# Keller Independent School District Keller Learning Center High School 2009-2010 Performance Objectives

Accountability Rating: Acceptable



## **Mission Statement**

New Direction High School

Colors: Purple and White

Mascot: Phoenix

Motto: S.T.A.R.S - Striving To Achieve Remarkable Success

#### MISSION:

New Direction High School will achieve excellence in performance by providing opportunities for all students to rise to their potential in learning, understanding, and implementing knowledge for a lifetime of exceptional success through alternative education methods and through partnership with our community.

The Discipline Alternative Educational Placement will provide exceptional academic support and opportunities for emotional growth.

## Vision

VISION:

New Direction High School - An exceptional alternative environment in which to guide students to success.

Discipline Alternative Educational Placement – an exceptional school in which to learn, work and grow.

### Goals

#### Goal 1: All students will achieve educational excellence.

**Performance Objective 1:** If 100% of the New Direction High School teachers are using the KISD adopted curriculum in the classroom teaching 95% of the time with students in attendance 92% of the time then students at New Direction High School will demonstrate learning, graduate, and be prepared for their career choices.

**Summative Evaluation:** As measured by the percentage of: teachers using KISD curriculum, teacher attendance, student attendance, accountability student groups scoring within 3% of all students on TAKS, students who met standards on all TAKS exams, student completion rate for lowest percentage sub-population, students meeting career certification requirements, students college-ready in ELA, students college-ready in Math.

Performance Objective 2: 1.1 Increase the Math student achievement from 56% to 75% as measured by the State Alternative Education Assessment

Summative Evaluation: 2009-2010 Academic Excellence Indicator system for Alternative education Accountability

Performance Objective 3: 1.3 Increase the Science student acheivement from 65% to 76% as measured by the State Alternative Education Assessments.

Summative Evaluation: 2009-2010 Academic Excellence Indicator System for Alternative Education Accountability

Performance Objective 4: 1.2 Increase the ELA student acheivement from 85% to 90% as measured by the State Alternative Education Assessments.

Summative Evaluation: 2009-2010 Academic Excellence Indicator System for Alternative Education Accountability

Performance Objective 5: 1.4 Increase the Social Studies student acheivement from 82% to 90% as measured by the State Alternative Education Assessments.

Summative Evaluation: 2009-2010 Academic Excellence Indicator System for Alternative Education Accountability

Performance Objective 6: 1.5 Increase the Special Education student acheivement as measured by the State Alternative Education Assessments.

Summative Evaluation: Teachers will assist abilities and comforts, and modify as needed

Performance Objective 7: 1.7 Increase the attendance rate from 88.2% to 91% as measured by the State Alternative Education Indicator System.

Summative Evaluation: 2.1% improvement in attendance.

Performance Objective 8: 1.10 Increase completion rate and graduation rate as measured by the Alternative Education Indicator System

Summative Evaluation: 2009-2010 Academic Excellence Indicator System for Alternative Education Accountability

**Performance Objective 9:** 1.11 Provide Pregnancy Related Services (PRS) and Compensatory Education Instruction (CEHI) for pregnant students to help those students adjust and stay in school.

Summative Evaluation: Individual student records folders

## Goal 2: All systems in the Keller ISD will be effective, efficient, and accountable in support of the district's mission.

**Performance Objective 1:** If 100% of the Keller Learning Center's key management processes are implemented in 90% of core district functions then KLC will be effective, efficient and accountable as measured by:

Summative Evaluation: % participation in school lunch program, % reduction in energy usage districtwide, % of on-time delivery of students to school, and % of policies and ARs reviewed as scheduled

Performance Objective 2: 2.1 Provide for an effective and efficient system of communication

Summative Evaluation: Badlridge gap analysis

#### Goal 3: Keller Independent School District will recruit, develop, and retain a diverse highly qualified staff.

**Performance Objective 1:** If Keller Learning Center employs 100% qualified professionals whose racial/ethnic diversity reflects the student population then the Keller Learning Center will gain the benefits of a diverse, highly qualified staff as measured by:

**Summative Evaluation:** % professionals hired who are certified or licensed for the position, % teachers hired who meet Highly Qualified requirements of NCLB, % racially/ethnically diverse, qualified professional instructional hires, and % racially/ethnically diverse, qualified administrative hires

Performance Objective 2: 3.1 Maintain the retention rate of Highly Qualified Staff at the Keller Learning Center.

Summative Evaluation: Celebrations, awards and recognitions for outstanding acheivement and exceptional performance in and out of the classroom.

Goal 4: The Keller Independent School District will develop and promote positive community relations through effective communication, the involvement of stakeholders, and the establishment of business and community partnerships.

**Performance Objective 1:** If 100% of district communication is informative and timely, 90% of press is accurate and sent to all stakeholders then positive stakeholder relations will be established as measured by...

Summative Evaluation: % KLC households receiving printed publications, % staff accessing information from K-Connect on a daily basis, % visitors accessing the district web site on a weekly basis.

Performance Objective 2: 4.1 Provide for an effective and efficient system of communication

Summative Evaluation: Informal and Formal campus surveys

Performance Objective 3: 4.2 Increase parental and stakeholder involvement

Summative Evaluation: Campus and District committee involvement

Performance Objective 4: 4.3 Provide focused instruction on Character Development

Summative Evaluation: Counseling Survey

## Goal 5: Keller Independent School District facilities and services will be operated in a safe manner so that all students and employees may thrive in a secure and nurturing environment.

**Performance Objective 1:** If 100% of employees are provided an opportunity to participate in a comprehensive wellness program and are supported in their work then 95% of employees will indicate a nurturing work environment as measured by:

**Summative Evaluation:** % participation in the employee assistance program, % participation in wellness programs, % employees report participation in the heart at work employee recognition program, % of satisfaction on Campus climate survey, % of professional employee contributors to education foundation, and % of employees reporting participation in professional organizations

Performance Objective 2: Create a Safe and Healthy learning environment

Summative Evaluation: Summative Survey

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