

# Achievement and Integration Plan July 1, 2020 to June 30, 2023

District ISD# and Name: Becker Public Schools
District Integration Status: Adjoining District (A)

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### **Racially Identifiable Schools within District**

If you have been notified by the Minnesota Department of Education (MDE) that your district has a racially identifiable school, please list each of those schools below. Add additional lines as needed.

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5. Enter text here.

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Plans for racially identifiable schools should include the same information and follow the same format as districtwide plans. Provide that information in the <u>Racially Identifiable School section</u> of this document.

**Partnering Districts** Racially isolated districts must partner with adjoining districts on student integration strategies (Minn. R. 3535.0170). List the districts you will partner with, adding additional lines as needed. Provide the name of your integration collaborative if you have one: Enter name.

- 1. #742 St. Cloud RI Racially Isolated
- 2. #739 Kimball A Adjoining
- 3. #750 ROCORI A Adjoining
- 4. #738 Holdingford A Adjoining
- 5. #726 Becker A Adjoining
- 6. #51 Foley A Adjoining
- 7. #47 Sauk Rapids-Rice A Adjoining
- 8. #876 Annandale A Adjoining

### **School Board Approval**

We certify that we have approved this Achievement and Integration plan and will implement it as part of our district's World's Best Workforce plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 4).

We certify that we sought and received input on integration goals and strategies from councils as described on page 2. The council(s) included representation and meaningful input from our American Indian Parent Advisory Committee as required by Minnesota Rules 3535.0160, subpart 2, and Minnesota Rules 3535.0170, subparts 2-5.

Superintendent: Jeremy Schmidt

Signature: Date Signed: March 2, 2020

School Board Chair: Mark Swanson

Signature: Date Signed: March 2, 2020

### **Plan Input**

Minnesota School Desegregation/Integration Rule, part 3535.0170, subpart 2, requires racially isolated and adjoining districts to establish a multidistrict collaboration council to provide input on integration goals and to identify cross-district strategies to improve student integration.

Districts with racially identifiable schools are required to convene a community collaboration council to assist in developing integration goals and to identify ways of creating increased opportunities for integration at the racially identifiable schools (Minn. R. 3535.0160, subp. 2).

American Indian Parent Advisory Committee Districts with an American Indian parent advisory committee must include representation from this committee on the councils described above (Minn. R. 3535.0160, subp. 2, and 3535.0170, subp. 3).

For stakeholder input to be meaningful, it should be based on open communication and coordination that acknowledges and considers the views of all participants. For steps to ensure that input from your council is meaningful, see the Facilitation Guide in the Achievement and Integration Plan Guide, and see the Tribal Consultation Guidance.

Below, list your council members and identify American Indian parent committee members. Briefly describe council members' recommendations for your district-wide plan and for your racially identifiable school plans, as applicable. You may also include meeting dates and describe the process you used to ensure meaningful input from council members.

Multidistrict Collaboration Council: St. Cloud MDCC – St. Cloud, Annandale, Becker, Foley, Kimball, ROCORI, Holdingford, Sauk Rapids-Rice – members from all schools meet at least three times to develop and align our integration plan as well as discuss our A&I plans

Community Collaboration Council for Racially Identifiable School(s): Enter text here.

# **Submitting this Plan**

Submit your completed plan as a Word document to MDE for review and approval (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 4). Once it's signed, scan the signature page and save it as a separate PDF. Email your plan and signature page to MDE.integration@state.mn.us.

Detailed directions and support for completing this plan can be found in the Achievement and Integration Plan Guide.

# **Achievement and Integration Goals**

This plan must contain three types of goals, at least one for each of the following:

- 1. Reducing the disparities in academic achievement among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 2. Reducing the disparities in equitable access to effective and more diverse teachers among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 3. Increasing racial and economic integration (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2 (a)).

**Goal #1:** Students receiving FRLP will increase MCA III reading scores by 2% each year from 51.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2019 to 57.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2023.

Aligns with WBWF area: All racial and economic achievement gaps between students are closed.

**Goal type:** Achievement Disparity

### **Strategies**

Each goal should have at least one strategy. Number each strategy sequentially and give it a unique name. For each strategy, provide a narrative description as explained below.

Districts may use Achievement and Integration revenue to pursue racial and economic integration and reduce achievement disparities between student groups through the types of strategies listed in the *Type of Strategy* dropdown menus below (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2).

**Integration Requirement** At least one of your strategies must be a student integration activity designed and implemented to bring together students from a racially isolated district with students from that district's adjoining Achievement and Integration districts (Minn. R. 3535.0170).

Copy and paste the strategy section below for each additional strategy.

