# **Ector County Independent School District**

# **Dowling Elementary**

# **Improvement Plan**

2020-2021

Accountability Rating: Not Rated: Declared State of Disaster



# **Mission Statement**

Dowling Elementary will inspire students to develop intellectually, emotionally, physically and socially in a safe, orderly, and culturally diverse learning environment.

# Vision

We believe that in our quest for excellence, EVERY child can succeed in reaching his academic potential and in becoming a responsible and productive citizen.

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# **Comprehensive Needs Assessment**

# **Demographics**

#### **Demographics Summary**

Dowling Elementary was built in 1952. For 68 years, Dowling has served students in the surrounding neighborhood. The 2020-2021 school year is the second year in a row that Dowling is rated an "F" campus.

Dowling serves students in Kindergarten through fifth-grade and has one bilingual class section at each grade level. There are two specialized classrooms at Dowling to serve special education students in kindergarten through fifth-grade. All students are offered classes in music, physical education, and library skills. Dowling has two teachers certified in gifted and talented education and is a receiving campus for gifted and talented students from other campuses.

Dowling is a school-wide Title 1 school that had 624 students in 2019-2020, 16.18% English Language Learners, 6.29% identified gifted and talented, 45.19% considered at-risk, 8.65% served through special education, 12.98% homeless, and 74.03% economically disadvantaged students.

There were 203 transfer students at Dowling in 2019-2020. Transfers coded "C-Campus Transfers" make up 43.84% of all transfers followed by 26.1% coded as "P-Moving" and 14.28% coded as "M-Street Address Changed".

In 2019-2020, Dowling had 328 male students and 296 female students.

The attendance rate for Dowling was 91.7% for 2019-2020 which is down from 93.6% in 2018-2019. According to the latest TEA School Report Card from 2018-19, Dowling's attendance rate lags behind the state.

The class size in third grade was 27 students compared to 19.9 for the district and 18.9 for the state. And the fifth-grade class size average was 28.7 for the campus, 22.6 for the district, and 21.2 for the state. Both of these percentages are a concern for an F rated campus.

The mobility rate is 24.5% for Dowling according to the 2018-19 TAPR report (mobility rate report is lagging; the rate listed is for the 2017-18 school year). This is the sixth-highest mobility rate in the district and higher than the state and district averages. A student is considered to be mobile if he or she has been in membership at the school for less than 83% of the school year (i.e., has missed six or more weeks at a particular school.) The state average mobility rate is 15.4% and the district rate is 18.5%.

#### **Population Data**

#### **PEIMS Student**

	16-17	17-18	18-19	19-20	Difference
Total Enrollment	521	516	567	624	57
Kindergarten	85	80	86	119	33
First Grade	70	84	85	111	26
Second Grade	91	76	87	95	8
Third Grade	101	88	94	97	3
Fourth Grade	86	98	106	87	-19
Fifth Grade	88	90	109	115	6

Ethnic Distribution	16-17	17-18	18-19	19-20	Difference
White	59	59	49	60	11
Hispanic / Latinx	420	411	457	510	53
Black or African American	32	36	50	43	-7
Asian	4	4	4	2	-2
American Indian or Alaska Native	0	0	1	1	0
Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander	0	2	1	1	0
Two or More	6	4	5	7	2

Special Populations	16-17	17-18	18-19	19-20	Difference
At-Risk	232	232	295	282	-13
Economic Disadvantaged	407	376	397	462	65
LEP	109	97	100	112	12
Special Education	49	56	51	54	3
Bilingual Education	96	84	86	95	9
ESL	10	11	14	6	-8
Gifted & Talented	30	35	35	33	-2
Title I	519	516	567	624	57
Immigrant	21	15	27	35	-2
Migrant	0	1	1	1	0
Military-Connected	0	0	0	1	1
Foster Care	0	1	11	7	-4

Special Populations	16-17	17-18	18-19	19-20	Difference
Homeless	35	15	16	13	-3
Dyslexia	14	15	16	13	-3

#### **Dowling Staff**

Both administrators are new to Dowling this year. As of August 17, 2020, there are two vacancies: 5th-grade bilingual and a Specialized Classroom Teacher. There are eight teachers new to Dowling; two of them are experienced teachers from other campuses in the district. There are five first-year teachers of which three have been previous long-term substitutes at Dowling that have entered an alternative certification program. There is one Bilingual ESL Substitute in the 5th-grade bilingual classroom.

#### Fall 2019 PEIMS Data on Employees

EMPLOYEES								
	Administrators	Teachers	Instructional					
	(Principals/Asst. Prin)		Paraprofessionals (Aides)					
14/15	2	43	7					
15/16	1	35	5					
16/17	2	38	5					
17/18	2	38	4					
18/19	2	34	4					
19/20	2	34	7					

EMPLOYEE RETENTION PERCENTAGES							
% Remained From	Administrators	Teachers	Instructional				
Year To Year	(Principals/Asst. Prin)		Paraprofessionals (Aides)				
14/15 to 15/16	50.00%	42.86%	71.43%				
15/16 to 16/17	100.00%	82.86%	40.00%				
16/17 to 17/18	100.00%	86.84%	60.00%				
17/18 to 18/19	0.00%	64.71%	25.00%				
18/19 to 19/20	100.00%	79.41%	75.00%				

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Total Professional	Percent with	Percent with	Percent with	Percent with	Percent of Teachers
Any District	0 Years	1-5 Years	6 -10 Years	> 10 Years	W/Masters Degree
14/15	9.30%	25.58%	18.60%	46.51%	11.63%
15/16	2.86%	42.86%	14.29%	40.00%	22.86%
16/17	5.26%	39.47%	13.16%	42.11%	23.68%
17/18	2.63%	36.84%	15.79%	44.74%	26.32%
18/19	2.94%	38.24%	17.65%	41.18%	26.47%
19/20	2.94%	32.35%	23.53%	41.18%	23.53%

#### **Demographics Strengths**

- 1. There are 19 teachers with six or more years of experience.
- 2. The ethnic distribution of students has remained consistent in the past two years.
- 3. Three long-term substitutes have enrolled in alternative certification programs in order to return to Dowling as the teacher of record.

#### **Problem Statements Identifying Demographics Needs**

**Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized):** Student attendance rate. 91.7%, is below the state and district percentages, **Root Cause:** Families do not understand the importance of school attendance,

**Problem Statement 2 (Prioritized):** The number of GT students has remained constant even with an increase in enrollment. **Root Cause:** The campus is not identifying students for the GT program.

#### **Student Achievement**

#### **Student Achievement Summary**

Dowling was rated an F campus in 2018-19. Due to COVID-19, there was no state testing in 2020; therefore, Dowling will remain an F campus for the 2020-21 school year.

Data below is from the Texas Education Agency (TEA) School Report Card from 2018-2019.

Overall Score/Rating = 59/F

Student Achievement Domain 1 = 54/F

School Progress Domain 2= 59/F

Closing the Gaps Domain 3 = 61/D

Based on these data listed below, Dowling lags behind the district and state in STAAR performance data in all grades and subjects in all performance categories. The Istation data from March 2020 (the last month students were in school to test) shows that no grade level is on track to meet the end of year recommended Lexile levels. All grade levels have a significant amount of students performing in Tier 3 in March.

TELPAS data from 2018-2019 indicates 71 students were tested. Of those tested, 25 students, or 48%, showed improvement of at least one level. There were 27 students, or 52%, who remained at the same level or below. 19 students took TELPAS for the first time so there is no progress measure for those students. 2019-2020 TELPAS data indicates that only 23% of students in grades 1-5 showed improvement of at least one level. This is 25% below the improvement percentage from the previous year.

STAAR Performance Rates at **Approaches Grade Level or Above** (All Grades Tested)

		Campus	African American	Hispanic	White	Eco Dis
All Subjects	2020 Spring Benchmark	43	44	42	49	49
	2019 STAAR	55	44	56	52	54
	2018 STAAR	56	51	56	52	52
	2017 STAAR	56	42	55	69	52
	2016 STAAR	58	31	58	70	52

		Campus	African American	Hispanic	White	Eco Dis
<b>ELA/Reading</b>	2020 Spring Benchmark	47	56	47	45	44
	2019 STAAR	56	36	57	61	57
	2018 STAAR	57	44	57	57	52
	2017 STAAR	56	44	54	69	51
	2016 STAAR	55	32	54	70	47
Mathematics	2020 Spring Benchmark	44	6	16	27	40
	2019 STAAR	59	56	59	57	55
	2018 STAAR	62	78	60	62	59
	2017 STAAR	62	50	61	69	60
	2016 STAAR	61	26	61	73	54
Writing	2020 Spring Benchmark	37	50	34	53	30
	2019 STAAR	47	50	49	33	49
	2018 STAAR	40	40	40	14	38
	2017 STAAR	37	N/A	35	56	34
	2016 STAAR	60	N/A	58	88	56
Science	2020 Spring Benchmark	32	17	33	40	29
	2019 STAAR	47	25	50	20	49
	2018 STAAR	49	13	54	45	48
	2017 STAAR	60	N/A	59	78	55
	2016 STAAR	61	N/A	64	N/A	56

# STAAR Performance Rates at **Meets Grade Level or Above** (All Grades Tested)

		Campus	African American	Hispanic	White	Eco Dis
All Subjects	2020 Spring Benchmark	13	4	13	18	12

		Campus	African American	Hispanic	White	Eco Dis
	2019 STAAR	23	11	24	18	21
	2018 STAAR	25	8	25	32	22
	2017 STAAR (2 or more subjects)	23	N/A	23	35	21
	2016 STAAR (2 or more subjects)	20	N/A	20	23	16
ELA/Reading	2020 Spring Benchmark	14	6	15	14	14
	2019 STAAR	21	12	22	17	20
	2018 STAAR	23	0	23	33	19
	2017 STAAR	28	N/A	29	38	25
	2016 STAAR	23	N/A	23	30	18
Mathematics	2020 Spring Benchmark	16	6	16	27	15
	2019 STAAR	25	8	27	22	22
	2018 STAAR	32	22	31	38	28
	2017 STAAR	31	N/A	28	50	29
	2016 STAAR	26	N/A	26	27	21
Writing	2020 Spring Benchmark	5	0	6	0	6
	2019 STAAR	18	13	20	11	17
	2018 STAAR	22	0	22	14	21
	2017 STAAR	13	N/A	11	N/A	12
	2016 STAAR	25	N/A	26	N/A	26
Science	2020 Spring Benchmark	9	0	8	20	6
	2019 STAAR	25	13	24	20	25
	2018 STAAR	16	0	17	27	13
	2017 STAAR	28	N/A	30	N/A	26
	2016 STAAR	22	N/A	22	N/A	16

STAAR Performance Rates at **Masters Grade Level** (All Grades Tested)

		Campus	African American	Hispanic	White	Eco Dis
All Subjects	2020 Spring Benchmark	4	0	4	7	3
	2019 STAAR	6	0	5	7	5
	2018 STAAR	8	2	7	12	6
	2017 STAAR	10	N/A	9	20	9
	2016 STAAR	7	N/A	8	8	5
ELA/Reading	2020 Spring Benchmark	5	0	5	6	4
	2019 STAAR	5	0	4	9	4
	2018 STAAR	8	0	7	10	6
	2017 STAAR	15	N/A	15	19	12
	2016 STAAR	8	N/A	8	N/A	6
Mathematics	2020 Spring Benchmark	5	0	5	7	5
	2019 STAAR	7	0	8	4	7
	2018 STAAR	11	6	9	24	8
	2017 STAAR	10	N/A	7	27	5
	2016 STAAR	7	N/A	8	N/A	5
Writing	2020 Spring Benchmark	1	0	1	0	2
	2019 STAAR	3	0	4	0	5
	2018 STAAR	4	0	3	0	3
	2017 STAAR	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2016 STAAR	10	N/A	11	N/A	N/A
Science	2020 Spring Benchmark	1	0	1	0	0
	2019 STAAR	5	0	3	20	5
	2018 STAAR	2	0	3	0	1
	2017 STAAR	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2016 STAAR	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

## **Academic Growth Score (All Grades Tested 4/5)**

		Campus	African American	Hispanic	White	Eco Dis
<b>Both Subjects</b>	2020 Spring Benchmark	54	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2019 STAAR	63	48	65	52	61
	2018 STAAR	77	65	79	68	77
	2017 STAAR Met or exceeded progress	65	63	64	65	63
	2016 STAAR Met or exceeded progress	77	N/A	78	81	75
ELA/Reading	2020 Spring Benchmark	66	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2019 STAAR	57	53	58	38	56
	2018 STAAR	57	44	57	57	52
	2017 STAAR Met or exceeded progress	59	N/A	60	N/A	N/A
	2016 STAAR Met or exceeded progress	76	N/A	60	N/A	N/A
Mathematics	2020 Spring Benchmark	43	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	2019 STAAR	69	43	71	67	66
	2018 STAAR	76	62	78	70	77
	2017 STAAR Met or exceeded progress	71	75	69	N/A	N/A
	2016 STAAR Met or exceeded progress	78	N/A	78	88	N/A

