



LRSP Status Report – June 2012

4.01 CI School Environment SR 2012

Strategic Objective (SO):

4.01 Create safe, supportive, engaging and healthy school environments.

Topic of Strategic Objective (SO):

General C&I

Department/School: Curriculum & Instruction

Leader: Asst. Supt., Prevention Coordinator

Team Members:

District Foundations Committee, Building Principals

In a year, we hope to see the following progress on this strategic objective:

A better data gathering system for tracking discipline as part of an RtI process.

A plan for providing more comprehensive prevention services to students.

A successful first year of A2X and continued funding for the program.

PROGRESS SUMMARY

The PNA, Olweus and Foundations Surveys were administered. The District Foundations Committee examined and discussed the YRBA survey results from the previous year, as well as this year's Olweus results. Each building set Foundations program goals. The District-wide Foundations team met on a monthly basis and approved the Olweus roll-out, as well as discipline coding revisions that will provide more consistency for a data gathering system for tracking discipline as part of an RtI process. Additionally, the District's School Resource Officer team had excellent visibility and a small group continues to participate in the annual NASRO Conference.

The Bozeman Police Department and the District jointly presented to the community two times during the 2011-12 school year - in the fall (internet safety) and in the spring (drug awareness and prevention).

The high school successfully implemented the A2X Program, which provided services for students who in the past would have been expelled. In addition, the A2X Program also has a Success Class (for at-risk 9th graders) and a credit recovery program. The A2X Program was recognized by receiving a Swimming Upstream Award. The district will continue to seek funding for this program, as it is an important piece of the Graduation Matters initiative. The district begin implementation of Pearson Inform.

The COPS grant was not funded, but the District wrote and received grant funds from the Montana Board of Crime Control for implementation of the Olweus Bullying Prevention Program, and wrote additional grants to expand the program.

The Emergency Manual was updated, and Google Docs was used to make it available to staff. Two "table-top" exercises were presented and Instructional Cabinet and emergency response teams from buildings participated. Additional Crisis Response Team members were trained.

An effective Interdisciplinary Team structure is now in place. Risk assessment and threat to self procedures and forms are now located in District policy.