**NOTE:** If a strategy is intentionally developed to support multiple goals, list its unique name and number and provide the narrative description for that strategy under one goal. Include that strategy's unique number and name under the other goals it supports. You do not have to copy the narrative description for that strategy under multiple goals.

### Strategy Name and # 1. Reading Intervention

**Type of Strategy:** Innovative and integrated pre-K-12 learning environments. \* If you choose this, complete the Integrated Learning Environments section below.

Integrated Learning Environments (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose Innovative and integrated pre-K through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy type above, your narrative description should describe how the different aspects of integrated learning environments listed below are part of that strategy:

Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors

Increases cultural fluency, competency, and

☐ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors	☐ Increases cultural fluency, competency, and
and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	Increases graduation rates.
Provides school enrollment choices.	☐ Increases access to effective and diverse teachers

Narrative description of this strategy. Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how instruction will be delivered, and where will this take place. Students in grades 3-5 and grade 9 will be provided targeted reading intervention in addition to core curriculum. This intervention is designed to improve reading ability, close the gap with peers, and improve graduation rates and college and career readiness.

Location of services: Becker Intermediate School and Becker High School

# **Key Indicators**

These indicators are the evidence you will use to document how well each strategy is being implemented and whether or not they are helping bring about the intended outcomes for students. Use these indicators to assess the effectiveness of your strategies and to adjust what you're doing.

For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

#### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the outcomes		Target 2022	Target 2023
you want to see.			
Example: The percentage of American Indian students enrolling into concurrent enrollment classes will increase by 10 percentage points each year. 2020 enrollment is 32 percent.	42%	52%	62%
The percentage of students in reading interventions in grades 3-5 who make accelerated growth from fall to spring as measured by oral reading fluency in reading will increase by 5% each year.	70%	75%	80%
The percentage of students in reading intervention in grade 9 who make accelerated growth from fall to spring as measured by NWEA will increase by 5% each year.	60%	65%	70%
Students receiving FRLP will increase MCA III reading scores by 2% each year from	53.8%	55.8%	57.8%
51.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2019 to 57.8% of students meeting			
proficiency in 2023.			

This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

# **Strategies**

#### Strategy Name and # 2. Data Desegregation Professional Development

Type of Strategy: Professional development opportunities focused on academic achievement of all students.

**Integrated Learning Environments** (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose *Innovative and integrated pre-K* through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy type above, your narrative description should describe how the different aspects of integrated learning environments listed below are part of that strategy:

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□ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors	☐ Increases cultural fluency, competency, and
and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	
☐ Provides school enrollment choices.	☐ Increases access to effective and diverse teachers.

**Narrative description of this strategy.** Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how instruction will be delivered, and where will this take place.

Teachers will be provided professional development designed to support the use of desegregated NWEA, DIBELS, FASTBridge, and MCA III data to inform differentiated instruction in the classroom.

Location of services: All school sites

# **Key Indicators**

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For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the outcomes you want to see.	Target 2021	Target 2022	Target 2023
Example: The percentage of American Indian students enrolling into concurrent enrollment classes will increase by 10 percentage points each year. 2020 enrollment is 32 percent.	42%	52%	62%
Percentage of teachers participating in data and differentiated instruction workshops will increase annually.	80%	90%	100%
Percentage of teachers self-reporting use of data to differentiate instruction will increase annully.	60%	70%	80%
Students receiving FRLP will increase MCA III reading scores by 2% each year from	53.8%	55.8%	57.8%
51.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2019 to 57.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2023.			

This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

### **Strategies**

### Strategy Name and # 3. Fidelity Training and Assessment

**Type of Strategy:** Choose the type of strategy.

**Integrated Learning Environments** (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose *Innovative and integrated pre-K* through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy type above, your narrative description should describe how the different aspects of integrated learning environments listed below are part of that strategy:

☐ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors	<ul> <li>Increases cultural fluency, competency, and</li> </ul>
and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	☐ Increases graduation rates.
☐ Provides school enrollment choices.	☐ Increases access to effective and diverse teachers.

**Narrative description of this strategy.** Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how instruction will be delivered, and where will this take place.

Reading interventionists will be provided fidelity training to apply to reading interventions. Reading interventionists will conduct three fidelity checks annually to ensure interventions are being done with fidelity.

Location of services: All school sites

# **Key Indicators**

These indicators are the evidence you will use to document how well each strategy is being implemented and whether or not they are helping bring about the intended outcomes for students. Use these indicators to assess the effectiveness of your strategies and to adjust what you're doing.

