Brackett Independent School District District Improvement Plan 2024-2025 Formative Review with Notes

Mission Statement

The mission of the District, in partnership with parents and the community, is to enable all students to be safe and to obtain the knowledge, desire, and integrity to pursue meaningful and productive lives.

Vision

The District ensures graduates have diverse learning experiences, creating confidence to reach their full potential, and the honesty to own mistakes and the integrity to start again and achieve goals.

Core Beliefs

We believe Brackett ISD instills confidence, honesty, and integrity in students to challenge, prepare, and empower students to succeed in life.

We believe our students desire to be productive citizens.

We believe in Brackett ISD that instruction should be flexible to meet each student's needs.

We believe that Brackett ISD attracts and retains highly qualified staff.

We believe the Brackett ISD school Board is open-minded, engaged, supportive, student-focused and provides the tools and resources necessary for success.

We believe the Brackett ISD community is a supporting, giving, and trusting community that deserves to be informed and involved.

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Goals

Goal 1: Promote high academic achievement through the delivery of a TEKS aligned curriculum and the promotion of college, career and military standards for secondary students.

Performance Objective 1: All schools will show growth in all subject areas as rated in the 3 domains rated by the state accountability system (Domain I - Student Achievement; Domain II - School Progress; Domain III - Closing the Gaps and in CTE completion.

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Implement planning protocol in order to establish an effective and aligned procedure for data analysis, instructional planning and implementation of TEKS resources system. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved student learning Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Nov 50% | November Evidence of Progress master schedules for both campuses were developed so that all teachers had an additional 60 minutes of planning build into the day to develop instructional plans and completed student data analysis, training was provided to staff in august on teks resource system. The dashboard continues to be revamped and worked with for teacher effective use; teacher curriculum committee utilized for feedback |
| | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |

| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 2: Provide instructional resources and professional development to teachers in order to provide interventions and supports to special program students (ESL/Special Education/504/GT) Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: closing the achievement gap amongst special populations Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress August professional development is completed; professional development is also scheduled on early outs and there are some additional days in the spring. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 3 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 3: Utilize the 21st Century Grant program to provide summer school programs that support state requirement and increase student learning opportunities in academics and also for enrichment. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved student learning & closing the achievement gap amongst special populations Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress ACE program is funded by the 21st century grant, we currently have about 75 students attending; we are working on increasing enrollment and 2 parent events have been conducted. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 4 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 4: Provide teachers with professional learning experiences to gain effective instructional strategies. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved instructional delivery and increases scores on required assessments Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress trainings have been provided through Vector Solutions training has been provided virtually and in person by our staff as well as outside vendors. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |

| Strategy 5 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 5: Monitor the use of research based and TEA recommended programs and assessments to support classroom instruction in the areas of Reading and Math Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improved scores on state assessments in reading and math; improved academic growth Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent, Director of Instruction and Accountability and Campus Administrators | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress Through the use of TTESS, we are monitoring implementation of instructional programs. Teachers must submit lesson plans and to date, campus administrators have conducted pre-conferences and started walkthroughs. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 6 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 6: Implement a district mentoring program to assist teachers with effective implementation of instructional and behavior strategies to increase student success in the classroom. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved students classroom behavior and and teacher instructional delivery Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent, Director of Instruction and Accountability, District Mentor(s) | Nov N/A Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress Currently, Director of Instruction and accountability is mentoring the DOI teachers and scheduled individual meetings every six weeks to identify progress in the program and teacher needs. First round of meetings were completed by 11/1/24 January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |

| Strategy 7 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 7: Offer additional CTE license programs and recruit and monitor students to ensure completion of the pathway. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved College, Career and Military data for accountability Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Secondary Principal, Secondary counselor, Director of Instruction and Accountability | Nov 50% | November Evidence of Progress Master schedule was completed and students were enrolled for the 24-25 school year; an additional accounting and educational course was offered as a pathway; now we will continue to monitor for completion. |
| | Jan 100% | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar 100% | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Accomplished Continue | /Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 2: Utilize a curriculum committee to support the adoption, implementation and creation of aligned curriculum, resources and professional development for effective instructional practices in the classroom and for interventions.

Performance Objective 1: Evaluate data from campuses to provide support for the instructional systems by purchasing resources to be used in the classroom and for interventions.