# 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade STAAR History

		Approaches	Meets	Masters
<b>ELA/Reading</b>	2020 Spring Benchmark	56	24	7
	2019 STAAR	55	16	6
	2018 STAAR	59	20	6
	2017 STAAR	52		
	2016 STAAR	39		
<b>Mathematics</b>	2020 Spring Benchmark	37	13	6
	2019 STAAR	52	24	5
	2018 STAAR	51	21	5
	2017 STAAR	56		

	Approaches	Meets	Masters
2016 STAAR	46		

# 4<sup>th</sup> Grade STAAR History

#### **All Numbers are Percentages**

		Approaches	Meets	Masters
<b>ELA/Reading</b>	2020 Spring Benchmark	53	14	2
	2019 STAAR	47	15	1
	2018 STAAR	51	21	9
	2017 STAAR	44		
	2016 STAAR	60		
Mathematics	2020 Spring Benchmark	49	16	5
	2019 STAAR	51	23	3
	2018 STAAR	59	31	9
	2017 STAAR	53		
	2016 STAAR	64		
Writing	2020 Spring Benchmark	40	5	1
	2019 STAAR	47	18	3
	2018 STAAR	40	22	4
	2017 STAAR	37		
	2016 STAAR	60		

# 5<sup>th</sup> Grade STAAR History

		Approaches	Meets	Masters
ELA/Reading	2020 Benchmark	49	17	6

	Approaches	Meets	Masters
2019 Administrations 1&2	65	32	7
2019 Administration 1	51	30	7
2018 Administrations 1&2	60	28	11
2018 Administration 1	59	29	11
2017 Administrations 1&2	70	37	17
2017 Administration 1	58	35	17
2016 Administrations 1&2	67	37	14
2016 Administration 1	64	37	14

		Approaches	Meets	Masters
Math	2020 Benchmark	47	17	6
	2019 Administrations 1&2	72	26	15
	2019 Administration 1	63	25	15
	2018 Administrations 1&2	73	40	17
	2018 Administration 1	66	40	17
	2017 Administrations 1&2	71	36	12
	2017 Administration 1	69	37	12
	2016 Administrations 1&2	74	33	12
	2016 Administration 1	61	31	11

		Approaches	Meets	Masters
Science	2020 Benchmark	32	9	1
	2019	47	25	5
	2018	49	16	2
	2017	60		
	2016	16		

#### SSI 2018-19

Student Success Initiative

Grade 5 Reading														
Students Meeting Approaches Grade Level on	First STAA	R Administ	tration											
State in the state of the state	2019	78%	64%	49%	38%	51%	40%					40%	50%	59%
Students Requiring Accelerated Instruction	2013	, 0,0	0470	4576	5070	3170	4070					4070	3070	3370
Stadents requiring receivated instruction	2019	22%	36%	51%	63%	49%	60%		*			60%	50%	41%
STAAR Cumulative Met Standard	2013	2270	3070	0170	0370	4576	0070					0070	5070	4170
5 17 4 4 Contains Ciries Stations	2019	86%	76%	64%	50%	67%	40%		*	-		40%	70%	73%
STAAR Met Standard (Non-Proficient in Previ														
Retained in Grade 5	2019	63%			*								*	
Grade 5 Mathematics														
Students Meeting Approaches Grade Level on	First STAA	R Administ	ration											
Stadents meeting reproductes didde beveran	2019	83%	73%	62%	50%	65%	40%					40%	65%	86%
Students Requiring Accelerated Instruction	20.5	00,0		-	50,0	00,10	4070					1070	0070	0070
Stadents (requiring receivated instruction)	2019	17%	27%	38%	50%	35%	60%	*	*			60%	35%	14%
STAAR Cumulative Met Standard	2013	1770	27 70	3070	3070	3370	0070					00 /0	3370	1470
5 17 6 4 Contractor Cirici Startouro	2019	90%	80%	72%	63%	75%	40%					50%	72%	86%
STAAR Met Standard (Non-Proficient in Previ		3070	5576	1270	0370	, 370	4070				_	3070	/ 2 /0	5576
Retained in Grade 5	2019	65%	*		*			-			-		*	_

#### **<u>Domain III Scores 2019:</u>** Dowling met 1 out of 9 targets in Domain III

Student Success Status																
Target	47	36	41	58	46	73	48	55	38	37	23	43	48	45		
Target Met	N	N	N	N					N	N	Υ		N	N		
STAAR Component Score	28	18	28	26		60		55	27	35	26	38	28	27		
% at Approaches GL Standard or Above	55%	44%	56%	52%		90%		83%	54%	63%	45%	53%	54%	56%		
% at Meets GL Standard or Above	23%	11%	24%	18%		50%		50%	21%	30%	30%	40%	24%	19%		
% at Masters GL Standard	6%	0%	5%	7%	*	40%		33%	5%	11%	3%	20%	5%	6%		
Total Tests	759	66	614	60	*	10		**	496	149	100	15	553	206		
Total Indicators															1	9

#### **Data From Federal Report Card 2018-19**

This section provides information on the progress of all students and each student group toward meeting the long-term goals or interim objectives on STAAR academic performance, federal graduation rate, and English learners' language proficiency. (CWD: children with disability; EL: English learner)

	All Students	African American	Hispanic	White	American Indian	Asian	Pacific Islander	Two or More Races	Econ Disadv	CWD	EL+
STAAR Performance Status											
Reading											
Interim Goals (2018-2022)	44%	32%	37%	60%	43%	74%	45%	56%	33%	19%	29%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	Υ	N
Interim Goals (2023-2027)	52%	42%	46%	66%	51%	78%	53%	62%	43%	31%	39%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	Υ	N
Interim Goals (2028-2032)	62%	54%	58%	73%	62%	82%	63%	70%	55%	45%	52%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	N	N
Long-Term Goals	72%	66%	69%	80%	72%	87%	73%	78%	67%	60%	65%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	N	N
Mathematics											
Interim Goals (2018-2022)	46%	31%	40%	59%	45%	82%	50%	54%	36%	23%	40%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	Υ	N
Interim Goals (2023-2027)	54%	41%	49%	65%	53%	85%	57%	61%	45%	34%	49%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	N	N
Interim Goals (2028-2032)	63%	54%	59%	73%	63%	88%	66%	69%	57%	48%	59%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	N	N
Long-Term Goals	73%	66%	70%	80%	73%	91%	75%	77%	68%	62%	70%
Target Met	N	N	N						N	N	N
English Learner Language Profic	ciency Statu	IS									
Interim Goals (2018-2022)											36%
Target Met											Υ
Interim Goals (2023-2027)											38%
Target Met											Υ
Interim Goals (2028-2032)											40%
Target Met											Υ
Long-Term Goals											40%
Target Met											Υ
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#### **IStation Summary March 2020**

	Tier 3 %	Tier 2 %	Tier 1%
Kinder English	21	26	53
Kinder Spanish	0	100	0
1 <sup>st</sup> English	41	13	47
1 <sup>st</sup> Spanish	13	20	67

	Tier 3 %	Tier 2 %	Tier 1%
2 <sup>nd</sup> English	21	21	58
2 <sup>nd</sup> Spanish	16	32	53
3 <sup>rd</sup> English	28	21	51
3 <sup>rd</sup> Spanish	8	15	77
4 <sup>th</sup> English	16	33	51
4 <sup>th</sup> Spanish	8	25	67
5 <sup>th</sup> English	18	27	56
5 <sup>th</sup> Spanish	8	17	75

#### **IStation Average Lexile Levels**

#### March 2020

	Avg Lexile at Dowling	CCR Recommended EOY Lexile Level	50 <sup>th</sup> Percentile Lexile Level EOY	90 <sup>th</sup> Percentile Lexile Level EOY
Kinder English	NONE	230L	BR160L	150L
Kinder Spanish	BR	NONE	NONE	NONE
1 <sup>st</sup> English	BR95L	530L	165L	570L
1 <sup>st</sup> Spanish	90L	NONE	540L	NONE
2 <sup>nd</sup> English	365L	650L	425L	795L
2 <sup>nd</sup> Spanish	450L	NONE	655L	NONE
3 <sup>rd</sup> English	565L	820L	645L	985L
3 <sup>rd</sup> Spanish	510L	NONE	740L	NONE
4 <sup>th</sup> English	730L	940L	850L	1160L
4 <sup>th</sup> Spanish	N/A	NONE	810L	NONE
5 <sup>th</sup> English	850L	1010L	950L	1260L
5 <sup>th</sup> Spanish	N/A	NONE	870L	NONE

#### **Student Achievement Strengths**

- 1. Spanish IStation scores in all grade levels show fewer students performing in Tier 3 than their monolingual peers.
- 2. Fourth-grade reading scores from the Spring 2020 Benchmark show improvement from the 2019 STAAR scores.
- 3. 2020 projections for Student Progress in Reading show an increase from a 57 to 66.
- 4. Third-grade reading scores from the Spring 2020 Benchmark show improvement from the 2019 STAAR scores.
- 5. IStation scores indicate all groups except kindergarten Spanish and first-grade English have over 50% of students performing in Tier I in March 2020.

#### **Problem Statements Identifying Student Achievement Needs**

**Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized):** STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches). **Root Cause:** Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

**Problem Statement 2 (Prioritized):** Less than 50% of Dowling 4th-graders approach grade level on the writing STAAR. **Root Cause:** Lack of a strong, consistent writing program in K-3.

**Problem Statement 3 (Prioritized):** Less than 50% of Dowling 5th-graders approach grade level on the science STAAR. **Root Cause:** Lack of foundational science knowledge.

Problem Statement 4 (Prioritized): Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended. Root Cause: Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5 (Prioritized):** Less than a fourth, 23%, of all bilingual students are showing increased English proficiency as measured by TELPAS. **Root Cause:** Bilingual students do not have enough practice in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

#### **School Culture and Climate**

#### **School Culture and Climate Summary**

The total number of student discipline referrals for 2019-2020 totaled 124 which is down from 154 the previous year and 345 in 2017-2018. There were 22 out of school suspensions down from 43 in 2018-2019 and 44 in 2017-2018. There were 30 incidents of in-school suspension which is a decrease from 66 in 2018-2019 and 43 in 2017-2018. However, the In-School Suspension (ISS) and Out of School Suspension (OSS) showed 24% of the school's placements were assigned to African American students who made up only 8% of the school population.

The discipline referrals for the year came from 55 students or 11.34% of the total number of students. 36% of all referrals were from fifth-graders followed by 27% of all referrals from third-graders. 40% of students with discipline referrals also had 10 or more absences for the year. 68% of students with referrals had 6 or more absences. 65% of all referrals for not following the student code of conduct followed 13% of referrals for not following instructions. Hispanic students accounted for 61% of all referrals. Black students accounted for 13% of all referrals and white students accounted for 14%.

Student attendance for 2019-2020 through March 7, 2020, was 91.7% compared to 93.1% at the same time period last year. Student attendance continues to be a concern.

The campus uses CHAMPS procedures for common areas and classroom activities. There is a varied level of implementation across the campus. Last year, the campus began implementing Conscious Discipline. There is a varied level of implementation across the classrooms. During 2020-2021, the campus will participate in the ten online courses as a group. There is a need to have training for families in Conscious Discipline.

The campus has parents who are non-English speaking. All parent notes are sent home in English and Spanish. In addition, all training and meetings are translated into Spanish.

The Campus Improvement Team has not had business or community members serving for the past two years. There are also no parents on the CIT.

Dowling is an older building in need of many updates and/or repairs. It appears that the facility and grounds have been neglected for several years. This is not only a cosmetic issue but a safety issue that affects the campus culture and climate. The district maintenance department is working with campus administration to begin making needed repairs and updates.

#### **Panorama Student Survey**

Evidence collected from the Panorama survey reports students' perceptions are:

52% believe it is difficult to find help from an adult if they are being bullied

61% see their friends get into fights 66% report being bullied online. 89% believe Dowling teachers are respectful to them 83% of their teachers have positive energy 71% of students feel their teachers are excited to be at school **ECISD Home Connectivity Survey Spring 2020** Q.1: To what extent has this student participated in distance learning this spring? Did not participate at all 20% Participates rarely 18% Participates sometimes 12% Participates often 15% Participates almost always 34% Q.2: How often does this student have reliable internet access at home? Never 23% Rarely 11% Sometimes 24% Frequently 11% Almost all the time 31%

#### **Panorama Staff Survey Spring 2020**

All six topics of the Panorama survey indicate Dowling scored below other comparison campuses.

1. Professional Learning Perceptions of the amount and quality of professional growth and learning opportunities available to faculty and staff.

Dowling: 52% Other Elementary Campuses: 73%

2. **School Climate** Perceptions of the overall social and learning climate of the school.

Dowling:44% Other Elementary Campuses:79%

3. **School Leadership** Perceptions of the school leadership's effectiveness.

Dowling: 78% Other Elementary Campuses:84%

4. <u>Staff-Family Relationships</u> Perceptions of faculty and staff relationships with the families at their school.

Dowling: 48% Other Elementary Campuses 71%

5. **Staff-Leadership Relationships** Perceptions of faculty and staff relationships with school leaders.

