



BESSIE COLEMAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

# Campus Spotlight 2026: Bessie Coleman Middle School

**EVERY STUDENT. EVERY TIME. ALL THE TIME.**

Dr. Porsche D. Colbert, Principal

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# Agenda

- Celebration & Successes
  - Current Challenges
    - Goals
    - Demographics
    - Data Snapshot
  - Student Engagement
- Staff Effectiveness and Culture
  - Areas of Opportunity
    - Next Year’s Goals
    - Questions

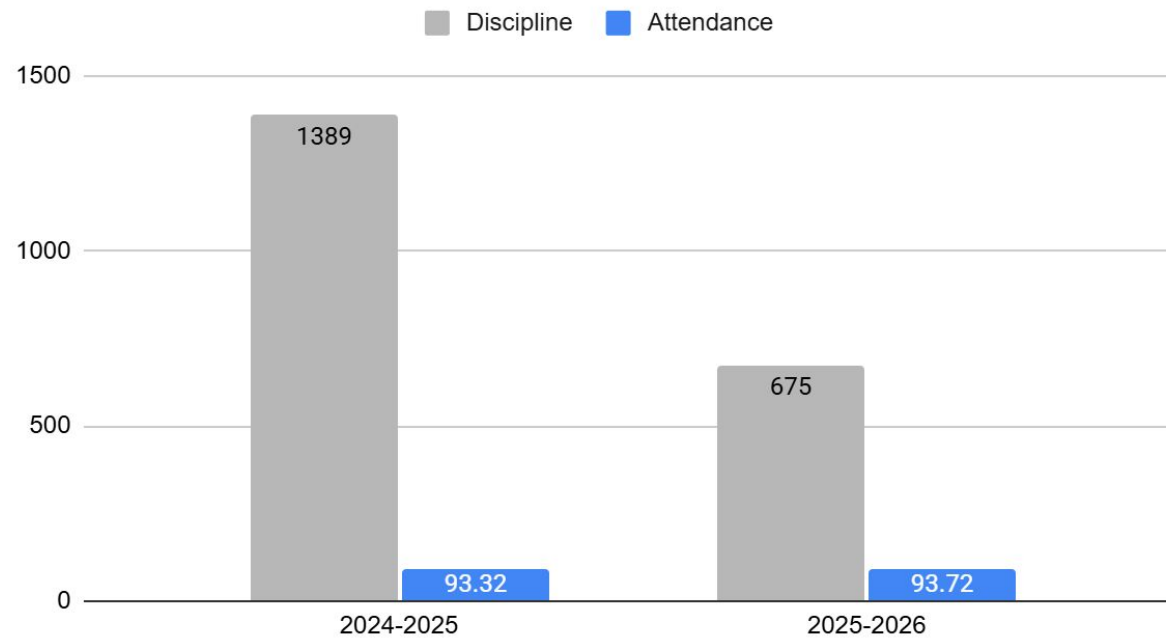


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- Celebration & Successes

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Discipline & Attendance Data



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### Current Challenges

- High number of uncertified teachers - 12/29 (41%) (in core content areas)
- Difficulty in sustaining systems with campus leadership changes



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### Demographics

<b>Scholars</b>	Hispanic	114/25%
	Black/African-American	298/67%
	White	12/2%
	Two or More	20/4%
	Economically Disadvantaged	239/53%
	Gifted and Talented	20/4%
	Limited English Proficiency	35/7%
	Section 504	22/4%
	Special Education	47/10%
<b>Teachers</b>	Certified	17/29 (58%)
	Non-Certified	12/29 (41%)
	First Year	7 (24%)

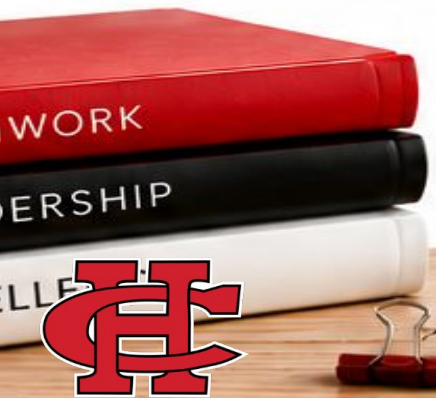


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Status	
Not Started	Red
In Progress	Yellow
Progress	Orange
Completed	Green
Archived	Blue

