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Tutorials will be offered to all students within the day, before/after school, each week.	TAKS/SDAA	At-risk All 504 Special Ed	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Instructional materials, technology subscriptions, books purchased with Comp Ed funds of \$1675	Students' improvement (grade comparisons), TAKS, schedule, team minutes
Provide stimulating library media center environment.	S3 P7	All	Library personnel	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Books, videos, games, laser disk, magazines, internet, etc.	Students' frequency reports, students' projects, usage statistics, observation
Interdisciplinary teams analyze TAKS/SDAA (team concept & individual student deficiencies) in order to meet the needed skills to be re-taught.	Pre-S3 P10B	At-risk Special Education Dyslexia 504	Inter- disciplinary team leaders Principal	Aug. 2003- Oct. 2003	Awards, funds, time, TAKS results	Student results, award ceremony, photos, list of students, TAKS results
Implement the vertically aligned curriculum	S3	All	Principal Staff S. Dotson	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Staff development, time, collaboration	Lesson plans, observations
Continue implementation of THINKING MAPS: Teach THINKING MAPS to 6 th grade through advisory & review maps 7 th and 8 th through an integrated subject format.	S3	All	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	THINKING MAP Notebooks for staff, supplies, time	Student work, TAKS Results, walk- throughs, observations
Implementation of conceptual-based integrated curriculum.	S3	All	Teachers, Principals	Aug. 2003- June 2004	THINKING MAP notebooks for staff, supplies, time, portal, intranet	TAKS results, walk- throughs, student products, observations

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Increase number of students participating in Pre-AP classes	S3 P1(1)	All	Principal Staff Counselors CISD	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, consistent materials, opportunities	Enrollment in Pre-AP, Increase of DAP graduates from North
Differentiated instructional strategies utilized in all subject areas	S3 P7	All	Teachers Principal	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Staff development, time, funds, idea bank	Observations, student products
Teach lessons in each class through active learning such as, but not limited to, murals, ads, role playing, cartoons, dialogues, newspapers, news broadcasts, interviews, labs, peer teaching, creating procedures, letters, poems, essays, essay tests, poster designs, class discussions, question writing and journals.	S3 P7	All	Teachers Principals	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time to plan, paper, colors, glue, tape, etc., text, HISTORY ALIVE, training, portal, intranet, staff development	TEKS and TAKS objectives (varies by subject), students' work, TAKS results, photos, observations
Use questions that reflect TAKS reading question format to understand reading for content.	TAKS information, TEA releases: re: test format	All	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Questions/answer form handout, copies of TEA TAKS published passages, funds, time for Staff development	TAKS scores on reading section, observations, samples of questions.
Utilize open-ended questioning, Bloom's Taxonomy (Bloom's Taxonomy posted in all classrooms)	TAKS information	All	Staff	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Staff development, time, funds, materials	Walk-through, PDAS, TAKS results, examples of students' work
Encourage enrollment in challenging courses	S3 P4(4)	All	Staff Counselors P. Lupia	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, consistent information, opportunities	Enrollment in classes, agendas, printed materials

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Use strategies which move students toward more self-evaluation of metacognitive processes/alternative assessment, i.e. problem solving relationships, summarization, focus	TAKS information, TEKS S3	All	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Staff development, time, internet, library media resources	Students' work, TAKS results, observations, PDAS
Organize writing across the curriculum program where all subject areas, including electives, compose at least once a six week	TAKS information, TEKS	All	Team leaders	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Staff development, research tools, technology, time	Observation, PDAS, flow maps, examples of students' work
Use reasoning skills to evaluate data	TAKS information, TEKS	All	Staff	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Lab materials, lab reports, staff development	Students' conclusions, TAKS results
Perform conceptual-based, multi-sensory activities/projects through integrated curriculum	S3	All Special Ed. At-risk G/T 504	Staff	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Internet, library, time	Students' work, photos, TAKS results, rubrics
Provide alternative/authentic assessments with integrated curriculum emphasis	S3	All Special Ed. At-risk G/T 504	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Teacher materials, computer lab, library, art supplies, Integrated Technologist, time	Students' reflections, students' work
Provide staff development addressing depth of curriculum alignment and TAKS questioning.	S3	All	North trainers, K. Simons Principal Staff	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, copied materials, facilitators, collaboration	Attendance list, agendas

