Complete)

**Schools must involve parents and family in the joint development and periodic review and revision of the ESSA, Title I school parental and family engagement plan and policy, and in the process of school review and improvement. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

Jensen will ensure that structures and processes are in place to consistently partner with stakeholders including parents, staff, and students. Administration, in collaboration with the Parent Advisory Council will establish a monthly calendar that includes Title I mandates. Principal will deliver a State of the School Address at the beginning of the school year (BOY), middle of the school year (MOY) and end of the school year (EOY). The first State Of School Address will take place later than October 1, 2020. Conduct annual PAC Informational and Organization Meeting and PAC will meet regularly so that parents/community will collaborate on parents' needs

**The school will hold an annual meeting at a time convenient to parents and families during the first month of school to inform them of the school's participation in ESSA, Title I programs and to explain the Title I requirements and their right to be involved in the Title I programs. The school will also offer a number of additional parental and family engagement meetings, including school PAC meetings, at different times and will invite all parents and key family members of children participating in the ESSA, Title I program to these meetings, and encourage them to attend. Please describe how this will be accomplished. Please list the projected date of your Title I Annual Meeting and your Title I PAC Organizational Meeting**

Jensen's Title I Annual Meeting and the Title I PAC Organizational Meeting will be well publicized in a timely manner (website, robo-call, website, mailing, marqui, etc). Principal will begin recruiting parents and informing parents of the Title I program in the Fall of 2020 and sign up parents at our Beginning of the year Parent meeting-TBD. In efforts to ensure consistency of meetings, the current PAC and Principal Okafor-Conley has agreed to schedule PAC bi-monthly meetings. A yearlong PAC meeting calendar and topics will be developed and communicated via newsletter, Jensen's Website, PAC bulletin board, and Robocalls.

**At the request of parents and family members, schools will provide opportunities for regular meetings, including the School Parent Advisory Council meetings, for parents and family members**

**to formulate suggestions and to participate, as appropriate, in decisions about the education of their children. Please describe how the school will immediately respond to any such suggestions.**

Jensen will provide multiple opportunities for parents to collaborate with teachers, school administration, and other parent groups within and external of the school district. During the Initial PAC 2020-2021 meeting, parents will receive explicit information on the Title I program and it's purpose of existence. In addition, principal will discuss current "academic" assessment measures and intervention resources (i.e NWEA MAP, IXL, etc). The Instructional Leadership Team (ILT) will be available to share best instructional strategies, teaching experiences, and grade level expected proficiency levels

**Schools will provide parents a report of their child's performance on the State assessment in at least math, language arts and reading. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

Jensen is dedicated to purposely engaging all families and parents in the academic and social success of students. Therefore, all parent suggestions will be authentically vetted and encouraged. In addition to bi-monthly PAC meetings, Jensen parents have multiple opportunities to contribute to their students' academic and social success (i.e family night, LSC, report card pick-up, etc. ) Jensen will hold 3 State of the School Address (BOY, MOY, EOY) The SOTS addresses will inform parents of both their scholar's progress on the State assessment in math, language arts and reading, attendance and behavior. In addition to their scholar's progress, the school-wide data (e.g SQRP attainment, five essentials, etc) will also be disseminated and discussed.

**Schools will provide parents timely notice when their child has been assigned to, or taught by, a teacher who is not "highly qualified," as defined in the Title I Final Regulations, for at least four (4) consecutive weeks. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

Principal and school district will ensure that every new hire is highly qualified. Principal will work closely with school district and Network office to ensure that all teaching candidates meet the State of Illinois teaching requirements and if applicable, endorsed in the course of study that is being taught. In the case that a scholar is assigned a teacher who is not "highly qualified," as defined in the Title I Final Regulations, for at least four (4) consecutive week, the school will mail a letter to parents notifying them as such and provide parents with a next step plan to resolve the concern.

