

Belton Independent School District
Board of Trustee Meeting Agenda Item

October 19, 2026

Item: Consider, Discuss, and Take Appropriate Action Regarding School Improvement Plans

Contact Person: Gabi Nino

Presented for: ☒ Action ☐ Report Only

Supporting Documents: ☐ None ☒ Attached ☐ Provided Later

District Priority or Strategic Objective:

Priority 1: Ensure exceptional learning experiences for each and every student.

Background Information:

Under state and federal laws related to academic performance on the state accountability assessment, STAAR, certain campuses must implement improvement plans in alignment with specific criteria. For the 2026-2027 school year, Southwest Elementary will continue to implement the Turn Around Plan (TAP) established in the 2025-2026 school year. Additionally, High Point Elementary and Hubbard Branch Elementary have been identified as in need of a Targeted Improvement Plan (TIP) due to a performance rating of F. A Targeted Improvement Plan is presented for Chisholm Trail Elementary as required as a part of the LIFT grant that the campus was awarded. These improvement plans have been developed to ensure that each identified campus has a clear, research-based roadmap for improving student achievement and overall accountability performance.

Your approval is requested for the continued implementation of the Turnaround Plan (TAP) for Southwest Elementary School as well as Targeted Improvement Plans (TIPs) for High Point Elementary, Hubbard Branch Elementary, and Chisholm Trail Elementary. Each campus's improvement plan identifies specific strategies to improve student performance through intensive curriculum and instruction improvements, strategic leadership practices, and student centered data-driven decision-making in alignment with the Effective Schools Framework (ESF). The Targeted Improvement Plans have been introduced at public hearings at each campus for transparency and stakeholder engagement prior to being presented for the Board for approval.

Fiscal Implications:

None

Administrative Recommendation(s):

Approve the Southwest Elementary Turn Around Plan (TAP) and the Targeted Improvement Plans (TIP) for High Point, Hubbard Branch and Chisholm Trail Elementary Schools as presented.