Dowling: 87% Other Elementary Campuses 88%

6. Feedback and Coaching Perceptions of the amount and quality of feedback faculty and staff receive.

Dowling: 40% Other Elementary Campuses 71%

#### **School Culture and Climate Strengths**

- 1. Returning staff have had initial training in Conscious Discipline.
- 2. There have been fewer discipline referrals during the past two years.
- 3. 89% of students believe their teachers are respectful towards them.

#### **Problem Statements Identifying School Culture and Climate Needs**

Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized): Conscious Discipline is not fully implemented in all classrooms. Root Cause: Lack of ongoing training.

**Problem Statement 2 (Prioritized):** CHAMPS expectations are not consistently taught and enforced. **Root Cause:** Inadequate follow through from administration and staff.

**Problem Statement 3 (Prioritized):** There is inequity in the number of ISS and OSS placements assigned to African American students at Dowling. **Root** Cause: Lack of equity for student groups.

**Problem Statement 4 (Prioritized):** Parent Involvement is poor; 50% of families never meet with their child's teacher during the year. 67% of teachers surveyed responded that it is somewhat challenging to communicate with the families of students. **Root Cause:** There is not consistent communication between home and school.

**Problem Statement 5 (Prioritized):** Campus Improvement Team does not meet the district membership requirements. **Root Cause:** Lack of parental, community, and business owner representation.

**Problem Statement 6 (Prioritized):** During distance learning in Spring 2020, 38% of students participated rarely, or never. **Root Cause:** Lack of access to broadband internet access.

**Problem Statement 7 (Prioritized):** Staff perceptions of the campus score low compared to other elementary campuses. Feedback and Coaching scored 40% compared to 71% for other elementaries. School climate scored 44% compared to 79% for all elementary campuses. Professional Learning scored 52% compared to 73% for elementaries. And School Leadership scored 78% compared to 84% for elementary campuses. **Root Cause:** There is no campus plan for school culture in place.

**Problem Statement 8 (Prioritized):** Fifty-two percent of students surveyed believe it is difficult to find help from an adult if they are being bullied. **Root Cause:** Strong relationships between staff and students are lacking.

**Problem Statement 9 (Prioritized):** Dowling is in need of many repairs and/or updates to the facility and grounds. **Root Cause:** There has been no plan in place to keep the building up-to-date and in good repair.

## Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention

#### Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention Summary

There are currently vacancies in first-grade and in fifth-grade bilingual. 78% of teachers are returning to Dowling for the 2020-21 school year. 86.4% of the Dowling staff including custodial and cafeteria staff are returning for the 2020-21 school year. Two of the long-term substitutes from last year have entered alternative certification programs and will return to Dowling as the teachers of record.

Recruitment and placement of high-quality staff are done at the district level. The campus principal interviews candidates from the pool in TalentEd and makes recommendations for hire.

All new teachers are given a mentor on campus. The mentor teaches the same grade or a grade below/above the new teacher. Currently, there are six first-year teachers on staff for 2020-2021.

Dowling employs a librarian, a music teacher, two instructional specialists, one dyslexia therapist, two administrators, one counselor, one Secretary, one office clerk, and one attendance clerk. There are two PE aides and one certified PE teacher. The two specialized classrooms are staff by two full-time special ed certified teachers and three special education aides. There is one resource/inclusion teacher. There are 23 monolingual teachers and six bilingual teachers on staff. The diagnostician, speech therapist, behavior specialist, student assistant services counselor, nurse, and technology specialist are all assigned by their respective departments and work at Dowling per their schedule.

Professional development is planned at the district and campus levels. In 2019-2020 at the campus level, Conscious Discipline was the focus in August 2019. Other professional learning opportunities focused on improving teaching strategies.

The district technology specialist assigned to Dowling, Jessica Dominguez, provides training and follow-up for using technology to enhance instruction.

Grade-level PLCs are held weekly in the conference room. The Relay format of DDI is used to examine data and plan for instruction and remediation.

#### Staff Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) Summary

	2016-20	)17 2017-20	018 2018-20	019 2019-2020
Total Staff				
Teachers	51.4	47.2	44.5	50.5
Professional Staff	5.8	4.5	4.4	5.7
Campus Administration	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0
Educational Aides	5.0	4.0	3.9	6.0

	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020
Personnel by Ethnicity and Sex				
White	19.8	16.2	14.5	18.5
Hispanic	29.5	31.1	30	30
Black	2	1	0	2
White Male	.9	.4	2	.1
White Female	18.9	15.8	14.3	18.4
	0	13.8	4	4.1
Hispanic Male	1			
Hispanic Female	29.5	30.1	26	25.9
Black Male	0	0	0	0
Black Female	2	1	0	2
Teachers by Highest Degree Held				
No Degree	2	1	2	7
Bachelors	28.6	26.7	23.2	25.1
Masters	8	9	9	4.7
Doctorate	0	0	0	0
Teachers by Years of Experience				
Beginning Teachers	3.8	1	2	6
1-5 Years of Experience	15	14.4	13	11
6-10 Years of Experience	5	6	6	8
11-20 Years of Experience	6	4	5.2	4.1
Over 20 Years of Experience	8.8	11.4	8	7.7
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Teachers by Population Served	26.6	24/4	22	26
Regular Education	26.6	24/4	23	26
Bilingual/ESL Education	7	7	6	6
Compensatory Education	0	1	1	1
Gifted & Talented	0	2	2	.7
Special Education	5	2.3	2.2	3.2

#### **Long term substitutes / Vacancies:**

2018-2019: 2

2019-2020: 7

2020-21: As of August 2, 2020, there are two vacancies: 1st-grade and 5th-grade bilingual

#### **2019-2020 T-TESS Summary Data for Teachers**

Dimension	Categories	Percent
1.1 The teacher designs clear, well-organized, sequential lessons that reflect best practice, align with standards and are appropriate for diverse learners.	Distinguished	0%
and are appropriate for diverse learners.	Accomplished	4%
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	Proficient	93%
	Developing	4%
	Improvement Needed	0%
1.2The teacher uses formal and informal methods to measure student progress, then manages and analyzes student data to inform instruction.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	0%
	Proficient	96%
	Developing	4%
	Improvement Needed	0%
1.3 Through knowledge of students and proven practices, the teacher ensures high levels of learning, social- emotional development and achievement for all students.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	4%
	Proficient	89%
	Developing	7%
	Improvement Needed	0%
1.4 The teacher plans engaging, flexible lessons that encourage higher-order thinking, persistence and achievement.	Distinguished	0%

Dimension	Categories	Percent
	Accomplished	4%
	Proficient	70%
	Developing	36%
	Improvement Needed	0%
2.1The teacher supports all learners in their pursuit of high levels of academic and social-emotional success.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	4%
	Proficient	81%
	Developing	11%
	Improvement Needed	0%
2.2 The teacher uses content and pedagogical expertise to design and execute lessons aligned with state standards, related content and student needs.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	4%
	Proficient	85%
	Developing	11%
	Improvement Needed	0%
2.3The teacher clearly and accurately communicates to support persistence, deeper learning and effective effort.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	22%
	Proficient	74%
	Developing	4%
	Improvement Needed	0%
2.4The teacher differentiates instruction, aligning methods and techniques to diverse student needs.	Distinguished	0%
, 5 5	Accomplished	0%
	Proficient	74%
	Developing	22%
	Improvement Needed	0%
2.5The teacher formally and informally collects, analyzes and uses student progress data and makes needed esson adjustments.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	7%

Dimension	Categories	Percent
	Proficient	74%
	Developing	11%
	Improvement Needed	0%
1 Routines and Procedures: The teacher organizes a safe, accessible and efficient classroom.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	33%
	Proficient	59%
	Developing	7%
	Improvement Needed	0%
3.2The teacher establishes, communicates and maintains clear expectations for student behavior.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	30%
	Proficient	63%
	Developing	7%
	Improvement Needed	0%
3.3 The teacher leads a mutually respectful and collaborative class of actively engaged learners.	Distinguished	0%
	Accomplished	33%
	Proficient	56%
	Developing	7%
	Improvement Needed	0%

# Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention Strengths

1. Returning staff and principals are trained in the Relay format for DDI.

- 2. PLCs occur weekly with administrators.
- 3. The number of vacancies has decreased from last year.
- 4. There are 12 teachers with more than 11 years of teaching experience.
- 5. 86% of all Dowling staff, including cafeteria and custodial staff, are returning to Dowling.

#### Problem Statements Identifying Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention Needs

**Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized):** There is no formal plan for supporting first through third year teachers. **Root Cause:** A plan has not been developed and implemented.

#### **Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment**

#### **Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment Summary**

Research-based curriculum, instruction and assessment are integral components to meeting the educational needs of our student population. Teachers are provided with an aligned curriculum in every grade level in all core subject areas. The curriculum is reinforced in tutoring, dyslexia services, balanced literacy, and guided math.

IStation, Brainchild, and Imagine Math are digital platforms used to close the achievement gap. Additionally, resource allocations in the form of supplemental materials and technology contribute to student performance by providing additional teaching tools. COGAT, Naglieri, STAAR, SBAs, DBAs, unit assessments, IStation, Imagine Math, Brainchild, and TELPAS assessments allow for early identification of need and potential targets for intervention. This year the bilingual department purchased a program to specifically prepare bilingual students for the listening and speaking portions of TELPAS.

The campus is not a one-to-one campus. This makes using technology on a regular basis difficult. During remote learning, teachers were not prepared to use a digital platform for all instruction due to the limited use of technology in the classroom.

#### **Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment Strengths**

- 1. All teachers K-5 are provided with a district scope and sequence to follow as well as unit assessments and DBAs to measure growth in grades 1-5.
- 2. All students K-5 have access to IStation and Imagine Math.
- 3. District purchased program for TELPAS preparation.

#### Problem Statements Identifying Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment Needs

**Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized):** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Problem Statement 2 (Prioritized):** T-TESS shows that only 4% of teachers scored above proficient in planning engaging, flexible lessons that encourage higher-order thinking, persistence, and achievement. **Root Cause:** Dowling is not a schoolwide AVID campus.

# **Parent and Community Engagement**

#### **Parent and Community Engagement Summary**

Parent involvement at Dowling is lacking. Many parents move and/or change their phone numbers and do not notify the campus. There is not a consistent messaging app used across the campus to inform parents of campus events. This year the campus will use Class Dojo as a consistent messaging platform for parents. The campus social media accounts, Facebook and Twitter, are in place and need to be utilized more often to showcase the good things happening at Dowling.

Dowling has on average 20% of parents come to family engagement nights including Meet the Teacher and Open House. When parents move or change phone numbers they often do not notify the campus and it is difficult to make contact with them.

All parents are not utilizing TxConnect to monitor student grades and attendance.

Community partners for Dowling are Grace Christian Church and Living Word; however, they were not active partners last year.

The following data is from the Fall 2019 Parent Survey.

#### **Family Engagement**

How involved have you been with a parent group(s) at your child's school? 59% are not involved at all

#### **School Climate**

To what extent do you think that children enjoy going to your child's school? 50% of parents answered "quite a bit"

How motivating are the classroom lessons at your child's school? 43% answered "Quite Motivating"

Overall, how high are the school's academic expectations for all children? 45% answered "Quite High"

How well do administrators at your child's school create a school environment that helps children learn? 41% answered "extremely well"

Overall, how much respect do you think the teachers at your child's school have for the children? 41% answered "A tremendous amount"

#### **School Safety**

School safety scored 69% overall which is below the district, elementary schools, Region 18, and texas schools percentages.

How often do you worry about violence at your child's school? 32% of parents replied "almost always"

Overall, how unsafe does your child feel at school? 23% answered "extremely unsafe"

#### **2020-2021 Parent and Family Engagement Policy**

Dowling Elementary will involve parents in the partnership and development of the Dowling Parent and Family Engagement Policy, as well as the process of school review and improvement. Each year, there will be an annual Title I meeting, at a convenient time, to which all parents will be invited and encouraged to attend, to inform parents of the school's participation in Title I and to explain the requirements of Title I funding, and the right of parents to be involved. PL 114-95 Section 1116 c (1)

Parents will have the opportunity to work together with the school in a professional, organized and timely manner to plan, review and improve the school parent and family engagement policy PL 114-95, section 1116 (b) (1) and the schoolwide program plan (Campus Improvement Plan, or CIP). Parents will receive a timely response to their suggestions and questions. If the schoolwide program plan (CIP) is not satisfactory to parents, the school will submit any parent comments on the plan when the plan is made available to the school district. PL 107-110, section 1116 c (5)

A flexible number of parent involvement meetings will be held each year. PL 114-95, Section 1116 c (2) Meetings will be held in the following settings: Parent/Teacher Conferences, School Report Card Review, School-wide Programs, Coffee & Conversation and Cokes & Conversation with the Principal, and Parent Workshops. During these meetings, parents will be provided with opportunities to formulate suggestions, share experiences with other parents, and to participate in decisions relating to the education and behavior of their children. The school will provide materials and training multiple times yearly to help parents work with their children to improve their children's achievement. PL 114-95 Section 1116 (e)(2) The school may pay reasonable and necessary expenses associated with local parental involvement activities, including transportation and childcare costs, to enable parents/families to participate in school-related meetings and training. PL 114-95 Section 1116 (e) (8) The school will provide other reasonable support for parental involvement activities as parents may request. PL 114-95 Section 1116 (e)(14)

Parents will be provided timely and available information about school events through e-mail, school planners, flyers, notes, phone calls, campus website, campus Facebook page, campus Twitter, Class Dojo, school marquee. PL 114-95 Section 1116 c (4) (A) Communication will be provided in a format and, to the extent practicable, in a language the parents can understand. PL 114-95 Section 1116 (e) (5)

School performance profiles will be posted on the campus website. Teachers will be available to meet with parents to assist in interpreting their child's individual assessment results.