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Evaluate and analyze all areas of study by identifying main ideas, drawing conclusions, provide summaries, determine reasonableness of their conclusions and question	TAKS/SDAA S3	Special Ed. At-risk Dyslexia All 504	Teachers and Students	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, text, plays, TAKS results, old tests	TAKS results, students' work, lesson plans, team minutes, rubrics, examples of the use of I, II, III level questions on tests/SDAA
Encourage reading during spare time all year and during tutorial days.	TAKS/SDAA information, Mission Statement	All Special Ed. At-risk 504	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Library books, magazines, software, diversified reading level materials	Observations, TAKS results, SDAA results
Implement TAKS warm-ups across the curriculum.	TAKS/SDAA information, TEKS	All	Teachers Team leaders	Aug. 2003- June 2004	TAKS practice materials, time, TEA information	TAKS results, students' work, observations
Teach vocabulary to improve understanding of reading content.	TAKS/SDAA information, TEKS	All	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Textbook, novels, funds, strategy materials	Students' work, TAKS/SDAA results, observations, lesson
Focus 80% of interdisciplinary team planning time in creating and planning conceptual-based integrated curriculum studies	TAKS information S3	All	Inter- disciplinary leaders Principals	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Integrated technologist, time, library media center specialist, staff development	Students' work, observations, PDAS, team minutes, team newsletter/website
Require students to use complete sentences in reports, essays, etc.	TAKS/SDAA information, TEKS	All	Students Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Textbook, news articles, time	Student essays, students' work, TAKS results, observations
Utilize content area curriculum to emphasize district character traits	S5 P2(1)	All	Staff Principals P. Lupia	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Collaboration, time, staff development	Student products, observations, student reflections

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Require students to support opinions with written elaboration	S3	All	Students Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Posters, excellent student writing examples, WRITE TRAIT Training	Students' work, TAKS results, observations
Provide teachers with professional materials to assist them in classroom reading instruction	TAKS information	All	Library personnel, L/A Academic Leader	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Funds, time, training	TAKS results library media resources list
Provide diverse reading material for student body that addresses all types of reading materialtechnical, fiction, scientific, atlas, etc.	TAKS information, TEKS S3	All	Library Staff	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Catalogs, circulation system, financial support, library data system	Circulation reports, meeting w/teams (dates/agendas), purchase orders, library title list
Reinforce test taking strategies	TAKS information S3	All	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Staff development, materials, funds, time.	TAKS/SDAA results, observations, lesson plans
Provide the time for staff to develop horizontal assessment tools based upon depth curriculum alignment and TAKS questioning	TAKS information S3	All	Academic leaders, teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time resources, training	TAKS results, assessments, created meeting agendas, staff development schedule
Plan at least three conceptual-based integrated curriculum projects per team	S3	All	Teachers, team leaders Principals	Aug. 2003- June 2004	HISTORY ALIVE, internet, team planning time, curriculum maps, volunteers, core teachers/fine arts/P.E., time, transportation, funds	Students' work, programs/agendas, team meeting minutes, calendar of events

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Connect content and learning to real life world problems and situations	TAKS information, TEKS S3	CATE All	Staff	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Speakers from the business world, newspapers, problem solving activities, Internet, research time in computer labs, staff development	Students' real world projects, PDAS, lesson plans, observation reports
Students relate TEKS to real life experiences through the writing process	TAKS information, TEKS, S3	CATE All	Staff and students	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Interdisciplinary team, support staff, TEKS, community	PDAS, students' work, TAKS results
Create a task force to restructure the advisory system with focus on the integration of character traits, service learning, and curriculum	S7 P4(3) P7(4)	All	Principal Staff	Aug. 28-2003 Tutorial Oct. 15-2003 Advisory System	Time, resources, creative thoughts and collaboration	Written guidelines and expectations
Implement the created advisory system	S7 P7(5)	All	Principal Staff	Oct. 15, 2003	Cooperation, Time, lesson plans	Observations, students' products and agendas, tutorial records
Integrate language root words, prefixes, and suffixes taught across all areas of study	TAKS information, TEKS S3	All	Teams, Academic leaders	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Academic and Interdisciplinary Teams planning, staff development, time	Students' work, TAKS results, lesson plans
Provide a set of instructions with no single correct answer and have students create from their own interpretation	TAKS information, TEKS, Bloom's Taxonomy, S3	All	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, ideas for sets of instructions with numerous options provided as resources	Students' work, TAKS, students' reflections, examples of sets

