



BSD#7 LRSP Strategic Objective ACTION PLAN: 1.07 MS College and Career Ready 2011-12

Strategic Objective (SO): 1.07 Prepare all students to be College and Career Ready using 21st Century Learning and Teaching.

Topic of Strategic Objective (SO) e.g., Math, PEAKS, etc.: Instructional best practices

Leader: Principal, Asst. Principal and Instructional Coach
Team Members: Morning Star Staff

Action Plan Projected Completion Date:
Spring, 2012

Evaluation Plan: Describe steps you will take to determine if you have reached this strategic objective. All certified staff members will share a Quadrant D/UbD lesson/unit experience at a staff meeting.

Best Practice Investigation: What information is uncovered looking at best practice in relation to this strategic objective. Effective school research shows that when Understanding By Design is used to help teachers plan instruction by beginning with the standards, planning assessment and then lessons, achievement increases. Technology integration and differentiation practices also support student academic growth in the research.

Action Steps	Who	Timeframe
What actions will be taken to achieve this SO? Include what staff may need to learn to accomplish this SO.	Who will be responsible for what actions?	What is a realistic timeframe for each action?
1. During a staff meeting, each grade level PLC will work on creating a unit or lesson using UbD and Quadrant D model. For example, using problem-based and inquiry-based learning.	Grade level teams, principals and instructional coach	2011-12 school year
2. Teachers will work with instructional coach to include UbD Quadrant D model into lesson plans.	Instructional Coach, teachers	2011-12 school year

Progress expected by the end of the year: Increase of understanding and using UbD model and Rigor Relevance framework by staff.