

## School Improvement - Public Hearing

Targeted
Improvement &
Turnaround Plans

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### **Supported Campuses**

**Alexander Elementary** 

Cross Oaks Elementary

Paloma Creek Elementary

Martinez Elementary

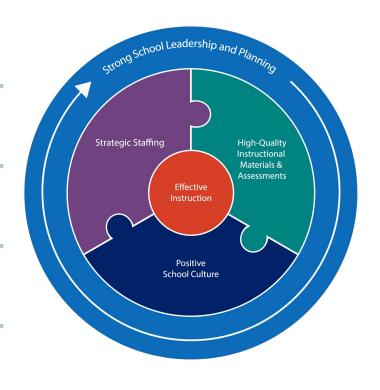
Ginnings at Evers Elementary

**Providence Elementary** 

Rivera Elementary

Supported Campuses	Stakeholder Engagement	
Alexander Elementary	October 17, 2025	
Cross Oaks Elementary	October 21, 2025	
Paloma Creek Elementary	October 7, 2025	
Martinez Elementary	October 21, 2025	
Ginnings at Evers Elementary	October 17, 2025	
Providence Elementary	October 17, 2025	
Public Hearing	November 11, 2025	

Lever 1	Strong School Leadership & Planning		
Lever 2	Strategic Staffing (TIA)		
Lever 3	Positive School Culture		
Lever 4	High-Quality Instructional Materials		
Lever 5	Effective Instruction		



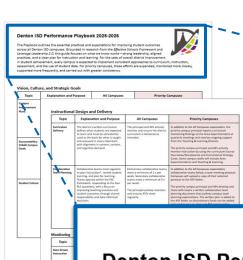
#### Denton ISD Performance Playbook 2025-2026

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	Progress Monitoring: Common Assessments	designed to r learning on p classrooms as consistent da	esuments (CAs) are neasure student ricely standards across of campuses, providing ta to inform instruction, ing gaps, and support planning and	Elementary - The principal and AFs actively monitor to ensure 100% of assessments are administered as designed.  Secondary - The principal and AFs actively exonitor to ensure common assessments are administered as designed, with at least 75% of students completing each assessment.	In addition to the All Computers reports from the priority campus principal reports progress on the priority campus priority progress on the priority campus progress on the priority campus progress on the priority process			

### The Performance Playbook



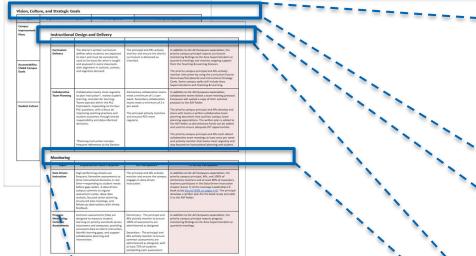
### The Performance Playbook

#### **Denton ISD Performance Playbook 2025-2026**

The Playbook outlines the essential practices and expectations for improving student outcomes across all Denton ISD campuses. Grounded in research from the Effective Schools Framework and Leverage Leadership 2.0, this guide focuses on what we know works—strong leadership, aligned practices, and a clear plan for instruction and learning. For the sake of overall district improvement in student achievement, every campus is expected to implement consistent approaches to curriculum, instruction, assessment, and the use of student data. For priority campuses, these efforts are expanded, monitored more closely, supported more frequently, and carried out with greater consistency.



### The Performance Playbook



Vision, Culture, and Strategic Goals

- Campus Improvement Plans
- Accountability: STAAR Campus Goals
- Student Culture

#### Instructional Design & Delivery

- Curriculum Delivery
- Collaborative Team Planning

### **Monitoring**

- Curriculum Delivery
- Collaborative Team Planning





### **Key Focus Areas**

**Student Outcome Goals** 

School Improvement Strategy

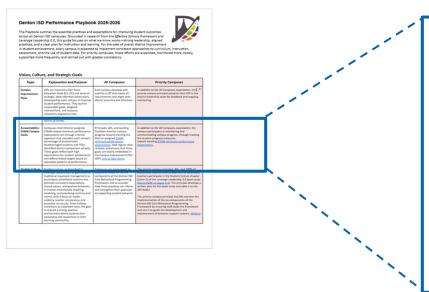
Curriculum & Instruction Alignment

**Capacity Building** 

**Milestones** 

Performance Management & Reflection

### Student Outcomes Goals



#### **Accountability: STAAR Campus Goals**

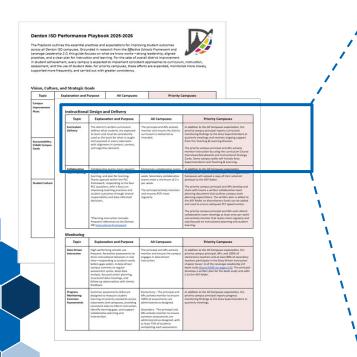
Campuses meet District-assigned, STAAR-related minimum performance expectations set through a tiered approach...