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Teachers of special education will participate in the planning and execution of team field trips with teachers, parents and students	IEP Goals S3	Special Ed.	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Lesson plans, field trip information, time, transportation, funds, volunteers	Students' reflections, participation lists
The 504 process will be monitored and adjusted in order to meet guidelines and students' needs	Law Observation S3	504 Dyslexia	SAFE teams Counselors Assistant Principals Dyslexia Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, supplies	Printed procedures, students folders
Provide an active S.A.F.E. community	SAFE folders, Identification criteria S3	At-risk Dyslexia 504	Teams, Counselors, Office	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, appropriate data, staff development	SAFE folders, feedback, students' progress, meeting dates
Students with special needs will read at the appropriate levels with support	IEP goals, SDAA/TAKS S3	Special Ed. At-risk Dyslexia 504	Spec. Ed. Teachers, Reg. Ed. Teachers, Diagnostician	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Textbooks, novels, testing results, materials, grade books, software, staff development, SDAA/TAKS related materials	Testing results (SDAA/TAKS), Brigance results, grades
Identify each student's target areas and compile individual student and inter-team plan	AEIS-IT reports, TAKS/SDAA results, IEP's S3	Special Ed. At-risk Dyslexia 504	Teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	AEIS-IT reports, time, TAKS results SDAA results Brigance results	Students' work, TAKS/SDAA results, interdisciplinary team minutes

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Weekly team meetings addressing the integrate/coordinate of lessons with teachers of special education. Academic teachers submit lesson plans to teachers of special needs each Thursday for the following week.	IEP goals S3	Special Ed.	Teachers Academic Leader of Special Ed.	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time, funds , email, resources	IEP results, report cards, team meeting minutes
Teachers of special education will participate in all subject areas	IEP goals S3	Special Ed.	Special education teachers	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Lesson plans, time, cooperation, collaboration	Observations, schedule, Special Ed. recording of services rendered
Multi-cultural understanding and appreciation nurtured through integrated teaching units.	TAKS information, TEKS S3	ESL At-risk All	Teachers, Staff Counselors	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Teacher editions, staff development, newspapers, time, library resources, supplemental textbook resources	Discipline records, observations, photographs, students' work
The assistant principals and counselors will work with, monitor, and goal set with individual students who have failed during each six weeks grading period	Six weeks grade S3	At-risk, Special Ed., All	Counselors, Assistant Principals	Sept. 2003- June 2004	Time, grade data	Students' grades, TAKS, teacher/parent feedback

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At least once a month, collaborate with content teachers on research projects that include print and non-print resources including internet, presentation software, and library materials	S3	CATE All	Library and technology personnel	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Software, hardware, printed resources, funds	Students' work, rubrics, lab/library calendars and schedules, library monthly reports
Use spreadsheet and database applications to analyze data.	TAKS information S3	All At-risk	Staff	AugOct. 2003	Integration technologist computer lab, Trekkers, computer links, computer training	Rubrics, TAKS/SDAA results, students' work, lesson plans
Learn technical reading through instructions and lab produced tutorials	TAKS information, TEKS S3	CATE All	Integrated technologist	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Technical manuals, Internet, time	TAKS results, students' work, book of technical instructions
Integrate technology in all areas of study	TAKS information, TEKS S3 S1	CATE All	Teachers, technologist	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time in computer lab, time with integration technologist, staff development, laptops, funds	Students' generated products, teachers' presentations, integrated technologist schedule, integrated curriculum unit rubrics, team minutes, PDAS
Participate in the STAR educational program that emphasizes self-paced instruction to obtain Level 1-Level IV progress	S1 P3a(8)	All	Principal Staff K. Simons T. Branum	Aug. 2003- June 2004	Time and staff development	Teachers' plans, student work, certificates of partication

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Objective 4: Increase the number of students receiving the TAKS commended performance rating by 13%. (2003-04 District Improvement Plan)

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