During parent-teacher conferences and/or other meetings, parents will be provided a description and explanation of the curriculum in use at the school, the types and forms of assessments used to measure students' progress, and the proficiency levels students are expected to meet. PL 114-95 Section 1116 c (4) C Parents will be given information by the classroom teacher on how to monitor students' progress and how to work to improve the achievement of their children. PL 114095 Section 1116 (e)(2)

Each year, with the assistance of parents, all staff will be educated in the value and utility of contributions of parents/families, and in how to reach out to, communicate with, and work with parents as equal partners, implement and coordinate parent programs, and build tired between the parents and the school. PL 114-95 Section 1116 (e)(3)

Parents will work collaboratively in revising the content and effectiveness of the parental involvement policy as necessary.

#### **Parent and Community Engagement Strengths**

- 1. All parents will have access to TxConnect this year to monitor student attendance and grades. The program is being used to register students which means all parents will have an account.
- 2. Both churches have agreed to support Dowling this school year and both were thankful for the communication from the campus.
- 3. One new community partner, Texas Tech Nursing Student Association, has been contacted as is currently raising funds to provide teachers and students with supplies. They will be supporting Dowling this year as their community service.

#### **Problem Statements Identifying Parent and Community Engagement Needs**

**Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized):** 59% of parents are not engaged. **Root Cause:** No consistent system for reaching out to parents. Lack of opportunities to engage families.

**Problem Statement 2 (Prioritized):** Zero percent of Community Partners are not engaged. **Root Cause:** Community Partners are not informed of campus needs and asked to be involved in the campus.

## **School Context and Organization**

#### **School Context and Organization Summary**

All classrooms schedule a 30 minute remediation time during the school day to pull small groups of less than six students who need intervention in reading and/or math. All K-5 classrooms schedule 90 minutes for ELAR and math. All classes attend PE three days a week for 45 minutes, the library and music are scheduled one day per week for 45 minutes. Classes have two recess periods per day. Before and after school duty schedules are determined by staff.

Dowling uses Conscious Discipline and PBIS / CHAMPS as part of our schoolwide discipline plan. All campus staff is trained in CHAMPS / PBIS. 2019-2020 was the first year of implementing Conscious Discipline at Dowling. There is a varying degree of implementation of Conscious Discipline among staff members. Conscious Discipline training for all staff will occur during ten sessions throughout this year.

#### The main campus goals for 2020-2021 are:

- 1. Improve Student Achievement Domain I score from a 54 to a 70 as measured by STAAR.
- 2. Improve Student Progress Domain 2 score from a 59 to a 70 as measured by STAAR.
- 3. Improve Closing the Gaps Domain 3 score from a 61 to a 70 as measured by STAAR.
- 4. All K-3rd grade students will make at least one year of progress in reading and math as measured by the MAP assessment.

Student progress in <u>ALL</u> grade levels is the focus. This goal is known among the staff and is posted in the PLC Conference Room. Data from unit tests, MAP assessments, interim assessments, and released STAAR tests will be examined to determine progress towards meeting this goal.

#### **School Context and Organization Strengths**

- 1. All classrooms have built-in time for RTI.
- 2. MAP assessments will be given to all K-5 grade students in the 2020-2021 year.
- 3. Scheduled time for ELAR/SLAR and math.

# Problem Statements Identifying School Context and Organization Needs Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized): Students spend 0 minutes silently reading each day. Root Cause: This has not been a campus focus and included in the master schedule.

# **Technology**

#### **Technology Summary**

Every teacher has at least 3 student computers and 3 Ipads in the classroom. We have one fully functioning computer lab with 24 computers, and each grade level has a computer on wheels unit. Teachers at Dowling use technology for Accelerated Reader, Istation, Stride/Imagine Math, Brain Child, Google Classroom, See Saw, among other applications and interventions.

ECISD is moving to a one-to-one district in 2020-2021. All K-2nd graders will have an IPad and all 3-5th graders will have a Chromebook. The campus will purchase technology applications for teachers to use when planning instruction. The administration will work with the campus technology specialist to plan relevant professional learning.

Kindergarten, first-grade, and second-grade will use SeeSaw as their learning platform during 2020-21. Third, fourth, and fifth grades will use Google Classroom as their Learning Management System this year. There is a need for training for all teachers on how to efficiently and successfully use these platforms to roll out instruction to all students.

Dowling anticipates having a full class (at least 20) on each grade-level of students who will receive virtual instruction five days per week. Second-grade has over 30 students signed up for virtual instruction and will need two teachers to meet this need.

#### **Technology Strengths**

- 1. One-to-one devices for 2020-21.
- 2. Computer lab with 24 computers.

#### **Problem Statements Identifying Technology Needs**

**Problem Statement 1 (Prioritized):** There are zero schoolwide site licenses for technology applications. **Root Cause:** Funds have not been allocated for these purchases.

**Problem Statement 2 (Prioritized):** At least 25% of all students will learn in a completely virtual environment and 0% of teachers and leaders have experience in leading a fully virtual classroom. **Root Cause:** Lack of experience with virtual teaching and learning.

# **Priority Problem Statements**

**Problem Statement 1**: Student attendance rate. 91.7%, is below the state and district percentages,

Root Cause 1: Families do not understand the importance of school attendance,

**Problem Statement 1 Areas**: Demographics

**Problem Statement 2**: The number of GT students has remained constant even with an increase in enrollment.

Root Cause 2: The campus is not identifying students for the GT program.

**Problem Statement 2 Areas**: Demographics

**Problem Statement 3**: STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches).

Root Cause 3: Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

Problem Statement 3 Areas: Student Achievement

**Problem Statement 4**: Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended.

Root Cause 4: Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

Problem Statement 4 Areas: Student Achievement

**Problem Statement 5**: Less than a fourth, 23%, of all bilingual students are showing increased English proficiency as measured by TELPAS.

Root Cause 5: Bilingual students do not have enough practice in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

Problem Statement 5 Areas: Student Achievement

**Problem Statement 6**: Conscious Discipline is not fully implemented in all classrooms.

Root Cause 6: Lack of ongoing training.

Problem Statement 6 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 7**: CHAMPS expectations are not consistently taught and enforced.

Root Cause 7: Inadequate follow through from administration and staff.

Problem Statement 7 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 8**: Parent Involvement is poor; 50% of families never meet with their child's teacher during the year. 67% of teachers surveyed responded that it is somewhat challenging to communicate with the families of students.

**Root Cause 8**: There is not consistent communication between home and school.

Problem Statement 8 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 9**: Campus Improvement Team does not meet the district membership requirements.

Root Cause 9: Lack of parental, community, and business owner representation.

Problem Statement 9 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 10**: During distance learning in Spring 2020, 38% of students participated rarely, or never.

Root Cause 10: Lack of access to broadband internet access.

Problem Statement 10 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 11**: Staff perceptions of the campus score low compared to other elementary campuses. Feedback and Coaching scored 40% compared to 71% for other elementaries. School climate scored 44% compared to 79% for all elementary campuses. Professional Learning scored 52% compared to 73% for elementaries. And School Leadership scored 78% compared to 84% for elementary campuses.

Root Cause 11: There is no campus plan for school culture in place.

Problem Statement 11 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 12**: Fifty-two percent of students surveyed believe it is difficult to find help from an adult if they are being bullied.

Root Cause 12: Strong relationships between staff and students are lacking.

Problem Statement 12 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 13**: There is no formal plan for supporting first through third year teachers.

Root Cause 13: A plan has not been developed and implemented.

Problem Statement 13 Areas: Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention

**Problem Statement 15**: T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction.

Root Cause 15: Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

Problem Statement 15 Areas: Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 16**: T-TESS shows that only 4% of teachers scored above proficient in planning engaging, flexible lessons that encourage higher-order thinking, persistence, and achievement.

Root Cause 16: Dowling is not a schoolwide AVID campus.

Problem Statement 16 Areas: Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 17**: There is inequity in the number of ISS and OSS placements assigned to African American students at Dowling.

Root Cause 17: Lack of equity for student groups.

Problem Statement 17 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 18**: 59% of parents are not engaged.

Root Cause 18: No consistent system for reaching out to parents. Lack of opportunities to engage families.

**Problem Statement 18 Areas**: Parent and Community Engagement

**Problem Statement 19**: Zero percent of Community Partners are not engaged.

Root Cause 19: Community Partners are not informed of campus needs and asked to be involved in the campus.

Problem Statement 19 Areas: Parent and Community Engagement

**Problem Statement 21**: Students spend 0 minutes silently reading each day.

Root Cause 21: This has not been a campus focus and included in the master schedule.

**Problem Statement 21 Areas**: School Context and Organization

**Problem Statement 22**: There are zero schoolwide site licenses for technology applications.

**Root** Cause 22: Funds have not been allocated for these purchases.

**Problem Statement 22 Areas:** Technology

**Problem Statement 23**: Dowling is in need of many repairs and/or updates to the facility and grounds.

Root Cause 23: There has been no plan in place to keep the building up-to-date and in good repair.

Problem Statement 23 Areas: School Culture and Climate

**Problem Statement 24**: Less than 50% of Dowling 4th-graders approach grade level on the writing STAAR.

Root Cause 24: Lack of a strong, consistent writing program in K-3.

Problem Statement 24 Areas: Student Achievement

**Problem Statement 25**: Less than 50% of Dowling 5th-graders approach grade level on the science STAAR.

Root Cause 25: Lack of foundational science knowledge.

**Problem Statement 25 Areas**: Student Achievement

**Problem Statement 26**: At least 25% of all students will learn in a completely virtual environment and 0% of teachers and leaders have experience in leading a fully virtual classroom.

Root Cause 26: Lack of experience with virtual teaching and learning.

**Problem Statement 26 Areas**: Technology

# **Comprehensive Needs Assessment Data Documentation**

The following data were used to verify the comprehensive needs assessment analysis:

### **Improvement Planning Data**

- District goals
- Quantifiable goals for student performance in reading and math PreK-3(HB 3)
- · Campus goals
- Current and/or prior year(s) campus and/or district improvement plans
- State and federal planning requirements
- Covid-19 Factors and/or waivers for Assessment, Accountability, ESSA, Missed School Days, Educator Appraisals, etc.

### **Accountability Data**

- Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR) data
- Domain 1 Student Achievement
- Domain 2 Student Progress
- Domain 3 Closing the Gaps

#### **Student Data: Assessments**

- State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) current and longitudinal results, including all versions
- Texas Primary Reading Inventory (TPRI), Tejas LEE, or other alternate early reading assessment results
- Local diagnostic reading assessment data
- Local benchmark or common assessments data
- Istation Indicators of Progress (ISIP) reading assessment data for Grades PK-2

### **Student Data: Student Groups**

- Race and ethnicity data, including number of students, academic achievement, discipline, attendance, and rates of progress between groups
- Race and ethnicity data, including number of students, academic achievement, discipline, attendance, and rates of progress for each student group
- Economically disadvantaged / Non-economically disadvantaged performance and participation data

### **Student Data: Behavior and Other Indicators**

- Attendance data
- Discipline records
- Enrollment trends

### **Employee Data**

- Professional learning communities (PLC) data
- Staff surveys and/or other feedback
- State certified and high quality staff data

# **Parent/Community Data**

• Parent Involvement Rate

# Goals

**Goal 1:** Foundational Excellence: Dowling Elementary will create an agile, forward-thinking organization that operates with excellence today, while continuously researching and innovating tomorrow's practices.

**Performance Objective 1:** Dowling will utilize technology to provide quality blended learning for all students.

Evaluation Data Sources: Lesson plans; device inventory; student, parent, staff surveys

**Summative Evaluation:** None

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase timely a	access to digital content and online educational systems.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Jan
TEA Priorities: None	School Culture and Climate 6  Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1	Mar
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources:	Summativ
	Stickers and luggage tags to identify devices and carrying cases. Title One School-wide \$750	May

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in student parti	cipation in online learning programs that focus on closing learning gaps in	Formative
reading and math.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal, Assistant Principal	ipal, Instructional Specialists, Teachers	Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: Build a foundation of reading and math	Student Achievement 4, 5	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5:	— Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1 Technology 1	Summativ
Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: Flocabulary Online Program Title One School-wide \$2,500 BrainPop Online Program Title One School-wide \$2,550 Generation Genius Online Program Title One School-wide \$795 See Saw Online App for K-2 Title One School-wide \$1,700 Lyrics2Learn Online Program Title One School-wide \$2,500	May
rategy 3: Dowling staff will participate in a book study u	using the book Blended Learning in Action by Caitlin Tucker.	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Staff will have knowled	ge of blended learning best practices.	Formativ
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
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Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal

Title I Schoolwide Elements: None

TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Improve low-performing schools

ESF Levers: Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum

Technology 2

Funding Sources:

Blended Learning in Action books for each staff member Title One School-wide \$980



% No Progress



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### **Student Achievement**

**Problem Statement 4:** Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended. **Root Cause:** Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

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#### **School Culture and Climate**

Problem Statement 6: During distance learning in Spring 2020, 38% of students participated rarely, or never. Root Cause: Lack of access to broadband internet access.