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Provide teachers with a curriculum planning period to collaborate, review data and plan for instruction. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: building instructional resources for staff in order to improve instructional delivery to students Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress Planning time and planning days have been schedule and embedded into the day and into the calendar; administrators monitor and guide the planning time. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 2: Teachers will utilize TEKS resource system to vertically align the lesson and to develop TEKS specific lessons. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved instructional delivery and student learning Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress TEKS resource training was provided in August; now implementation is being monitored through lesson plans and walkthroughs January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |

| Strategy 3 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 3: Follow the TTESS program (Texas Teacher Evaluation and Support System) which includes goal setting, conferencing, walkthroughs and observations to provide feedback to staff members Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: identify effective learning practices to be shared with others and provide support to identified teachers Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress TTESS training conducted; all required documentation are submitted and monitored through eduphoria January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Accomplished Continue/ | Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 3: Ensure the success of all students by providing a safe, healthy, engaging and inclusive learning environment recognizing every member of the learning community as a valued individual.

Performance Objective 1: Provide social emotional support and study skills instruction so students can be academically successful.

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Through Stronger Connections Grant, provide social, emotional support through counseling sessions, social emotional learning and parents training to increase student grades, attendance, peer interaction and parent engagement. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved student discipline, engagement and motivations Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress Purchased 7 Mind Sets curriculum, hired contract employees to assist with implementation; required survey project completed. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 2: Utilize Region 20 training for staff to assist in increase their knowledge of practicing empathy, antibullying and teachers will implement effective discipline practices. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: provide teacher resources to meet student needs Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Instruction & Accountability/Campus Administration | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress No action taken through region 20 pending January staff development sessions; currently utilize counselors to assist in this area January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Accomplished Continue. | /Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 3: Ensure the success of all students by providing a safe, healthy, engaging and inclusive learning environment recognizing every member of the learning community as a valued individual.

Performance Objective 2: All staff will receive on-going emergency response training (Standard Response Protocol).

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: SRO, Director of Operations and facilities and Networking safety monitor will work together and collaborate with campus administration to ensure the safety of the district. | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress SRP training conducted in August; the following drills have also already been conducted, 1 - fire drill, 1 hold in place, 1 - lock down January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 2: Implementation and continued monitoring of the BISD Guardian Program | Nov 100% | November Evidence of Progress applications opened and submitted; required training provided; application approved. |
| | Jan 100% | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar 100% | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |

| Strategy 3 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 3: Review and upgrade security features such as cameras, alarm systems, badge readers and panic buttons on an annual basis. | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress upgrades and maintenance conducted on a monthly basis; door checks on a daily basis and submitted to TEA on a weekly basis January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 4 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 4: Develop and utilize the Student Threat Assessment Team (STAT) as building/campus/district response team for crisis intervention Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: quick response to crisis Staff Responsible for Monitoring: District/Campus administration and STAT leaders | Nov 30% Jan Mar | November Evidence of Progress STAT team created; STAT team has completed required Behavior training; pending documentation and procedures for threat assessment. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 5 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 5: Utilize the use of RAPTOR for all components | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress All components of raptor are now active - have utilized for lock down; and hold in place as well as fire drill; other drills still pending but scheduled. January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Continue Continue | /Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 4: Recruit and Retain teachers so that Brackett ISD has 95% certified teachers.

Performance Objective 1: Provide comparable salaries and stipends

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Review salaries schedules on an annual basis and utilize TASB salary study to recommend competitive salaries and fringe benefits Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved teacher recruitment and retention Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Business and Finance | Nov 100% | November Evidence of Progress Completed as part of the budget process - Summer 2024 |
| | Jan 100% | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 2: Offer stipends to teachers in approved subject areas and/or as as incentive for certification in areas such as Science, Math and Special Education and for retention Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved teacher recruitment and retention Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Business and Finance | Nov 60% | November Evidence of Progress Completed during Summer 2024; in process of approving the retention stipend |
| | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Accomplished — Continue | :/Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 5: Develop attendance strategies to achieve a district attendance of 96% or better.

Performance Objective 1: All students will be actively engaged in student learning and attendance will be monitored.

