

iLeRT Update – January 18, 2011

- All principals, assistant principals, directors, Department of School Improvement, Dr. Hill, David Meadows, and Mrs. Ezell received training in using the tools for improvement.
- Paper tools used. From October – January 15.
- JBHM provided resource guides for curriculum in grades K-12. The guides include sample test items.
- JBHM provided access to training in Using Bell Ringers, Using Sample Test Items, Essential Questions, and Building Academic Vocabulary.
- Administrators received coaching on use of tools and giving feedback to teachers.
- Rubrics were designed and given to teachers, so that they will know how items are marked on the tools. Presented to teachers on January 3.
- Electronic tools training conducted on December 10.
- School teams and the District Implementation Team begin weekly meetings in January. Schools provide monthly reports of iLeRT team meetings and School Improvement Team meetings.
- Staff data uploaded to iLeRT by January 15 then tools will be ready for beta testing.
- Focus Group in Jackson on January 26, 2011.