**Schools will assist parents of participating ESSA Title I children in understanding: the state's academic content standards; the state's student academic achievement standards; the state and local academic assessments including alternate assessments; the requirements of Title I, Part A; how to monitor their child's progress; and how to work with educators. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

Jensen will hold 3 State of the School Address (BOY, MOY, EOY) This address will inform parents of both their scholar's progress on the State assessment in math, language arts and reading, attendance and behavior. In addition to their scholar's progress, the school-wide data (e.g SQRP attainment, five essentials, etc) will also be disseminated and discussed.

**Schools will provide information, resources, materials and training, including literacy training and technology, as appropriate, to assist parents and family members in working with their children to improve their academic achievement, and to encourage increased parental involvement. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

Jensen families will have access to a plethora of internal and external resources to assist them in working with their children to improve their academic success. A list of available resources will be available on the school's website, posted in the parent room, and made available upon request.

**Schools will educate all staff in the value and utility of contributions by parents and family and in how to reach out to, communicate and work with, parents and family as equal partners in the education of their children and in how to implement and coordinate parent and family programs and build ties with parents and family members. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

The principal, in collaboration with the PAC, will routinely assess parent needs and understanding of curriculum. PAC 's monthly meeting agenda will include parent trainings on relevant topics including but not limited to, academic assessments, local assessments, and requirements of Title I. Teachers will also play an intricate role in parent communication and explanation of expectations.

**Schools will, to the extent feasible and appropriate, coordinate and integrate parent and family programs and activities with Head Start, Reading First, Early Reading First involvement, Even Start, Home Instruction Programs for Preschool Youngsters, the Parents as Teachers Program, public preschool, and other programs, to further encourage and support parents and families in more fully participating in their children's education. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

Early childhood teachers and administration will purposely align parent programs and activities with Jensen's school wide priorities while simultaneously making adjustments as needed for this targeted group.

**Schools will ensure that information related to the school and parent and family programs, meetings, and other activities is sent to parents in understandable and uniform formats, including language. Please describe how this will be accomplished.**

All correspondences and communications will be delivered in a uniform format and multiple ways (I.e website, robo-call, flyers, etc?).

### Policy Implementation Activities

**The LSC will approve the school improvement plan and monitor the CIWP.**

**In the CIWP, the school identifies current parental and family engagement practices and outlines activities related to expanding parent and family partnership programs.**

**The school will coordinate the parent and family engagement programs identified in the CIWP.**

**The school will evaluate the Parent and Family Engagement Policy for effectiveness and make improvements as necessary.**

**Explain why any of the boxes above are unchecked: (type "n/a" if all are checked)**

N/A

### School-Parent Compact (Complete)

**The school will provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables the participating student to meet the State's student academic**



**achievement standards. Describe how the school will provide high-quality curriculum and instruction in a supportive environment. (Restate the school mission.)**

Who chooses to fail? We at Jensen believe that failure is not an option and that a quality education will provide our students the opportunity to have "choice"! Therefore, it is our mission to cultivate the mind of the total child and acknowledge the uniqueness of each being. As a result of high expectations, differentiation of instruction, and belief in our students, Jensen students will possess the ability to think intensively and critically.

**The school will hold parent-teacher conferences. Describe the kinds of parent-teacher conferences that will be held and the dates on which they are scheduled.**

In addition to the traditional five week progress reports, 10 week report card pick up, and data informational meetings, individual parent conferences will be scheduled on an as needed basis.

**The school will provide parents with frequent reports on their children's progress. Describe when and how the school will provide reports to parents.**

In addition to the traditional five week progress reports, 10 week report card pick up, and data informational meetings, individual parent conferences will be scheduled on an as needed basis. Although parents only only required to pick up reports card two times a years, grade level teams request mandatory conferences for scholars who are not on track. The 5-week progress reports will also be accompanied by intervention notices that inform parents of their students' "failing or in danger of failing" status and provides an invitation to conference and suggestions on how to assist the student. Additional assessment data will be communicated to parents once available.

**The school will provide parents access to staff. Describe when, where and how staff will be available for consultations with parents.**

Teachers will establish parent communication measures and include in them in the beginning of the school year letter. Parents will be able to make contact with parents via Parent -Portal, CPS email, and based on availability before/after school hours.