Board Goals		Status
Goal 1	By June 2026, Bessie Coleman Middle School will increase the percentage of 6th–8th grade students achieving Meets Grade Level or above on the Reading STAAR from 40.6% to 50%.	Orange
Goal 2	By June 2026, Bessie Coleman Middle School will increase the percentage of 6th–8th grade students achieving Meets Grade Level or above on the Math STAAR from 15.5% to 25%.	Orange
Goal 3	By June 2025, Bessie Coleman Middle School will increase the percentage of scholars graduating CCMR–ready from 4% to 15% .	Green
Goal 4	By June 2026, Bessie Coleman Middle School will increase the percentage of 8th grade students achieving Meets Grade Level or above on the Science STAAR from 21% to 30%.	Green



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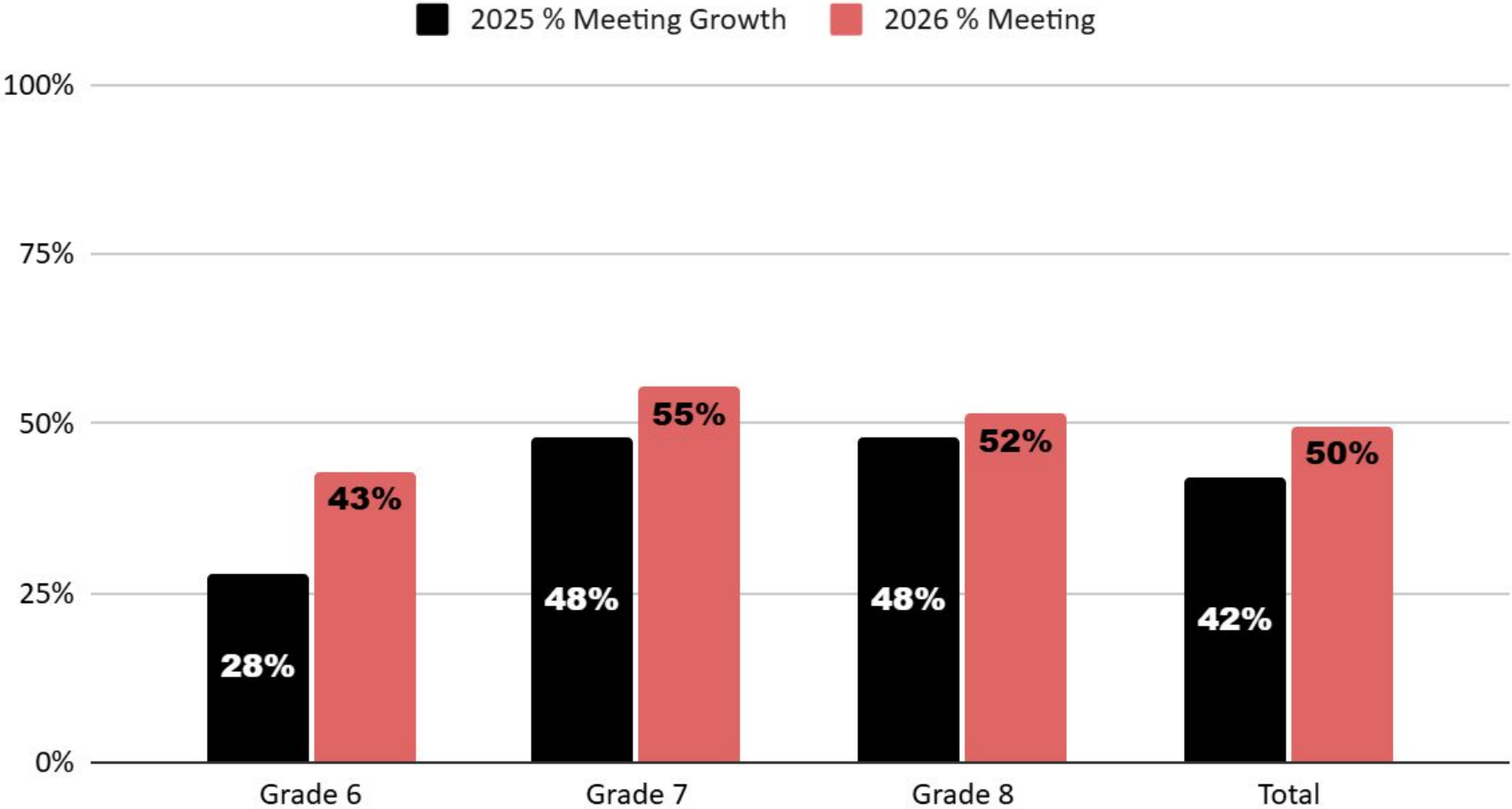
# DATA