### **Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment**

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

# **Technology**

**Problem Statement 1:** There are zero schoolwide site licenses for technology applications. **Root Cause:** Funds have not been allocated for these purchases.

**Problem Statement 2:** At least 25% of all students will learn in a completely virtual environment and 0% of teachers and leaders have experience in leading a fully virtual classroom. **Root Cause:** Lack of experience with virtual teaching and learning.

**Performance Objective 2:** Dowling student attendance rate will increase from 91.7% in March 2020 to 95% by May 2021.

Evaluation Data Sources: Attendance data

**Summative Evaluation:** None

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Parents/guardians with	ill have an increased awareness of the importance of attendance.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Attendance Clerk/Reg	istrar	Oct
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements:	Jan
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Demographics 1 School Culture and Climate 4	Mar
ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Parent and Community Engagement 1	Summative
	Funding Sources:	May
	None	
rategy 2: Weekly recognition for classes and scholars		
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	with perfect attendance.	Oct
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in daily attendance Clerk / Re	with perfect attendance.	Jan
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in daily atte Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Attendance Clerk / Re Principal	with perfect attendance. endance. gistrar	Oct Jan Mar
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in daily atte Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Attendance Clerk / Re Principal Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	with perfect attendance. endance. gistrar  Problem Statements:	Oct Jan

**Strategy 3:** The principal will contact a parent/guardian when a scholar reaches 7 absences and for each absence thereafter. The call will be logged in Eduphoria and a growth plan will be implemented where parents have to meet with the principal each grading period to monitor attendance.

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Parents / guardians v improve.	vill feel supported and be offered resources if needed. Attendance will	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Attendance Clerk Principal		Oct Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Improve low-performing schools	Demographics 1	Summative
ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture	School Culture and Climate 4 Parent and Community Engagement 1	May
	Funding Sources: None	
No Progress 100% Accord	mplished	

# **Demographics**

Problem Statement 1: Student attendance rate. 91.7%, is below the state and district percentages, Root Cause: Families do not understand the importance of school attendance,

### **School Culture and Climate**

**Problem Statement 4:** Parent Involvement is poor; 50% of families never meet with their child's teacher during the year. 67% of teachers surveyed responded that it is somewhat challenging to communicate with the families of students. **Root Cause:** There is not consistent communication between home and school.

# **Parent and Community Engagement**

**Problem Statement 1:** 59% of parents are not engaged. **Root Cause:** No consistent system for reaching out to parents. Lack of opportunities to engage families.

**Performance Objective 3:** Dowling will establish and maintain strong partnerships with parents, community members, and businesses.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** Parent Survey Responses, Community Partnership documentation

**Summative Evaluation:** None

**Strategy 1:** The Campus Improvement Team will include two parents, two community members, and two business representatives who will meet with the team a minimum of three times a year.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: CIT will be aligned	with mandated representation.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
CIT		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	School Culture and Climate 5  Parent and Community Engagement 1, 2	Summative
ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture	1 archi and Community Engagement 1, 2	Summative
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**Strategy 2:** Weekly teacher/grade-level newsletters will be provided digitally and sent via Class Dojo and posted on teacher websites. Monthly campus newsletters will be published via Smore.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Parents will have time	nely information about school activities and weekly learning objectives.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Assistant Principal Teachers		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Improve low-performing schools	School Culture and Climate 4  Parent and Community Engagement 1	Summative
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources:	May
	None	

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in commun	nity involvement at Dowling from two to five partners.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: ILT		Oct
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements:	Jan
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Parent and Community Engagement 2	Mar
ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources: None	Summative
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**Strategy 5:** The Campus Improvement Team (CIT) will begin working on the campus core values, vision, and mission in the fall of 2020. In the Spring of 2021, the CIT will solicit input and feedback from all staff, parents, and students. By May 2021, the Dowling core values, mission, and vision will be published.

Staff Responsible for Monitoring: CIT		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: None	School Culture and Climate 7	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning,	Funding Sources:	Summative
Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	None	May

#### **School Culture and Climate**

**Problem Statement 4:** Parent Involvement is poor; 50% of families never meet with their child's teacher during the year. 67% of teachers surveyed responded that it is somewhat challenging to communicate with the families of students. **Root Cause:** There is not consistent communication between home and school.

**Problem Statement 5:** Campus Improvement Team does not meet the district membership requirements. **Root Cause:** Lack of parental, community, and business owner representation.

**Problem Statement 7:** Staff perceptions of the campus score low compared to other elementary campuses. Feedback and Coaching scored 40% compared to 71% for other elementaries. School climate scored 44% compared to 79% for all elementary campuses. Professional Learning scored 52% compared to 73% for elementaries. And School Leadership scored 78% compared to 84% for elementary campuses. **Root Cause:** There is no campus plan for school culture in place.

# **Parent and Community Engagement**

Problem Statement 1: 59% of parents are not engaged. Root Cause: No consistent system for reaching out to parents. Lack of opportunities to engage families.

**Problem Statement 2:** Zero percent of Community Partners are not engaged. **Root Cause:** Community Partners are not informed of campus needs and asked to be involved in the campus.

**Performance Objective 4:** Dowling will provide and promote a safe climate that is conducive to learning.

Evaluation Data Sources: Referral data; student, teacher, and parent survey results

**Summative Evaluation:** None

Stratogy's Expected Posult/Impact: All staff will be trained in (	Conscious Discipline and utilize it daily to meet the social-emotional	Formative
needs of scholars. Students will feel safe at school and be able to	1	Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal		Jan
Counselor		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	School Culture and Climate 1, 8	May
Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Conscious Discipline eCourse Workbooks Title One School-wide \$720	
Level 3. I ositive School Culture	Conscious Discipline Classroom Resources Title One School-wide \$12,000	
	Consicous Discipline Books Title One School-wide \$1,400	

**Strategy 2:** CHAMPS will be used in all common areas and classrooms to organize learning for scholar success. Staff will be trained in CHAMPS during August and display their CHAMPS chart in their classrooms. CHAMPS charts will be used by teachers during each lesson and transition.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be orderly, re	sponsive, engaged, and motivated.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Assistant Principal		Jan
Instructional Specialists		
Teachers		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	School Culture and Climate 2	May
Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	None	
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**Strategy 3:** The counselor will provide lessons on preventing bullying, including cyber-bullying, to all scholars a minimum of twice a year.

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Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will develop	op social-emotional skills and learn to self-regulate their emotions.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Counselor		Oct
Principal Assistant Principal		Jan
Teachers		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	<b>Problem Statements:</b>	Summativ
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Improve low-performing schools	School Culture and Climate 8	May
ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources: None	
rategy 5: Parent education meetings will be held virt	ually for the purpose of educating parents on Conscious Discipli	ne and bullving
revention.	ually for the purpose of educating parents on Conscious Discipli	
••		Formative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased parent eng Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Formative Oct Jan
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Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased parent eng Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Counselor Title I Schoolwide Elements: 3.2	gagement and partnership.  Problem Statements:	Formative Oct Jan

**Strategy 6:** Dowling with work with the ECISD Maintenance department to securely fence the campus perimeter to prevent non-ECISD employees or students access to the campus during the school day. Inside, two sets of doors will be installed in the entrance to eliminate any possibility of a person entering an area other than the front office once they are "buzzed" in through the front doors.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased safety and security of the campus.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements: None	Jan
TEA Priorities: None	Funding Sources:	Mar
ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning	None	Summative
		May

**Strategy 7:** A campus discipline committee will be formed and meet at least quarterly to examine campus CHAMPS protocols, Conscious Discipline implementation, and student discipline data. The committee will make recommendations for changes, and educate the staff.

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Staff input in campus culture and procedures. A decrease in the number of student discipline issues.		Formative
		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal		Jan
Counselor		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
TEA Priorities: None	School Culture and Climate 1, 2	May
ESF Levers: None	Funding Sources: None	

**Strategy 8:** All Dowling staff will participate in the district's equity training. Articles on equity will be embedded in the campus weekly bulletin at least monthly.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Discipline referrals, OS	S, and ISS placements will reflect equity among student groups. Teachers	Formative
will work to examine their biases and how they affect students	S.	Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Improve low-performing schools	School Culture and Climate 3	
ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources:	Summative
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#### **School Culture and Climate**

Problem Statement 1: Conscious Discipline is not fully implemented in all classrooms. Root Cause: Lack of ongoing training.

Problem Statement 2: CHAMPS expectations are not consistently taught and enforced. Root Cause: Inadequate follow through from administration and staff.

**Problem Statement 3:** There is inequity in the number of ISS and OSS placements assigned to African American students at Dowling. **Root Cause:** Lack of equity for student groups.

**Problem Statement 4:** Parent Involvement is poor; 50% of families never meet with their child's teacher during the year. 67% of teachers surveyed responded that it is somewhat challenging to communicate with the families of students. **Root Cause:** There is not consistent communication between home and school.

**Problem Statement 8:** Fifty-two percent of students surveyed believe it is difficult to find help from an adult if they are being bullied. **Root Cause:** Strong relationships between staff and students are lacking.

### **Parent and Community Engagement**

**Problem Statement 1:** 59% of parents are not engaged. **Root Cause:** No consistent system for reaching out to parents. Lack of opportunities to engage families.

**Performance Objective 5:** The leadership team will develop a comprehensive communication plan based on the priorities identified in Dowling's Campus Improvement Plan and ECISD's Strategic Plan, The Future is Now.

Strategy 1: A communication plan including, but not limited to social media, campus newsletters, parent meetings/training, newspaper articles, parent-link calls and emails, and mailouts will be developed and implemented no later than September 2020. **Formative** Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in parent and community engagement. Weekly highlights of the positive things happening on campus. Oct Staff Responsible for Monitoring: ILT Jan CIT Mar **Title I Schoolwide Elements:** None **Problem Statements:** School Culture and Climate 4 Summative **TEA Priorities:** None Parent and Community Engagement 1, 2 May **ESF Levers:** Lever 3: Positive School Culture **Funding Sources:** None Accomplished % No Progress Continue/Modify **X** Discontinue **School Culture and Climate Problem Statement 4:** Parent Involvement is poor; 50% of families never meet with their child's teacher during the year. 67% of teachers surveyed responded that it is somewhat challenging to communicate with the families of students. Root Cause: There is not consistent communication between home and school. **Parent and Community Engagement** Problem Statement 1: 59% of parents are not engaged. Root Cause: No consistent system for reaching out to parents. Lack of opportunities to engage families.

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**Performance Objective 6:** The Campus Improvement Team will create a long-range improvement plan for expenditures by May, 2021.

Evaluation Data Sources: Long-range budgeting plan

**Summative Evaluation: None** 

**Strategy 1:** The Campus Improvement team will study the budget in the fall quarter. In the winter quarter, the team will make recommendations for the next two year's budgets using input from staff members. They will take these recommendations back to the staff to gather input. In the spring quarter, the team will finalize and make final recommendations. The recommendations will be shared with all staff and used as a guide for future spending.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Staff input and buy-in about campus priorities.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Improvement Team		Oct
Principal		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals	School Culture and Climate 7	
ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning,	Funding Sources:	Summative
Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	None	May
No Progress Accomplish	ed Continue/Modify X Discontinue	

### **School Culture and Climate**

**Problem Statement 7:** Staff perceptions of the campus score low compared to other elementary campuses. Feedback and Coaching scored 40% compared to 71% for other elementaries. School climate scored 44% compared to 79% for all elementary campuses. Professional Learning scored 52% compared to 73% for elementaries. And School Leadership scored 78% compared to 84% for elementary campuses. **Root Cause:** There is no campus plan for school culture in place.

**Performance Objective 7:** Dowling will provide the environment conducive to all educational needs in conjunction with the development of a Long-Range Facilities Plan that will move the campus forward in the future.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** Long-Range Facilities Plan developed by the CIT

**Summative Evaluation:** None

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Proper preventive maintenance measures will increase equipment life and save on energy costs		Formative
associated with running equipment.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Head Custodian		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: None	School Culture and Climate 9	Summative
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources: None	May
rategy 2: Dowling will participate in Universal Free Feeding Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All scholars will have access	ng where all students will receive breakfast and lunch at no chass to breakfast and lunch daily.	<del>_</del>
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**Performance Objective 8:** ECISD will provide differentiated processes for academically priority campuses such as Dowling.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** Work Order history

**Summative Evaluation:** None

Strategy 1: All strategies take precedence for academically priority campuses such as Dowling. The most fragile learning environments receive priority in timing.