**The school will provide parents opportunities to volunteer and participate in their children's classes. Describe how and when parents and family members may volunteer, participate, and observe classroom activities.**

PAC in collaboration with administration will develop short term and long term plans for family engagement activities that align the school's community content and uniqueness. Grade level teams will create a monthly calendar that promotes parent engagement and involvement. Jensen will ensure that structures and processes are in place to consistently partner with stakeholders including parents, staff, and students. Parents are strongly encouraged to volunteer within the school. If interested, parents should contact the main office to receive further instructions for submitting an application.

**The parents will support their children's learning. Describe how the parents will assist learning (i.e. monitoring attendance, homework completion).**

Parents are encouraged to sign up for parent portal and review their scholar's assignment books daily.

**The parents will participate in decisions relating to the education of their children. Describe when, where and how parents will consult with the school.**

PAC in collaboration with administration will develop short term and long term plans for family engagement activities that align the school's community content and uniqueness. Grade level teams will create a monthly calendar that promotes parent engagement and involvement.

**The students will share the responsibility for improved student academic achievement. Describe how the students will assure academic achievement (i.e. good attendance, positive attitude, class preparation).**

Students will be encouraged and praised for good attendance by way of school wide incentives and initiatives to support and acknowledge their efforts for coming to school. A school wide motto of "High Expectations, High Achievement, Everyone, Everyday" is posted throughout the school and evident in all communications to students, staff and parents to promote positive attitudes toward learning and overall preparation for college and career readiness.

## Parent Budget (Complete)

**Goals: Indicate goals, timeline of activities and training topics that are designed to assist parents and families with increasing their students' academic achievement. The overarching goal is to increase student academic achievement through parental and family engagement involvement; specify your goals.**

Create a flexible definition of engagement that values multiple types of family engagement and interactions; Gather and evaluate data from families about the quality of family engagement (SQRP); Establish a non threatening welcoming environment that is warm, inviting, and helpful (parent resource room) ; Communicate frequently with parents (handbook, website, Robo Calls,etc); Solicit the support & engagement of families as partners in the instructional program (volunteering opportunities, workshops, etc.)

**Allocate your Mandated Title 1 Parent and Family Engagement Funds to support your Parent and Family Engagement Program.**

**Account(s)**

**Description**

**Allocation**

<b>51130, 52130</b>	<b>Teacher Presenter/ESP Extended Day</b> For Teacher presenter, ESP Extended Day, please remember to put money on the benefits line. Non-Instructional pay rate applies.	\$0.00
<b>53405</b>	<b>Supplies</b> In addition to supplies for parent program, please use this account to also purchase books for parents only. Use this account for equipment with a per unit cost of less than \$500.	\$500.00
<b>53205</b>	<b>Refreshments</b> Allocation CAN NOT EXCEED 25% of the Parent Budget. Refreshments must be used for Title 1 PAC meetings, trainings and workshops.	\$800.00

<b>54125</b>	<b>Consultants</b> For Parent Training Only. Consultant must have a CPS vendor number and paid with a Purchase Order after service is rendered (NO CHECKS ARE ALLOWED)	\$1000.00
<b>54505</b>	<b>Admission and Registration Fees, Subscriptions and memberships</b> For Parents use only.	\$500.00
<b>54205</b>	<b>Travel</b> Buses for Parents use. Overnight Conference travel- schools must follow the CPS Travel Policy. The CPS Parent Overnight Travel Approval Form and Conference Travel Form must be completed.	\$0.00
<b>54565</b>	<b>Reimbursements</b> Allocation CAN NOT EXCEED 25% OF THE Parent Budget. All Parent Reimbursements related to Title 1 parent and family engagement must be paid from this account. Receipts must be clear unaltered and itemized. School must keep all receipts.	\$0.00
<b>53510</b>	<b>Postage</b> Must be used for parent and family engagement programs only.	\$0.00
<b>53306</b>	<b>Software</b> Must be educational and for parent use only.	\$0.00
<b>55005</b>	<b>Furniture and Equipment</b> Must have a parent room or a secure place to keep furniture/equipment. Cannot be placed in the main office or where staff and students have access too. To be used only by parents.	\$0.00