## *Snapshot*



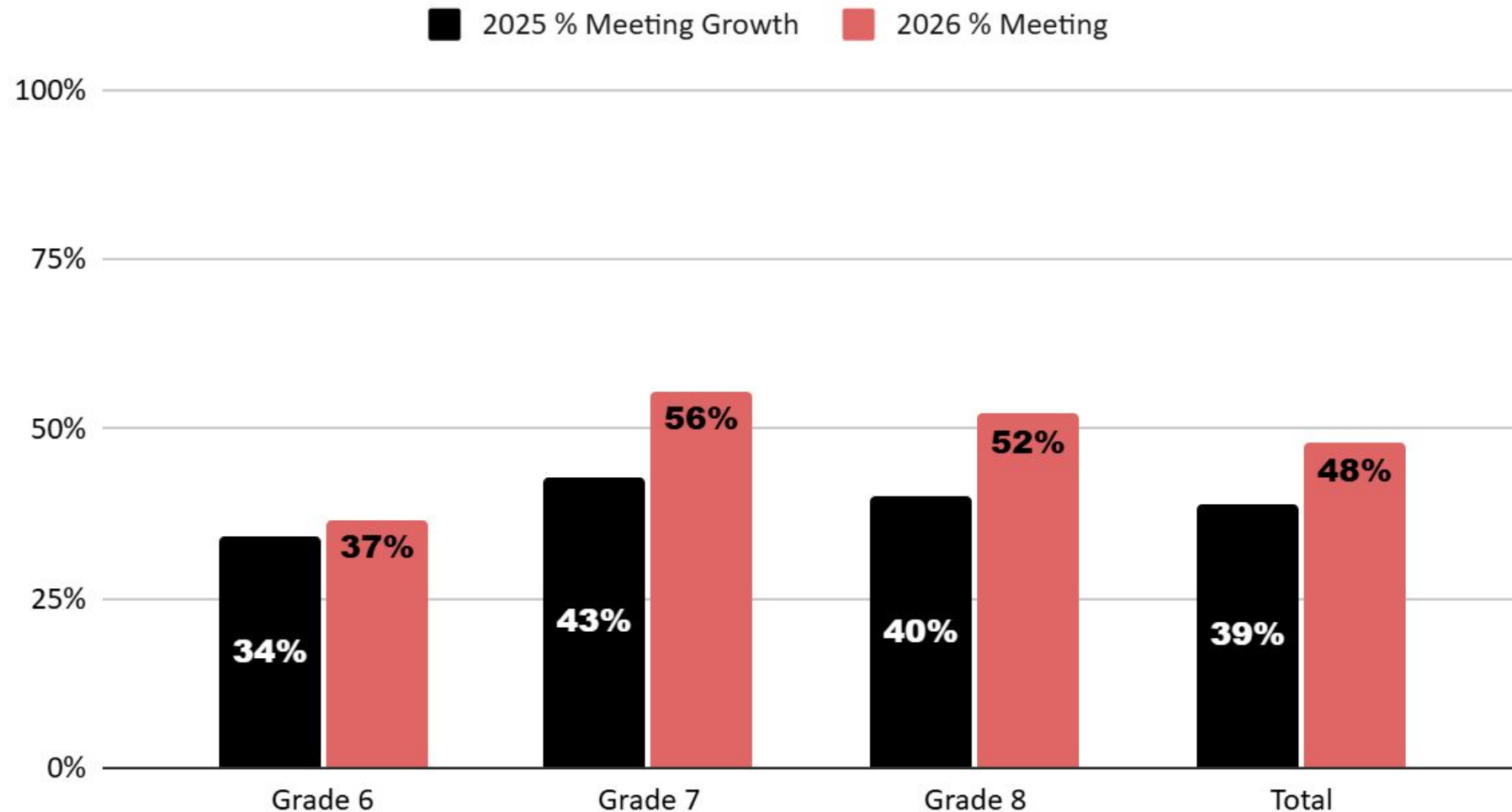
# NWEA MAP % Meeting Growth Reading

## 2025 - 2026 EOY READING % Meeting Growth



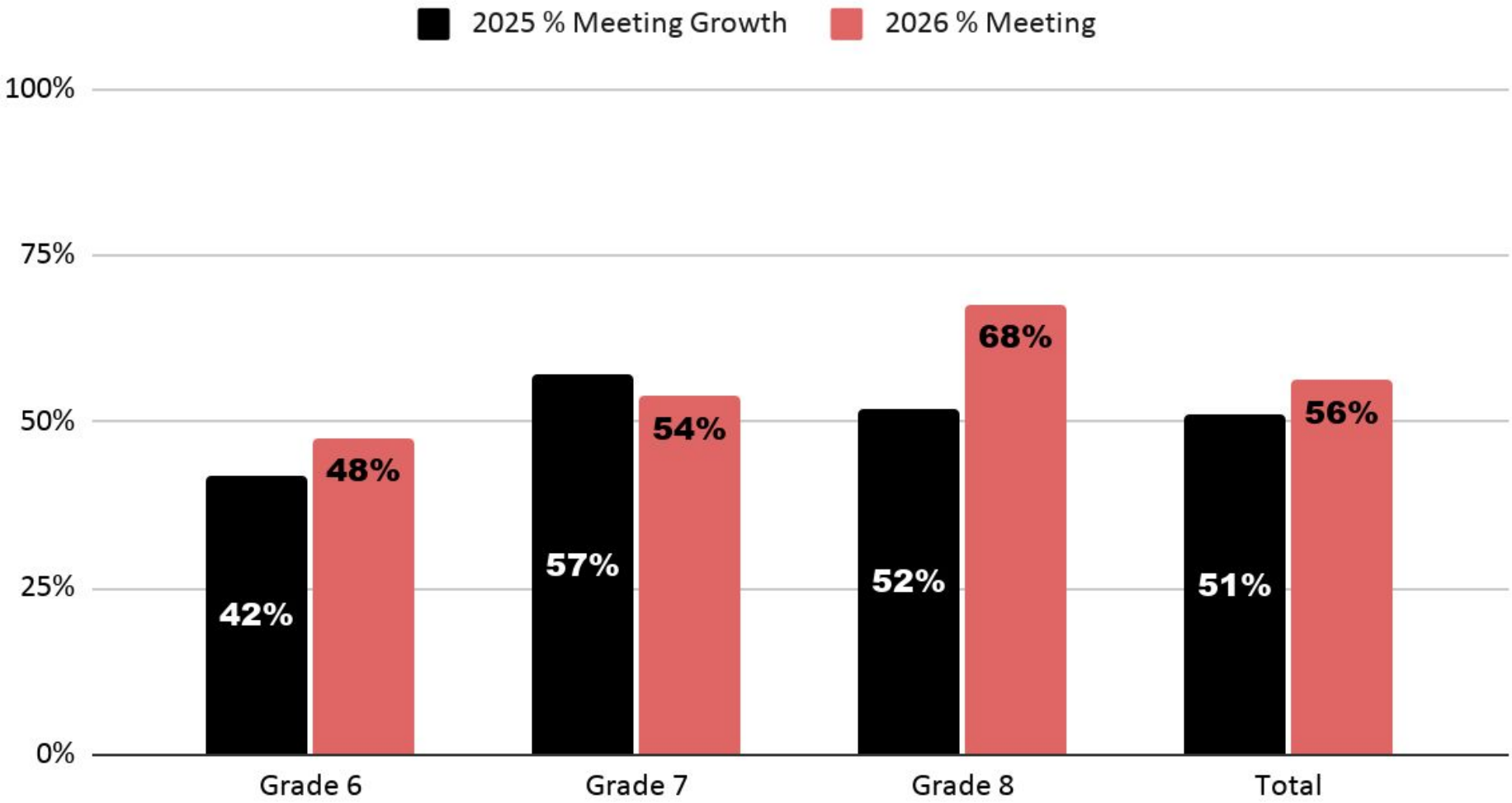
# NWEA MAP % Meeting Growth Math

## 2025 - 2026 EOY MATH % Meeting Growth



# NWEA MAP % Meeting Growth Science

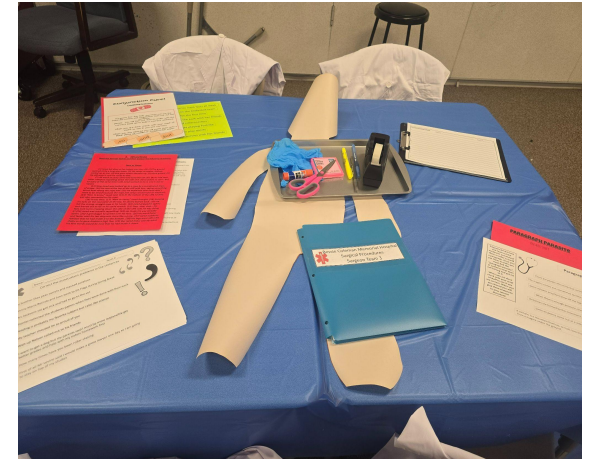
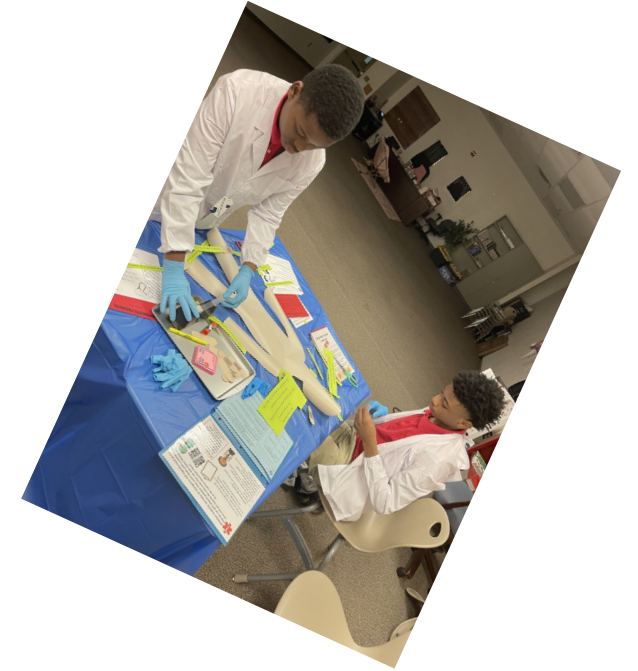