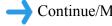
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Work orders and campus requests with poor academic performance will be pushed to the front of		Formative
the line to ensure these issues are remedied quickly.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: None	School Culture and Climate 9	
ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning,	Funding Sources:	Summative
Lever 3: Positive School Culture	None	May

Strategy 2: Plan and implement effective transitions for Pre-K to Kindergarten, and 5th -grade to Middle School in order to maintain academic learning and support the social-emotional learning of students.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: The expected result is to support students before, during and after a transition.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
AVID Site Team		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Demographics 1	
ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning,	Parent and Community Engagement 1	Summative
Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources: None	May
No Progress Accomplish	ned — Continue/Modify X Discontinue	









# **Demographics**

**Problem Statement 1:** Student attendance rate. 91.7%, is below the state and district percentages, **Root Cause:** Families do not understand the importance of school attendance,

# **School Culture and Climate**

Problem Statement 9: Dowling is in need of many repairs and/or updates to the facility and grounds. Root Cause: There has been no plan in place to keep the building up-todate and in good repair.

**Problem Statement 1:** 59% of parents are not engaged. **Root Cause:** No consistent system for reaching out to parents. Lack of opportunities to engage families.

Performance Objective 9: Dowling will embed technology for any time, anywhere teaching and learning.

**Strategy 1:** Dowling will utilize technology resources that will enable students, teachers, and leaders to implement and monitor personalized learning for all, including the following:

Learning Management System (LMS)

% No Progress

Adaptive Technology

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Increase percent of students working on grade level in reading and math by 10% as reported on the Imagine Learning Platform. 100% of all scholars will show a year of growth in reading and math as measured by MAP testing.		Formative Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal, Assistant Principal, Teachers, Instructional Specialists		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6 Problem Statements:	
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Student Achievement 1, 4, 5 School Culture and Climate 6	Mar Summative
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1  Funding Sources: None	May

#### **Student Achievement**

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**Problem Statement 1:** STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches). **Root Cause:** Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

**Problem Statement 4:** Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended. **Root Cause:** Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5:** Less than a fourth, 23%, of all bilingual students are showing increased English proficiency as measured by TELPAS. **Root Cause:** Bilingual students do not have enough practice in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

### **School Culture and Climate**

Problem Statement 6: During distance learning in Spring 2020, 38% of students participated rarely, or never. Root Cause: Lack of access to broadband internet access.

### Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Performance Objective 10:** Dowling will build a campus-wide awareness and commitment to develop, implement, and integrate SEL initiatives campuswide.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All staff members will understand the impact of SEL and will be critical partners understanding		Formative
the importance of implementing social- emotional-cultural learnin	g.	Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal		Jan
Counselor		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	School Culture and Climate 1	May
Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	•
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	None	
No Progress Accomplished	ed   Continue/Modify   Discontinue	•
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Performance Objective 11: Dowling will provide and safe and supportive school environment.

**Strategy 1:** Awareness training for staff, students, and parents will be provided in the area of sexual abuse and other maltreatment of children.

All new staff will be trained during the required new employee training on Darkness to Light,/Stewards of Child prevention program. Counselors will train all staff during on-campus professional development on prevention and reporting requirements. Required child abuse awareness posters for students will be displayed on all campuses.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased ability of staff an	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased ability of staff and students to recognize and report signs of abuse.	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Counselor		Oct
Principal		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4	Problem Statements: None	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	Summative
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture		May

**Strategy 2:** Suicide Prevention education and support for staff and students will be offered through Professional School Counselors and SAS Counselors. Counselors will collaborate with ECISD police as needed.

All School and SAS counselors will be trained yearly in ECISD crisis response procedures. All campus staff will be trained yearly during campus professional development concerning ECISD suicide prevention response procedures.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: 100% of all campus staff will be trained in suicide prevention. Age-appropriate training will be		Formative
provided to students.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Counselor Principal		Jan
Assistant Principal		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals	School Culture and Climate 8	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources: None	

**Strategy 3:** Conflict Resolution and violence prevention programs will be offered. The school and SAS counselors will be trained yearly in conflict resolution methods.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: 100% of counselors will be trained in conflict resolution methods.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Counselor		Oct
Principal		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4	<b>Problem Statements:</b>	Mar
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	School Culture and Climate 8	
ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources:	Summative
	None	May

**Strategy 4:** The ECISD comprehensive Guidance and Counseling curriculum will continue to be implemented in K-5 to implement lessons that will include child abuse, bullying, conflict resolution, substance abuse, self-efficacy, decision making, behavior, and other social-emotional topics.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All students will have regular access to the guidance curriculum.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Counselor		Oct
Principal		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4 Problem Statements: None		Mar
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 3: Positive School Culture	None	Summative
		May

# **Strategy 5:**

The Dowling Student Assistance Services Counselor will provide trauma-informed counseling services to address the social-emotional needs of at-risk students.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased knowledge	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased knowledge of student's social-emotional skills, reduced behavior problems, and	
increased attendance and academic achievement.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: SAS Counselor Principal Assistant Principal		Jan
		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6 Problem Statements: None		Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 3: Positive School Culture	None	

**Strategy 6:** Trauma-Informed, Resiliency, trauma-informed Behavior management plans and mental health awareness training will be prepared by SAS Counselors and presented to all administrators, counselors, and campus staff.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Staff will be better able to respond to students' needs in a trauma-informed approach.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
SAS Counselor		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5	Problem Statements: None	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	Summative
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture		May

**Strategy 7:** Dowling will follow the district's freedom from bullying policy and procedures which includes how to prevent, identify, respond to, and report bullying.

Administrators will follow all legal requirements pertaining to incidents of bullying.

The School Counselor will provide guidance lessons or implement programs to include bullying prevention.

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Administrators and the counselor will have awareness, recognition, and appropriate response regarding Bullying and will properly identify and will follow the district policy and procedures regarding bullying.		<b>Formative</b>
		Oct Jan Mar
100% of students will feel like they can get help from an adult if needed.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	May
TEA Priorities: None	School Culture and Climate 8	_
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources: None	
No Progress Accomplish	hed — Continue/Modify X Discontinue	
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### **School Culture and Climate**

**Problem Statement 8:** Fifty-two percent of students surveyed believe it is difficult to find help from an adult if they are being bullied. **Root Cause:** Strong relationships between staff and students are lacking.

**Goal 2:** Invest in Talent: Dowling Elementary will recruit, develop, and retain highly-effective individuals who are invested in looking at tomorrow to inform their practices today.

**Performance Objective 1:** Dowling staff will refine the culture of student-centered decision making and develop a common understanding of quality instructional practices.

Evaluation Data Sources: Book Study Responses on Google Classroom; Teacher survey responses

**Summative Evaluation: None** 

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Staff will understand what it takes to cultivate a community of learners who embody the innately human traits our world desperately needs, such as kindness, honesty, and compassion,		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal	ry, and compassion,	Oct Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6	Problem Statements: None	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: Culturize Book Title One School-wide \$950	Summative May
ESF Levers: Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture		
ategy 2: The observation-feedback protocol will be implen	nented to support all teachers' classroom instruction.	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: A common understanding of	of quality instructional practices will be established.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal	of quality instructional practices will be established.	Formative Oct Jan
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists	of quality instructional practices will be established.  Problem Statements:	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: A common understanding of Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists  Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.5  TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	Problem Statements: Student Achievement 1, 4, 5	Oct Jan
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.5	Problem Statements: Student Achievement 1, 4, 5 Sale of Culture and Climate 1, 2, 6, 7	Oct Jan Mar

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All teachers will begin imp	lementing Depth and Complexity through daily lesson planning.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: GT teachers		Oct
Principal		Jan
Assistant Principal  Instructional Specialists		Mor
Instructional Specialists		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Improve low-performing schools	Demographics 2 Student Achievement 1	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: None	
Level 1. High Quanty Curriculum, Level 3. Effective instruction		
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Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers will know which students need a small group or individual intervention/re-teach to		Formative
provide an opportunity to master content.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers Principal Assistant Principal		Jan Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1	May
Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 5: Effective Instruction		
No Progress Accomplished	ed	I
n	emographics	

**Problem Statement 2:** The number of GT students has remained constant even with an increase in enrollment. **Root Cause:** The campus is not identifying students for the GT program.

#### **Student Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1:** STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches). **Root Cause:** Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

**Problem Statement 4:** Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended. **Root Cause:** Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5:** Less than a fourth, 23%, of all bilingual students are showing increased English proficiency as measured by TELPAS. **Root Cause:** Bilingual students do not have enough practice in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

# **School Culture and Climate**

Problem Statement 1: Conscious Discipline is not fully implemented in all classrooms. Root Cause: Lack of ongoing training.

Problem Statement 2: CHAMPS expectations are not consistently taught and enforced. Root Cause: Inadequate follow through from administration and staff.

Problem Statement 6: During distance learning in Spring 2020, 38% of students participated rarely, or never. Root Cause: Lack of access to broadband internet access.

**Problem Statement 7:** Staff perceptions of the campus score low compared to other elementary campuses. Feedback and Coaching scored 40% compared to 71% for other elementaries. School climate scored 44% compared to 79% for all elementary campuses. Professional Learning scored 52% compared to 73% for elementaries. And School Leadership scored 78% compared to 84% for elementary campuses. **Root Cause:** There is no campus plan for school culture in place.

### Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention

Problem Statement 1: There is no formal plan for supporting first through third year teachers. Root Cause: A plan has not been developed and implemented.

# Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Problem Statement 2:** T-TESS shows that only 4% of teachers scored above proficient in planning engaging, flexible lessons that encourage higher-order thinking, persistence, and achievement. **Root Cause:** Dowling is not a schoolwide AVID campus.

**Performance Objective 2:** In 2020-2021, Dowling will offer a job-embedded, personalized professional learning system for teachers and administrators.

Evaluation Data Sources: PD yearly plan

**Summative Evaluation:** None

**Strategy 1:** Dowling will provide professional development opportunities that focus on Data-Driven Instruction (DDI), Observation-Feedback Protocols, Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID), Blended Learning, Depth and Complexity, Conscious Discipline, and CHAMPS.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Classroom walkthroughs and lesson plans will show evidence of DDI, AVID, and Blended		Formative
Learning components.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists		Jan Mar
Teachers		Summative
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements:	May
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Build a foundation of reading and math, Connect high school to	School Culture and Climate 7 Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1, 2	Way
career and college, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	AVID training Title One School-wide \$10,000 Blended Learning in Action Book Title One School-wide \$980	

**Strategy 2:** Support for first-third year teachers will include a bi-monthly PLC focused on the Get Better Faster scope and sequence and best practices of classroom instruction found in Teach Like a Champion. This work will be led by the ILT. Follow up observation-feedback meetings will occur on a weekly basis to coach and support teachers in providing quality face-to-face and virtual instruction.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Panorama survey will indic	eate teachers feel supported and receive quality feedback on their	Formative
teaching practices. Quality instruction will help to increase the pe	teaching practices. Quality instruction will help to increase the percentage of students performing at, or above, grade-level.	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists		Jan Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Improve low-performing schools	School Culture and Climate 7 Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention 1	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: Teach Like a Champion Books and digital curriculum Title One School-wide \$850	

**Strategy 3:** Each campus administrator will conduct a minimum of five documented walkthroughs and observation/feedback meetings per week.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All teachers will receive timely feedback and coaching to improve teaching and learning.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Assistant Principal		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	Student Achievement 4 School Culture and Climate 1, 2	Summative
Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 2	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers	Funding Sources: None	

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased staff retention and	d improved employee effectiveness.	Formati
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	School Culture and Climate 7	Summat
Improve low-performing schools	<b>Funding Sources:</b>	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture	None	
	ram that supports and engages new staff	
rategy 5: Dowling will implement the ECISD Mentor Progr		Format
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Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improved staff retention and Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal		Format Oct Jan
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improved staff retention and Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Mentor Teachers	d improved employee effectiveness.	Oct
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improved staff retention and Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Mentor Teachers  Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	d improved employee effectiveness.  Problem Statements:	Oct Jan Mar
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improved staff retention and Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal Mentor Teachers	d improved employee effectiveness.	Oct Jan

**Strategy 6:** Campus administrators and Instructional Specialists will effectively communicate observation feedback and coaching for instructional staff.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improve student outcomes; improve staff retention; improve employee effectiveness		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Improve low-performing schools	School Culture and Climate 7 Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention 1 Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 2	Summative May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: None	-
No Progress Accomplish	ed — Continue/Modify X Discontinue	

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**Performance Objective 3:** The ILT will provide a positive culture for all staff and scholars.

Evaluation Data Sources: Staff Surveys; Student surveys; parent surveys; discipline referral data

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All stakeholders will know	ow and follow expectations set forth in the Culture Playbook. Discipline	Formative
referral data will reflect more students are on task during arrival, dismissal, hallway transitions, lunch, virtual classrooms, assemblies, and beginning of face-to-face instruction.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: ILT		Jan
Teachers		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principal		May
Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture		
rategy 2: The Campus Improvement Team in partnership	with the Maintenance Department and community partners will w	ork to
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## **Parent and Community Engagement**

**Problem Statement 2:** Zero percent of Community Partners are not engaged. **Root Cause:** Community Partners are not informed of campus needs and asked to be involved in the campus.

