

BSD#7 LRSP Strategic Objective ACTION PLAN: 2010-11 1.02 MOST P+ Writing

Action Plan Projected Completion Date: Spring 2013	Leader: Ms. Janssen	
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Strategic Objective (SO): 1.02 Proficient Plus (P+) goals will be determined in Math, Reading, Science and Writing based upon district and state assessments, with future development in other academic areas.

Evaluation Plan: (Describe steps you'll take to determine if you've reached your strategic objective.) An average of at least 95% of student in grades K-5 will perform at the Proficient level or better on their annual spring writing sample by the Spring of 2013 Best Practice Investigation: (What information is uncovered looking at best practice in relation to your strategic objective?) Use of best practices in developing writing ability in students.

Action Steps	Who?	Timeframe
What actions will be taken to achieve this SO? Include what staff	Who will be responsible for	What is a realistic timeframe
may need to learn to accomplish this SO.	what actions?	for each action?
1. Identify students who are scoring below Proficient on the writing	1. Teachers	1. Ongoing
sample.		
2. Teachers use "writing process" and "Step up to Writing" to teach	2. Teachers	2. Ongoing
writing and conduct periodic assessment such as "Six plus 1 Traits"		
rubric.		
3. Collect, compare, & discuss two writing samples (fall & spring)	3. Teachers and Writing	3. September 2010 – April
based on current writing prompt as agreed upon in grade levels to	Committee	2011
guide & refine instruction.		
4. Follow guidance from Communication Arts CLT for writing	4. Teachers	4. November 2010
instruction.		
5. Insure each classroom has curriculum materials including the	5. Administration and Teachers	5. September 2010- April
Lucy Calkins writing series.		2011
6. Insure that teachers receive ongoing professional development on	6. Administration, Instructional	6. Ongoing
the writing curriculum material.	Coach, & Writing Committee	
7. Investigate Best Practices in handwriting practices.	7. Comm. Arts CLT & teachers	7. Ongoing

In a year, we hope to see the following progress on this strategic objective: An Average of at least 91% of all students K-5 will score Proficient or Advanced on their spring writing sample in 2011.