For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the outcomes you want to see.	Target 2021	Target 2022	Target 2023
Example: The percentage of American Indian students enrolling into concurrent enrollment classes will increase by 10 percentage points each year. 2020 enrollment is 32 percent.	42%	52%	62%
Percentage of intervention teachers participating in fidelity training will increase annually.	80%	90%	100%
Percentage of intervention teachers conducting three fidelity assessments per year will increase annually.	80%	90%	100%
Students receiving FRLP will increase MCA III reading scores by 2% each year from 51.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2019 to 57.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2023.	53.8%	55.8%	57.8%

This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

### **Strategies**

### Strategy Name and # 4. Professional Development in Content Area – Reading Strategies

**Type of Strategy:** Choose the type of strategy.

**Integrated Learning Environments** (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose *Innovative and integrated pre-K* through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy type above, your narrative description should describe how the different aspects of integrated learning environments listed below are part of that strategy:

☐ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors	<ul> <li>Increases cultural fluency, competency, and</li> </ul>
and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	☑ Increases graduation rates.
☐ Provides school enrollment choices.	Increases access to effective and diverse teachers.

**Narrative description of this strategy.** Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how instruction will be delivered, and where will this take place.

Teachers in grades 9-12 will be provided professional development in the use of informational text reading strategies. The district will contract with a reading coach to provide the professional development.

Location of services: Becker High School

# **Key Indicators**

These indicators are the evidence you will use to document how well each strategy is being implemented and whether or not they are helping bring about the intended outcomes for students. Use these indicators to assess the effectiveness of your strategies and to adjust what you're doing.

For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the outcomes	Target 2021	Target 2022	Target 2023
you want to see.			
Example: The percentage of American Indian students enrolling into concurrent enrollment classes will increase by 10 percentage points each year. 2020 enrollment is 32 percent.	42%	52%	62%
Percentage of core area teachers of students in grades 9-12 participating in professional development and coaching in content reading strategies will increase annually.	50%	75%	100%
Percentage of English content area teachers observed using new reading strategies during instruction will increase annually.	50%	75%	100%
Students receiving FRLP will increase MCA III reading scores by 2% each year from 51.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2019 to 57.8% of students meeting proficiency in 2023.	53.8%	55.8%	57.8%

This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

# **Achievement and Integration Goals**

This plan must contain three types of goals, at least one for each of the following:

- 1. Reducing the disparities in academic achievement among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 2. Reducing the disparities in equitable access to effective and more diverse teachers among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 3. Increasing racial and economic integration (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2 (a)).

**Goal #2:** Students with access to teachers trained in cultural competency will increase from 0% in 2020 to 75% in 2023.

Aligns with WBWF area: All racial and economic achievement gaps between students are closed.

**Goal type:** Teacher Equity

To add goals, copy the two lines directly above and paste them below the strategies supporting Goal #1.

# **Strategies**

Each goal should have at least one strategy. Number each strategy sequentially and give it a unique name. For each strategy, provide a narrative description as explained below.

Districts may use Achievement and Integration revenue to pursue racial and economic integration and reduce achievement disparities between student groups through the types of strategies listed in the *Type of Strategy* dropdown menus below (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2).

**Integration Requirement** At least one of your strategies must be a student integration activity designed and implemented to bring together students from a racially isolated district with students from that district's adjoining Achievement and Integration districts (Minn. R. 3535.0170).

Copy and paste the strategy section below for each additional strategy.

**NOTE:** If a strategy is intentionally developed to support multiple goals, list its unique name and number and provide the narrative description for that strategy under one goal. Include that strategy's unique number and name under the other goals it supports. You do not have to copy the narrative description for that strategy under multiple goals.

### Strategy Name and # 5. Professional Training in Cultural Competency

**Type of Strategy:** Professional development opportunities focused on academic achievement of all students.

through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy type abov	e, your narrative description should describe how the		
different aspects of integrated learning environments listed below are part of that strategy:			
☐ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors			
and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.		
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	☐ Increases graduation rates.		
☐ Provides school enrollment choices.	☐ Increases access to effective and diverse teachers		

Integrated Learning Environments (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose Innovative and integrated pre-K

**Narrative description of this strategy.** Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how instruction will be delivered, and where will this take place.

Teachers will participate in cultural competency training provided by the district with the goal of identifying and eliminating inequitable opportunities for students.

Location of services: All school sites

# **Key Indicators**

These indicators are the evidence you will use to document how well each strategy is being implemented and whether or not they are helping bring about the intended outcomes for students. Use these indicators to assess the effectiveness of your strategies and to adjust what you're doing.

For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

#### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the outcomes you want to see.	Target	Target	Target
	2021	2022	2023
Example: The percentage of American Indian students enrolling into concurrent enrollment classes will increase by 10 percentage points each year. 2020 enrollment is 32 percent.	42%	52%	62%

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the outcomes	Target 2021	Target 2022	Target 2023
you want to see.			
The percentage of students with access to effective teachers trained in cultural competency will increase annually.	25%	50%	75%
Teachers participating in cultural competency training will increase their score on a survey	25%	50%	75%
indicating knowledge of bias and inequity.			
Enter KIP.			

