

Department of Curriculum, Instruction, & Assessment

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CURRICULUM

K-12 Elective Departments & 6-12 Content Area Teams Meet for Department Planning

The district elective and 6-12 departments/content area teams met on October 11th at the BPS Wednesday Extended Day for their second department meeting of the year. These department teams will continue to be supported by the Director of Curriculum & Instruction and the Quarterly SBE Team to implement curricula, design coherent instruction EK-12, and move the department forward in regard to student's acquisition of the content standards and skills within these programs. During the month of November, I will be collaborating with each department team during their building-level content or prep meetings to support the next steps of their team.

INSTRUCTION

DLT Completing District Literacy Plan During the 23-24 School Year

The District Leadership Team and Instructional Coach's Team is currently working to develop the BPS District-wide Literacy & Learning Plan. The following components have been identified to include in the plan; Instructional Framework, Behavior/SEL, Attendance, Special Populations (SPED & ELL), Assessment, Professional Development, Family Engagement, and Stakeholder Feedback. This plan will be a roadmap of how we support and educate our BPS students Early Kindergarten-Grade 12+. This completion of this document is an Annual Action Step of the BPS 23-24 Action Plan, as well as an outcome of the MCLSDP Literacy Grant.

Browning Public Schools <i>Literacy & Learning Plan: 23/24 School Year</i>								
Grade Strand	Instructional Framework	Behavior/SEL Support	Attendance Support	Special Population	Assessments	Professional Development	Family Engagement	Stakeholder Feedback
EK - 3rd Grades								
4th - 5th Grades								
6th - 8th Grades								
9th - 12th Grades								

ASSESSMENT

K-3 and 4-12 District Writing Assessments Scheduled for October

The first BPS writing assessment for the 23-24 SY is scheduled for October and continues to align with the acquisition of the Ehri's Phases of Literacy & Writing Development in grades K-3, the 6+1 Traits of Writing for grades 4-8 and the ACT Writing Format & Rubric in grades 9-12. Grades 4-12 will now be utilizing the My ACCESS digital platform to complete and submit the district writing assessment.