Principals, APs, and Guiding Coalition monitor campus progress toward meeting performance expectations, lead regular data reviews, and ensure that these goals are clearly embedded in the Campus Improvement Plan (CIP).

### School Improvement Strategy

Our Focus Areas	Corresponding ESF Levers		
Strong School Leadership & Planning	Lever 1	Strong School Leadership & Planning	
Strategic Staffing (Teacher Incentive Allotment)	Lever 2	Strategic Staffing (TIA)	
Positive School Culture, Supported by the Denton ISD Core Behavioral Framework	Lever 3	Positive School Culture	
High-Quality Instructional Materials	Lever 4	High-Quality Instructional Materials	
	Lever 5	Effective Instruction	

### Curriculum & Instruction Alignment

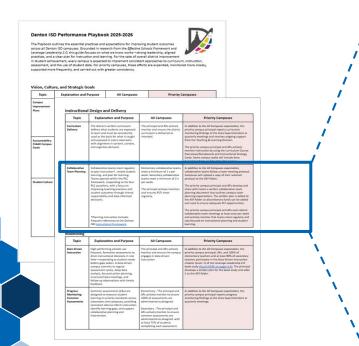


#### **Curriculum Delivery**

The district's written curriculum defines what students are expected to learn and must be consistently used as the basis for what is taught and assessed in every classroom, with alignment in content, context, and cognitive demand. The principal and APs actively monitor and ensure the district curriculum is delivered as intended.

The priority campus principal reports curriculum monitoring findings to the Area Superintendent at quarterly meetings and receives ongoing support from the Teaching & Learning Division. The priority campus principal and APs actively monitor instruction by using the curriculum Storyboards and Instructional Strategy Cards. Some campus walks include Area Superintendents and Teaching & Learning.

### **Capacity Building**

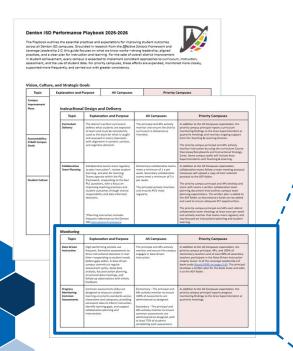


#### **Collaborative Team Planning**

Collaborative teams meet regularly to plan instruction, review student learning, and plan for learning. Teams operate within the PLC framework, responding to the four PLC questions, with a focus on improving teaching practices and student outcomes through shared responsibility and data-informed decisions. Planning instruction includes frequent references to the Denton ISD Instructional Framework. The principal actively monitors and ensures PLTs meet regularly.

Collaborative teams follow a team meeting protocol. The priority campus principal and APs develop and share with teams a written collaborative team planning document that outlines campus team planning expectations. The priority campus principal and APs each attend collaborative team meetings and actively monitor that teams meet regularly and stay focused on instructional planning and student learning.

### Milestones



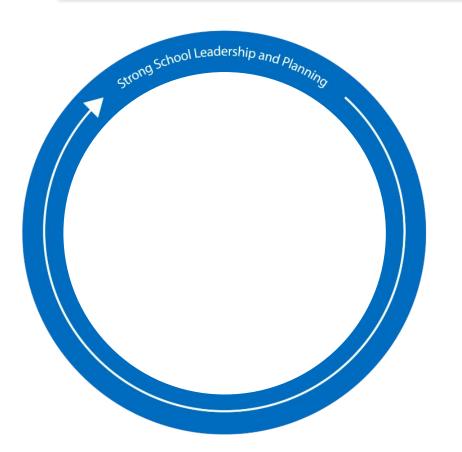
#### Data Driven Instruction and Progress Monitoring

Schools use frequent, formative assessments to drive instructional decisions in real time—responding to student needs before gaps widen. The campus commits to regular assessment cycles, deep data analysis, focused action planning, and structured data meetings. The principal and APs actively monitor and ensure the campus engages in data-driven instruction. The principal and APs actively monitor to ensure 100% of assessments are administered as designed.

Priority campus principals, APs, and teachers participate in the "Data-Driven Instruction" chapter of the Leverage Leadership 2.0 book study. The principal develops a written plan for the book study.

The priority campus principal reports progress monitoring findings to the Area Superintendent at quarterly meetings.

### Performance Management



### **Grant Information**

### LASO 4 - Texas Education Agency

- School Improvement Curriculum and Instruction Support Grant (SI CISG)
- PREP Allotment Program
  - PREP Residency Preservice Program
  - OPREP Grow Your Own Program
  - PREP Mentorship Program





# Questions or Comments?