



BSD#7 LRSP Strategic Objective ACTION PLAN: **1.07 IR College and Career Ready 2012-13**

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: Building Principal and Instructional Coach
Team Members: Irving Staff

Action Plan Projected Completion Date:
 Spring 2013

Evaluation Plan: *Describe steps you will take to determine if you have reached this strategic objective.* All certified staff members will implement the Montana Common Core College and Career Ready Anchor Standards.

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 standards, planning assessment and then lessons, achievement increases. Technology integration and differentiation practices also support student academic growth in the research.

Action Steps What actions will be taken to achieve this SO? Include what staff may need to learn to accomplish this SO.	Who Who will be responsible for what actions?	Timeframe What is a realistic timeframe for each action?
1. During staff meetings or grade-level PLCs, staff members will work on imbedding the College and Career Anchor Standards into units or lessons using UbD and Quadrant D.	1. Building Principal, Instructional Coach, Certified Staff	1. May 2013
2. Teachers will work with our building Instructional Coach to include the Quadrant D model into lesson planning.	2. Building Principal, Instructional Coach, Certified Staff	2. May 2013
3. Grade Level Professional Learning Communities will be held at least once a month to provide opportunities for discussion on instructional best practices based on student data.	3. Certified Staff, Building Principal, Instructional Coach	3. 2012 School Year
4. Response to Intervention systems such as Walk to Read/Math, Readers/Writers/Math Workshop, or Centers based instruction will be implemented at every grade level to meet the academic needs of all students.	4. Certified Staff	4. Fall 2012
5. Community resources such as MOSS, Montana State University, Hopa Mountain, Polar Bear International, Project Archaeology, etc. will be used to enhance the academic learning of Irving students.	5. Certified Staff, Instructional Coach, Building Principal	5. 2012 School Year
6. On-going site specific professional development will be done at staff meetings.	6. Certified Staff, Instructional Coach, Building Principal	6. 2012 School Year
7. Resources and examples of Quad D instruction and UbD templates will be housed in our building's server.	7. Certified Staff	7. 2012 School Year

Progress expected by the end of the year: There will be an increase in certified staff understanding and use of the Common Core College and Career Anchor Standards.