## 2025 - 2026 EOY SCIENCE % Meeting Growth



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# STUDENT *Engagement*





# Bessie Coleman in the "LAB" for STAAR



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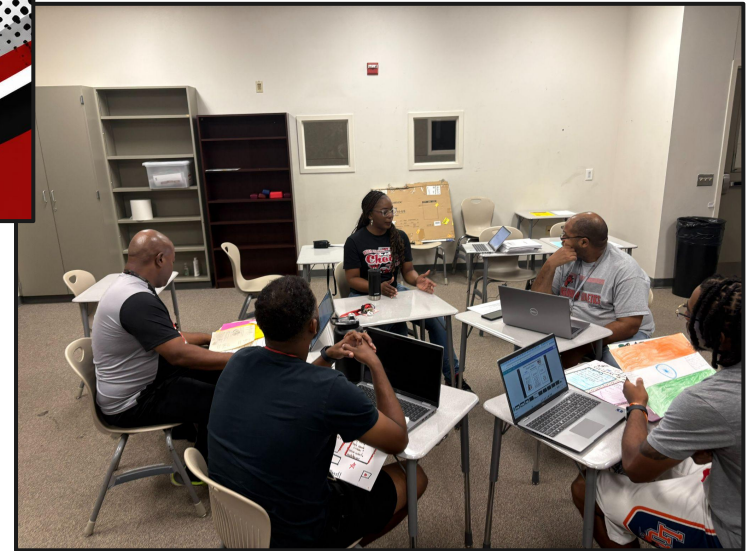
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**STAFF**  
*Effectiveness*  
*&*  
*Culture*





# Areas of Opportunities

1. Certified staff and teacher capacity
2. Teacher retention
3. Math proficiency



# Looking Ahead: Goals

1. Improve hiring strategies by creating profile of a BCMS teacher
2. Building capacity in teachers early (proactive vs. reactive)
3. Close math achievement gap





# Questions

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