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Utilize the truancy/safety monitor for parental conferences and home visits to education parents on the compulsory attendance law. | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress Utilizing truancy office for meetings; Saturday schools for attendance make up to be scheduled as well as possible flex days if calendar revision approved January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 2: Utilize and monitor campus attendance committees to create attendance improvement plans Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improve campus attendance Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent, Director of Instruction and Accountability and Campus Administrators | Nov 50% | November Evidence of Progress Committees are working with principals on incentive programs; earning of prizes, etc. |
| | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Continue/ | Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 6: Improve communication between district, community, and other stakeholders through the use of specific platforms to create transparency and trust in order to increase parental involvement and focus on improvement.

Performance Objective 1: Continue to improve communication with parents and build positive effective relationships.

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Family forms fair, technology night and other scheduled opportunities for parents to learn and practice using the ascender portal as a student information system to include registration process, scheduling and required forms and monitoring grades and assessment. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent, Director of Instruction and Accountability, Campus Administrators and ACE Director | Nov 40% Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress form night for registration, open house for both campuses, Jones 3rd grade parent night January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 2: Work with TRIO, STAR program (BCFS), universities, Workforce Solutions to inform parents and students on college and career opportunities. | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress STAR program being utilized when necessary; TRIO program built into the day for assigned students, CCMR day scheduled January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |

| Strategy 3 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 3: Offer learning partnership meetings, where parents are provided activities to be used at home to enhance student success. | Nov 25% | November Evidence of Progress 3rd grade parent meeting & Fentanyl awareness meeting (october) |
| | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 4 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 4: Plan for events throughout the year for parents and community to celebrate with the school (fall and spring community pep-rally, student showcases, career days, etc) | Nov 30% | November Evidence of Progress Community Pep-rally, homecoming events, domestic violence awareness, fentanyl awareness, Blood drive, trunk or treat & fall festival |
| | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| Strategy 5 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 5: Enhance use of remind, dojo, school messenger, website, social media and the marquee | Nov | November Evidence of Progress utilized on a weekly basis (dojo, remind, school messenger, marquee and social media); administrator training on use of website for update 10/24/24 |
| | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Accomplished — Continue | /Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 7: Develop budget plans and calendars that demonstrates a well organized process for the use of available resources while adopting a fiscally responsible budget annually.

Performance Objective 1: Draft a technology maintenance plan

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Create inventory database that is reviewed and monitored annually Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved process and procedures regarding technology Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Business and Finance/Technology Manager | Nov 15% | November Evidence of Progress Planning stage |
| | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
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| Strategy 2 Details | | Reviews |
| Strategy 2: Monthly meetings to develop and monitor a plan of activities s to be completed on a monthly basis Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved process and procedures regarding technology Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Business and Finance/Technology | Nov 30% | November Evidence of Progress Meetings being conducted; discussion on needs that arise (hot water heaters, fire alarms, health inspector audit) |
| Manager | Jan | January Evidence of Progress |
| | Mar | March Evidence of Progress |
| | June | June Evidence of Progress |
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| No Progress Continue Continue | /Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 7: Develop budget plans and calendars that demonstrates a well organized process for the use of available resources while adopting a fiscally responsible budget annually.

Performance Objective 2: Draft a transportation maintenance plan

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Monthly meetings to develop and monitor a plan of activities s to be completed on a monthly basis Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved procedures and process for transportation department Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Operations and Facilities/Director of Business and Finance/Transportation Coordinator | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress Meetings being conducted; discussion on needs that arise (electrical issues - lights at stadium, ACs at all campuses, audit compliance issues January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Accomplished Continue | Modify | X Discontinue |

Goal 7: Develop budget plans and calendars that demonstrates a well organized process for the use of available resources while adopting a fiscally responsible budget annually.

Performance Objective 3: Draft a facilities and operations maintenance plan

| Strategy 1 Details | | Reviews |
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| Strategy 1: Monthly meetings to develop and monitor a plan of activities s to be completed on a monthly basis Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved procedures and process for transportation department Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent/Director of Operations and Facilities/Director of Business and Finance | Jan Mar June | November Evidence of Progress review of facilities assessment; planning stages January Evidence of Progress March Evidence of Progress June Evidence of Progress |
| No Progress Continue Accomplished | Modify | X Discontinue |