**Performance Objective 4:** The campus teacher retention rate will increase from 78% to 85%.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** Teacher retention data.

**Summative Evaluation:** None

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Staff will feel supported an	nd valued.	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals	School Culture and Climate 7	Summative
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers	Funding Sources: None	May
rategy 2: 100% of Dowling teachers will receive targeted C	Observation Feedback.	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Supported Teachers; Relev	rant Feedback;	Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct
Assistant Principal		Oct Jan
Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists		Jan
Assistant Principal	Problem Statements:	Jan Mar
Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists	Problem Statements: School Culture and Climate 7	Jan Mar
Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists  Title I Schoolwide Elements: None		Jan
Assistant Principal Instructional Specialists  Title I Schoolwide Elements: None  TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals  ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning,	School Culture and Climate 7  Funding Sources: None	Jan Mar Summative

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Leadership scored 78% compared to 84% for elementary campuses. **Root Cause:** There is no campus plan for school culture in place.

**Goal 3:** Learning Journey: Dowling Elementary will establish rigorous standards while balancing pressure and support for individuals to work hard and achieve goals they have yet to dream. Dowling Elementary will equip students to be adaptable in an ever-changing society.

**Performance Objective 1:** Students achieving the Meets Standard on the state assessments in Reading will increase from 21% to 28%. Students achieving the Masters Standard on the state assessments in Reading will increase from 5% to 10% by May 2021.

**Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR test** 

<b>trategy 1:</b> The campus will implement a consistent process ommunities (PLCs).	to disaggregate data and monitor data through Professional Lear	rning
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Lesson plans will reflect da	ata-driven lessons/instruction.	Formative
Teachers will script and practice the reteach lesson during PLCs.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers, Principal, Assistar	nt Principal, Instructional Specialists	Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math,	Student Achievement 1, 4	
Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	Summative
ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning,	None	May
Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 5: Effective		
Instruction		

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All teachers will provide his	igh-quality ELAR instruction leading to a year of growth for all	Formative
scholars.		Oct
<b>Staff Responsible for Monitoring:</b> Instructional Specialists Teachers		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	Student Achievement 1, 4	Summative
Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 5: Effective Instruction		
minimum of eight weeks with bi-weekly progress monitorin	of 30 minutes 3-5 times weekly in groups of no larger than eight g. All Tier II support will be documented using the RTI proce	SS.
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**Strategy 4:** Tier III students will receive support a minimum of 45-120 minutes 5 times weekly in groups of no larger than three students for a minimum of eight weeks with weekly progress monitoring. All Tier II support will be documented using the RTI process.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Gaps in learning will begin to close and the student will move to Tier II support after 8-12 weeks		Formative
of intervention.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers Counselor		Jan
Principal		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements: None	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 5: Effective Instruction		

**Strategy 5:** Students in kindergarten through grade five will use Imagine Learning weekly for the recommended number of minutes based on their MAP testing results.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All students will grow at least one year in reading ability.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers		Oct
Instructional Specialists Principal		Jan
Assistant Principal		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	<b>Problem Statements:</b>	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Student Achievement 1, 4, 5 Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: None	

<b>Strategy 6:</b> All scholars K-5 will utilize the Accelerated Rebased on 30 minutes of daily reading.	eading program. Goals will be set for individual students to work t	owards
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will read daily at school and at home in their Zone of Proximal Development. Scholars		Formative
will test on their books as they finish reading. All scholars will grow a minimum of one year in reading.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers Librarian		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Student Achievement 1, 4, 5 School Context and Organization 1	Summative May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: AR Program Title One School-wide \$7,900	May
<b>Strategy 7:</b> All scholars in grades 1-5 will set reading goal folder/binder.	s and track them in their Student Planner, AVID binder, student date	
e	owards improving their reading level and scores on formative assessments	Formative
in reading. Teachers will monitor student progress towards goa	als and assist in goal setting.	Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
TEA Priorities: Build a foundation of reading and math,	Student Achievement 1, 4 Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 2	Summative
Improve low-performing schools		
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 3: Positive School Culture	Funding Sources: None	May

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in daily minutes that all students read self-selected books.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal		Oct Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements: None	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	Summative May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction		
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rategy 9: All teachers will have access to Lyrics 2 Learn	and Flocabulary to use in planning personalized learning for rea	nding.
<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Teachers will use these		Formative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers will use these Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		
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Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers will use these Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Teachers Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	online programs to meet the needs of all scholars.  Problem Statements:	Formative Oct Jan Mar

Strategy 10: All scholars in grades 3-5 will conference with an administrator, counselor, or instructional specialist a minimum of twice per year about their progress towards achieving mastery on STAAR. **Formative** Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be able to explain their reading goals, progress towards those goals, and any support needed. Scholars will feel connected to another adult in the building other than their classroom teacher and will celebrate progress with Oct this adult at least twice per year. Jan **Staff Responsible for Monitoring:** Administrators Counselor Mar **Instructional Specialist** Summative Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6 **Problem Statements:** May Student Achievement 1, 4, 5 **TEA Priorities:** Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools **Funding Sources:** None **ESF Levers:** Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 3: Positive School Culture

### **Student Achievement**

Accomplished

Continue/Modify

Discontinue

**Problem Statement 1:** STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches). **Root Cause:** Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

**Problem Statement 4:** Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended. **Root Cause:** Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5:** Less than a fourth, 23%, of all bilingual students are showing increased English proficiency as measured by TELPAS. **Root Cause:** Bilingual students do not have enough practice in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

## Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Problem Statement 2:** T-TESS shows that only 4% of teachers scored above proficient in planning engaging, flexible lessons that encourage higher-order thinking, persistence, and achievement. **Root Cause:** Dowling is not a schoolwide AVID campus.

## **School Context and Organization**

Problem Statement 1: Students spend 0 minutes silently reading each day. Root Cause: This has not been a campus focus and included in the master schedule.

## **Technology**

**Problem Statement 1:** There are zero schoolwide site licenses for technology applications. **Root Cause:** Funds have not been allocated for these purchases.

% No Progress

**Performance Objective 2:** Students achieving the Meets Standard on the state assessments in Math will increase from 25% to 30% by May 2021. Students achieving the Masters Standard on the state assessments in Math will increase from 7% to 12% by May 2021.

**Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR test** 

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Lesson plans will reflect data-driven lessons/instruction. Teachers will script and practice the reteach lesson during PLCs.		Formative
		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers, Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Specialists		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math,	Student Achievement 1	
Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	Summativ
ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 5: Effective Instruction  *ategy 2: Instructional Specialists will provide targeted sup		May
	nigh-quality math instruction leading to a year of growth for all scholars.	Formativ
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Instructional Specialists		
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Instructional Specialists		Oct
<b>Staff Responsible for Monitoring:</b> Instructional Specialists Teachers		Oct Jan
•	Problem Statements:	Jan
Teachers	Problem Statements: Student Achievement 1	Jan Mar
Teachers  Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6		Jan

**Strategy 3:** Tier II students will receive support a minimum of 30 minutes 3-5 times weekly in groups of no larger than eight students for a minimum of eight weeks with bi-weekly progress monitoring. All Tier II support will be documented using the RTI process.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Gaps in learning will close due to appropriate intervention and the student will move back to Tier		Formative
I support after 8-12 weeks of intervention.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers Counselor		Oct
		Jan
Principal		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements: None	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 5: Effective Instruction		

**Strategy 4:** Tier III students will receive support a minimum of 45-120 minutes 5 times weekly in groups of no larger than three students for a minimum of eight weeks with weekly progress monitoring. All Tier II support will be documented using the RTI process.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Gaps in learning will decrease and students will move to Tier II support after 8-12 weeks of		Formative
intervention.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers Counselor		Jan
Principal		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements: None	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 5: Effective Instruction		

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All students will grow at least one year in their math ability as measured by the MAP assessment.		Formative
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers Instructional Specialists		Oct
		Jan
Principal		
Assistant Principal		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summativ
TEA Priorities: None	Student Achievement 1	May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5:	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1	_
Effective Instruction	Funding Sources:	
	None  and track them in their Student Planner, AVID binder, student data	
rategy 6: All scholars in grades 1-5 will set math goals a lder/binder.	None and track them in their Student Planner, AVID binder, student data	
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Strategy 7: All scholars in grades 3-5 will conference with an administrator, counselor, or instructional specialist a minimum of twice per year about their progress towards achieving mastery on STAAR. **Formative** Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be able to explain their reading goals, progress towards those goals, and any support needed. Scholars will feel connected to another adult in the building other than their classroom teacher and will celebrate progress with Oct this adult at least twice per year. Jan Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administrators Counselor Mar **Instructional Specialists** Summative Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.6 **Problem Statements:** May Student Achievement 1 **TEA Priorities:** Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools **Funding Sources:** None **ESF Levers:** Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 3: Positive School Culture Accomplished Continue/Modify Discontinue % No Progress **Student Achievement** 

**Problem Statement 1:** STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches). **Root Cause:** Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

## Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Performance Objective 3:** Students achieving the Meets Standard on the state assessments in Writing will increase from 18% to 28% by May 2021. Students achieving the Masters Standard on the state assessments in Writing will increase from 3% to 14% by May 2021.

**Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR test** 

**Summative Evaluation:** None

**Strategy 1:** A vertical writing collaborative will be formed with one teacher from each grade level K-5. This group will meet a minimum of one time per month to determine student expectations for writing for the next month. Plans will be shared with the entire staff through grade-level planning meetings. Fidelity of implementation will be monitored by the lead teacher for each grade level, the Instructional Specialist, and Administrators.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: The team will develop consistent expectations for writing instruction across the grade levels.		Formative
		Oct
All K-5 teachers will spend time teaching writing in all subjects their classrooms.		Jan
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Lead Teachers Instructional Specialists		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6 Problem Statements:		Summative
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools  Student Achievement 5		May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum	Funding Sources: None	

**Strategy 2:** All scholars will complete a minimum of one monthly writing sample. Each teacher will bring examples of low, medium, and high writing samples to a monthly PLC meeting. Teachers will work together to score the writing and discuss common areas of strength and concerns. This will be used to inform the planning of the writing team.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers will develop and refine common expectations for student writing.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administrators Teachers Campus Writing Committee Instructional Specialists			
		Problem Statements: None	Summative
		Funding Sources:	May
None			
	Problem Statements: None Funding Sources:		

**Strategy 3:** All teachers K-5 will incorporate writing into each subject area: ELAR, math, science, social studies, and health a minimum of one time per grading period.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students will be able to explain their thinking and learning across the disciplines through writing.		Formative
EL students will increase their proficiency level on the writing portion of TELPAS.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Writing Collaborative Administrators Teachers		Oct
		Ion
		Jan
		Mar
		C
Instructional Specialists		Summative
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6 Problem Statements: None		May
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	None	

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be able	ategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be able to apply editing and revising skills to authentic student writing.	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers		Oct
Administrators	Administrators	
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements: None	Mar
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 5: Effective Instruction	None	Summativ
		May
rategy 5: Fourth-grade scholars will practice scoring	released STAAR writing samples using the TEA provided scoring	ubric.
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will analyze	e authentic student writing and determine what it takes, according to the TE	A Formativ
rubric, to achieve a score of 4 in writing.	a desirence stadent withing and determine what it takes, decorating to the 11	Oct

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Scholars will analyze authentic student writing and determine what it takes, according to the TEA rubric, to achieve a score of 4 in writing.		Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers Instructional Specialists		Jan
Administrators  Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6  Problem Statements: None		Mar Summative
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
FSE L evers L ever 5: Effective Instruction	None	May

**ESF Levers:** Lever 5: Effective Instruction

han	Itegy 6: All scholars PK - 5 grade will use handwriting resolution. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Writing will be fluid and enapolar.	ources from Handwriting Without Tears to develop fluid, neat	Formative
	process.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal Assistant Principal		
	Teachers		Mar
	Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6  TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools  Funding Sources:		Summative
			May
	<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Handwriting Without Tears Materials Title One School-wide \$6,000 Effective Instruction		
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**Problem Statement 5:** Less than a fourth, 23%, of all bilingual students are showing increased English proficiency as measured by TELPAS. **Root Cause:** Bilingual students do not have enough practice in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

**Performance Objective 4:** Students achieving the Meets Standard on the state assessments in Science will increase from 25% to 30% by May 2021. Students achieving the Masters Standard on the state assessments in Science will increase from 5% to 25% by May 2021.

**Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR** 

Strategy 1: All K-5 teachers will have access to Brain Pop		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers will use multiple resources to plan and implement quality lessons that meet the depth		Formative
and complexity of the TEKS.		Oct
<b>Staff Responsible for Monitoring:</b> Principal Teachers		Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements: None	Mar Summativ
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Brain Pop Subscription Title One School-wide \$3,445 Generation Genius Subscription Title One School-wide \$795	May
	eekly using hands-on science labs, demonstrations, or videos of secir thinking	cience labs.
The scholars will complete a written reflection to process the Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be able to a		Formativ
The scholars will complete a written reflection to process the Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be able to sown, and complete a written reflection.	neir thinking.	
The scholars will complete a written reflection to process the Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will be able to sown, and complete a written reflection.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers	name the steps in the scientific process, perform a science lab on their	Formative
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**Performance Objective 5:** English Learners achieving Advanced and Advanced High Composite Level scores will increase by 5 percentage points for the academic year 2020-2021.

TELPAS Advanced Level from 21.1% to 26.1%

TELPAS Advanced High Level from 6.42% to 11.42%

**Evaluation Data Sources:** TELPAS scores

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All EL students will have regular practice writing in English.		Formative
aff Responsible for Monitoring: Classroom Teachers PAC Coordinator		Oct Jan
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Jan Mar
TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools	Student Achievement 5	
ESF Levers: Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources:	Summativ
EST Levels. Level 5. Effective histiaction	None	May
rategy 2: All EL students will practice speaking in Educast.	nglish using various apps on the IPads and Chromebooks or by creat	
odcast.		ing a monthl
odcast.	Inglish using various apps on the IPads and Chromebooks or by creat we frequent practice speaking into a microphone and listening to their own	ing a monthl
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: EL students will ha		ing a monthly
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: EL students will have voice well before TELPAS.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers		Formative Oct
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: EL students will have voice well before TELPAS.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers LPAC Coordinator	ve frequent practice speaking into a microphone and listening to their own	Formative Oct Jan

Strategy 3: All bilingual students will be read to in English. Kindergarten and first-grade teachers will read books in English during ESL time. Second-fifth grade teachers will read books in English during ESL time and scholars will read books in English that are on their reading level in English as determined by STAR testing.

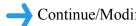
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Bilingual students' understanding of English will increase during the year. Students in grades 2-5		Formative	
will show an increase in English reading level as measured by iStation and TELPAS.		Oct	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Bilingual Teachers		Jan	
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Mar	
<b>EA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math,  Student Achievement 4, 5		Summative	
Improve low-performing schools  Funding Sources:			
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	None	May	

Strategy 4: LPAC Committee made up of all bilingual teachers and the Assistant Principal will meet at least quarterly to discuss the progress of each student and determine and needed interventions/acceleration.

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> The needs of all EL students will be met and their English proficiency as measured by TELPAS will increase by the end of the school year.		Formative Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Assistant Principal Bilingual Teachers  Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.6 TEA Priorities: Improve low-performing schools  Problem Statements: Student Achievement 5		Jan
		Mar
		Summative
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers	Funding Sources: None	May
No Progress Accomplish	ned	









# **Student Achievement**

Problem Statement 4: Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended. Root Cause: Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

Problem Statement 5: Less than a fourth, 23%, of all bilingual students are showing increased English proficiency as measured by TELPAS. Root Cause: Bilingual students do not have enough practice in listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

**Performance Objective 6:** Coordinated School Health requirements in fitness assessment and physical activity levels will be met by 2020-21 in all physical education classes.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** Fitness Gram

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students will be physically active during the school day in addition to PE time.				
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers				
Fitle I Schoolwide Elements: None	Problem Statements: None	Jan		
ΓΕΑ Priorities: None	Funding Sources:	Mar		
ESF Levers: None	None	Summative		
	e for classroom breaks and indoor recess when needed.  Il have access to physical activity breaks in the classroom on a daily basis.	May Formative		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students wi		Formative		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students wi Staff Responsible for Monitoring: None	ll have access to physical activity breaks in the classroom on a daily basis.	Formative		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students wi Staff Responsible for Monitoring: None Fitle I Schoolwide Elements: None	Il have access to physical activity breaks in the classroom on a daily basis.  Problem Statements: None	Formative Oct Jan		

Performance Objective 7: Dowling will become a Schoolwide AVID Campus on or before May 2023.

Evaluation Data Sources: Lesson Plans, Walkthrough Data, AVID Site Team Plan Documentation

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All teachers and administrators will be trained in AVID.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal AVID Site Team		Oct Jan	
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.5	Problem Statements:	Mar	
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 2		
mprove low-performing schools	Funding Sources:	Summativ May	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	None		
ategy 2: After AVID Foundation training, all teachers K-5 ekly lesson plans.	will incorporate a minimum of one WICOR strategy in each ca	itegory in	
ekly lesson plans.	will incorporate a minimum of one WICOR strategy in each candemic skills, including note-taking, organization, time management,		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will hone their aca and critical thinking.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: AVID Site Team		Formativ	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will hone their aca and critical thinking.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: AVID Site Team Principal Assistant Principal		Formativ Oct	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will hone their aca and critical thinking.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: AVID Site Team Principal Assistant Principal Teachers	ademic skills, including note-taking, organization, time management,	Formativ Oct Jan	
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Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Scholars will hone their aca and critical thinking.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: AVID Site Team Principal Assistant Principal Teachers	ademic skills, including note-taking, organization, time management,	Formativ Oct Jan Mar Summati	

<b>Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:</b> Dowling will move closer to year.	becoming an AVID Schoolwide Site by the end of the 2023 school	Formative Oct
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: AVID Site Team		-
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	_ Jan
TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 2	Mar
Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	Summative May
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction		
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ategy 4: AVID Site Team members will attend Summer Ins Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers will pivot their app	proach from instructor to facilitator. Using AVID strategies, they will	
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**Performance Objective 8:** The percentage of students reading on grade level in grades K-2 will increase at least 10% from the BOY MAP to EOY MAP assessment.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** MAP testing results

**Summative Evaluation:** None

**Strategy 1:** K-2 students will have daily access to high-quality lessons in guided reading, whole-group instruction, and personalized learning through Imagine Reading.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All students will show one year of growth in reading by May 2021.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers		Oct	
Instructional Coaches		Jan	
Principal			
Assistant Principal		Mar	
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative	
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math  Student Achievement 1, 4			
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: None		
No Progress Accomplis	shed	1	

## **Student Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1:** STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches). **Root Cause:** Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

**Problem Statement 4:** Average student reading levels in Spanish and English across all grade levels are lower than the recommended Lexile levels. Kindergarten average Lexile did not measure and is 230L below recommended lexile level. First-grade average lexile level was 95L in English and 90L in Spanish compared to the 530L recommended in English and Spanish. Second grade English was 365L and Spanish 510 L compared to the recommendation of 650L. Third grade average scores were 545L in English and 510L in Spanish compared to the 820L recommended score. Fourth grade average score was 730L compared to the recommendation of 940L. And fifth-grade was 850L compared to 1010L recommended. **Root Cause:** Reading instruction is not provided at the depth and complexity of the TEKS.

**Performance Objective 9:** The percentage of students that Met Standard on all subjects/grades on the 2019 STAAR test will increase from 55% to 60% as measured by the 2021 STAAR assessment.

**Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR test** 

**Summative Evaluation:** None

**Strategy 1:** Third, Fourth, and Fifth grade teachers will track student progress on all formative assessments and provide the intervention that is data-driven.

ents meeting standards on each formative assessment.	Formative	
	Oct	
	Jan	
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	Mar	
Problem Statements:	Summative	
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Build a foundation of reading and math,  Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1		
Funding Sources:	May	
None		
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	Problem Statements: Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1 Funding Sources: None	

## Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Performance Objective 10:** The percentage of students meeting or exceeding the growth target will increase from 63% (2019 STAAR) to 69% (2020 STAAR).

**Evaluation Data Sources:** 5th-grade STAAR tests Reading and Math.

**Summative Evaluation:** None

**Strategy 1:** 5th-grade teachers will track growth scores after each formative assessment and provide necessary targeted intervention for each student.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students will make progress	s in reading and math.	Formative		
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: 5th-grade teachers	-	Oct		
Instructional Specialists		Jan		
Principal		oun our		
Assistant Principal		Mar		
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative		
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals,				
Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	Funding Sources: None	May		
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction				
No Progress Accomplished	ed   Continue/Modify   Discontinue	•		
Curriculum, Ir	nstruction, and Assessment			

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Performance Objective 11:** Implement innovative instructional models that enable personalized learning for all students.

Evaluation Data Sources: Lesson plans, assessment scores, PLC minutes

**Summative Evaluation:** None

**Strategy 1:** Implement assessment models that ensure teachers and students are able to monitor their learning and growth. Assessment models will include the following: MAP Growth Assessments, Formative Assessments, and Aggressive Monitoring.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in student mastery in all subject areas.		
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers		Oct
Principal Assistant Principal		Jan
Instructional Specialists		Mar
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Summative
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing	Student Achievement 1, 4 Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1, 2	May
schools	Funding Sources:	
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	None	

**Strategy 2:** Implement research-based instructional models that enable personalized learning for all students, including the following: Blended Learning, Balanced Literacy, and Enriched Advanced Academics.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers will meet the educational needs of each scholar.		Formative		
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers				
Principal		Jan		
Assistant Principal				
Instructional Specialists		Mar		
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6 Problem Statements:				
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing	Demographics 2 Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1	May		
schools  Funding Sources:				
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	None			

**Strategy 3:** The principal will implement Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) where teams implement the Data-Driven Instructional process, develop TEKS knowledge (Know/Show Charts, implement the coaching model of Observation/Feedback, and plan for student mastery of learning objectives through a personalized learning path.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in teacher and student capacity.				
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Oct		
Title I Schoolwide Elements: 2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Problem Statements:	Jan		
<b>TEA Priorities:</b> Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals, Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing	School Culture and Climate 7 Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention 1	Mar		
schools	Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment 1, 2	Summative		
<b>ESF Levers:</b> Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 2: Effective, Well-Supported Teachers, Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 4: High-Quality Curriculum, Lever 5: Effective Instruction	Funding Sources: None	May		
No Progress Accomplished	ed   Continue/Modify   Discontinue	•		
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**Problem Statement 2:** The number of GT students has remained constant even with an increase in enrollment. **Root Cause:** The campus is not identifying students for the GT program.

### **Student Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1:** STAAR Performance Data in all grades all subjects (55% approaches) lags behind the district (63% approaches) and state measures (78% approaches). **Root Cause:** Students entering third-grade are below grade level in math and reading compared to their peers across the district and state.

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#### **School Culture and Climate**

**Problem Statement 7:** Staff perceptions of the campus score low compared to other elementary campuses. Feedback and Coaching scored 40% compared to 71% for other elementaries. School climate scored 44% compared to 79% for all elementary campuses. Professional Learning scored 52% compared to 73% for elementaries. And School Leadership scored 78% compared to 84% for elementary campuses. **Root Cause:** There is no campus plan for school culture in place.

## Staff Quality, Recruitment, and Retention

**Problem Statement 1:** There is no formal plan for supporting first through third year teachers. **Root Cause:** A plan has not been developed and implemented.

## Curriculum, Instruction, and Assessment

**Problem Statement 1:** T-TESS shows that 0% of teachers scored accomplished or distinguised in the ability to differentiate instruction. **Root Cause:** Lack of knowledge about blended and personalized learning.

**Problem Statement 2:** T-TESS shows that only 4% of teachers scored above proficient in planning engaging, flexible lessons that encourage higher-order thinking, persistence, and achievement. **Root Cause:** Dowling is not a schoolwide AVID campus.

# **Campus Funding Summary**

	Title One School-wide					
Goal	Objective	Strategy	Resources Needed	Account Code	Amount	
1	1	1	Stickers and luggage tags to identify devices and carrying cases.		\$750.00	
1	1	2	Flocabulary Online Program		\$2,500.00	
1	1	2	BrainPop Online Program		\$2,550.00	
1	1	2	Generation Genius Online Program		\$795.00	
1	1	2	See Saw Online App for K-2		\$1,700.00	
1	1	2	Lyrics2Learn Online Program		\$2,500.00	
1	1	3	Blended Learning in Action books for each staff member		\$980.00	
1	2	2	Prizes for weekly perfect attendance awards.		\$5,000.00	
1	4	1	Conscious Discipline eCourse Workbooks		\$720.00	
1	4	1	Conscious Discipline Classroom Resources		\$12,000.00	
1	4	1	Consicous Discipline Books		\$1,400.00	
1	4	1	Conscious Discipline eCourse		\$979.00	
2	1	1	Culturize Book		\$950.00	
2	2	1	AVID training		\$10,000.00	
2	2	1	Blended Learning in Action Book		\$980.00	
2	2	2	Teach Like a Champion Books and digital curriculum		\$850.00	
3	1	6	AR Program		\$7,900.00	
3	1	9	Lyrics 2 Learn Online Program		\$2,500.00	
3	1	9	Flocabulary Online Program		\$2,500.00	
3	3	6	Handwriting Without Tears Materials		\$6,000.00	
3	4	1	Brain Pop Subscription		\$3,445.00	
3	4	1	Generation Genius Subscription		\$795.00	
		•		Sub-Total	\$67,794.00	

	Title One School-wide				
Goal	Objective	Strategy	Resources Needed	Account Code	Amount
				Grand Total	\$67,794.00

# **Addendums**