

MIDDLE SCHOOL

2025 School Board Update



2025-2026



Continuous Improvement Plan



2025-2026 Action Plan

Student Enrollment

Grade	21-22	22-23	23-24	24-25	25-26
6	239	247	274	245	204
7	249	236	232	264	243
8	250	259	239	236	253
Total	733	742	745	745	700



Togetherness Day









(ATPPS) MATH GOAL:

The percentage of all students enrolled in grade 6-8 (those meeting enrollment criteria) at Princeton Middle School who earn an achievement level of Meets the Standards or Exceeds the Standards on the math MCA will increase from 37.19% to 39.19%.

*Did not meet 2024-2025 Math Goal

(ATPPS) READING GOAL:

The percentage of all students enrolled in grade 6-8 (those meeting enrollment criteria) at Princeton Middle School who earn an achievement level of Meets the Standards or Exceeds the Standards on the reading MCA will increase from 47.91% to 49.91%.

*Did not meet 2024-2025 Reading Goal

Math MCA 2021-2025 Proficiency

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
State	44.2%	44.8%	45.5%	45.5%	45.2%
Princeton District	41%	43.4%	42.7%	42.6%	46.2%
Middle School	36.2%	37.7%	40%	37.4%	37.7%



Reading MCA 2021-2025 Proficiency

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
State	52.5%	51.1%	49.9%	49.9%	49.6%
Princeton District	53.1%	50.8%	48.6%	48.6%	48.8%
Middle School	55.4%	54.3%	52.7%	48%	48.4%



Science MCA 2021-2025 Proficiency

	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025
State	33.8%	29.2%	27.6%	30.3%	16%
Middle School (8th Grade)	28.8%	39.4%	46.3%	41.7%	22.4%



SLT



Big Picture Goal Areas:

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- I. Reading & Writing Across Curricular Areas
- II. Tier 1 Instruction
- III. Filling Skill Gap Deficits

Student Learning PLC Agenda & Minutes

- 1. Are routines & procedures in place to maximize productive student learning time?
- Can the student tell you the learning target?
- 3. Is the student task aligned to the target?
- 4. What is the highest level of taxonomy seen in student action?
 - Retrieval
 - Comprehension
 - Analysis*
 - Knowledge Utilization
- 5. Who was doing more of the work in this portion of the lesson, the teacher or the students?
- Were all students answering every question? (Total Participation Techniques)
- 7. What were students doing MOST of the time for this portion of the lesson?
 - Listening
 - Speaking
 - Reading
 - Writing
- 8. If this lesson went "perfectly" what would all students be creating or showing you?
- 9. Were students tracking their progress?
- 10. Is differentiation preplanned/evident?
 - Scaffold/Extend/Reteach
 - Student Choice in how to demonstrate learning
 - Low floor, high ceiling tasks





SLT Highlights

- Master Schedule Setting our Framework!
 - IROD Process
 - SW Survey Priorities: Longer class periods, fill skill gap deficit,
 & wide experience for students
 - MS research & visits
- FLEX Period = 90% staff (2 x/week)
 - Academic & Choice Opportunities
 - Student Agency
 - Plan & Prioritize
 - Check & Connect
 - Intervention focus!



SLT Highlights

- School-wide ACES, Annotation, & writing expectations
- Intentional Focus on individual lexile level
 - Media Center
 - Top Lexile Range exposure for all content areas
 - TA Book Challenge & DEAR
- Tier 1 Instruction
 - Scope & Sequence
 - Unpacking Standards
- G/V Intervention Resources
 - SPED & ADSIS
 - Training & Year 1 implementation

Table 2. MCA-IV Target Lexile Readability Ranges by Grade

Grade	Bottom Lexile Range	Middle Lexile Range	Top Lexile Range
3	300-445	450–790	795–860
4	450–765	770–980	985–1040
5	450-765	770–980	985–1040
6	770–950	955–1155	1160–1225
7	770–950	955–1155	1160–1225
8	770–950	955–1155	1160–1225
10	955–1075	1080–1305	1310–1400





TA Book Challenge!





Climate/Culture



Big Picture Goal Areas:

- I. Habits of a Tiger Framework
- II. Student Experience & Ownership
- III. PBIS Framework



Habits OF A TIGER



Our Tigers are...

EMPATHETIC CITIZENS

Resources for Others; Socially Aware; Kind; Respectful; Compassionate; Helpful; Considerate of Multiple Perspectives; Pluralistic; Unthreatened by Differences; Embracing Challenges of Being Human

SELF-AWARE

Owners of Their Learning; Self-Advocates; Self-Managed; Resilient; Persistent; Mindful of Wellness; Open-Minded; Intrinsically Motivated; Reflective; Accountable; Continuously Evolving; Rooted in Growth Mindset

EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATORS

Readers; Writers; Thinkers; Speakers; Active Listeners; Thoughtful; Present; Confident; Organized; Focused; Assertive; Concise

POSITIVE LEADERS

Relationship Builders; Responsible Decision Makers; Advocates for Others; Encouragers; Contributors; Collaborators; Initiators; People of Integrity; Flexible: Considerate: Accepting of Mistakes

CRITICAL THINKERS

Problem Solvers; Analyzers; Investigators; Explorers; Experimenters; Innovators; Knowledgeable; Creative; Curious









Climate & Culture Highlights

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- PBIS Monthly Themes- insert pic of gracious ticket
- Restorative Circles Circle Training 201
- Teacher Advisory- Multi-grade TA's
- Equity work
- Student experiences
 - WEB
 - Togetherness Day
 - Be You Be Extraordinary
 - (Suicide and Drug Prevention)
 - 7th grade: Courage Retreat

GRACIOUS

You bring color to the world!

Empathetic, Forgiving, Kind, Appreciative, Thankful, Courteous, Polite, Generous. Being a good host/hostess, Taking Care of Others, Grateful.

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MTSS



Big Picture Goal Areas:

- I. Implement PIT & MTSS Process
- II. MTSS Diamond & Interventions
- III. EduClimber

MTSS Highlights

- Core MTSS team
- Bridge to classroom & Grade Level MTSS
- Ongoing Special Education training
- Ongoing Accommodations/Modifications training



Career Academies













Go Tigers !!!