This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

Copy and paste the strategy and key indicator sections above for each additional strategy supporting this goal. Number each strategy sequentially regardless of the number of goals in your plan. When you are done adding strategies, this plan will have only one Strategy #1, one Strategy #2, etc.

Remember to copy and paste the goal section when adding additional goals.

# **Achievement and Integration Goals**

This plan must contain three types of goals, at least one for each of the following:

- 1. Reducing the disparities in academic achievement among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 2. Reducing the disparities in equitable access to effective and more diverse teachers among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 3. Increasing racial and economic integration (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2 (a)).

**Goal #3:** The number of Becker students involved in cross-district multicultural learning opportunities will increase from 20 students in 2020 to 50 students in 2023.

Aligns with WBWF area: All racial and economic achievement gaps between students are closed.

**Goal type:** Integration

To add goals, copy the two lines directly above and paste them below the strategies supporting Goal #1.

# **Strategies**

Each goal should have at least one strategy. Number each strategy sequentially and give it a unique name. For each strategy, provide a narrative description as explained below.

Districts may use Achievement and Integration revenue to pursue racial and economic integration and reduce achievement disparities between student groups through the types of strategies listed in the *Type of Strategy* dropdown menus below (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2).

**Integration Requirement** At least one of your strategies must be a student integration activity designed and implemented to bring together students from a racially isolated district with students from that district's adjoining Achievement and Integration districts (Minn. R. 3535.0170).

Copy and paste the strategy section below for each additional strategy.

**NOTE:** If a strategy is intentionally developed to support multiple goals, list its unique name and number and provide the narrative description for that strategy under one goal. Include that strategy's unique number and name under the other goals it supports. You do not have to copy the narrative description for that strategy under multiple goals.

#### Strategy Name and # 6. Multi-district Art Activity

**Type of Strategy:** Innovative and integrated pre-K-12 learning environments. \* If you choose this, complete the Integrated Learning Environments section below.

through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy type above	ve, your narrative description should describe how the
different aspects of integrated learning environments listed below	v are part of that strategy:
☐ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors	
and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	
☐ Provides school enrollment choices.	☐ Increases access to effective and diverse teachers

Integrated Learning Environments (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose Innovative and integrated pre-K

**Narrative description of this strategy.** Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how instruction will be delivered, and where will this take place.

Art teachers in the MDCC will collaborate to provide multi-cultural opportunities for students in participating districts. Teachers will plan and provide standards-based experiences designed to improve cultural fluency, student engagement, and graduation rates.

Location of services: Enter location.

# **Key Indicators**

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For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

#### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the	Target 2021	Target 2022	Target 2023
outcomes you want to see.  Example: The percentage of American Indian students enrolling into concurrent enrollment classes will increase by 10 percentage points each year. 2020 enrollment is 32 percent.	42%	52%	62%
The number of Becker students participating in the multi-district art activity will increase from 14 students in 2020 to 35 students in 2023.	21 students	28 students	35 students
Participating students responding on a Multicultural Relations Survey will have an increase aggregate score of at least .2 each year of a 5-point Likert Scale measuring cultural awareness.	3.5	3.7	3.9
Enter KIP.			

This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

# **Strategies**

Each goal should have at least one strategy. Number each strategy sequentially and give it a unique name. For each strategy, provide a narrative description as explained below.

Districts may use Achievement and Integration revenue to pursue racial and economic integration and reduce achievement disparities between student groups through the types of strategies listed in the *Type of Strategy* dropdown menus below (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2).

**Integration Requirement** At least one of your strategies must be a student integration activity designed and implemented to bring together students from a racially isolated district with students from that district's adjoining Achievement and Integration districts (Minn. R. 3535.0170).

Copy and paste the strategy section below for each additional strategy.

**NOTE:** If a strategy is intentionally developed to support multiple goals, list its unique name and number and provide the narrative description for that strategy under one goal. Include that strategy's unique number and name under the other goals it supports. You do not have to copy the narrative description for that strategy under multiple goals.

#### Strategy Name and #7. Common Ground Cultural Communication Collaborative

**Type of Strategy:** Innovative and integrated pre-K-12 learning environments. \* If you choose this, complete the Integrated Learning Environments section below.

**Integrated Learning Environments** (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose *Innovative and integrated pre-K* through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy type above, your narrative description should describe how the different aspects of integrated learning environments listed below are part of that strategy:

☐ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors	
and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	☑ Increases graduation rates.
☐ Provides school enrollment choices.	☐ Increases access to effective and diverse teachers

**Narrative description of this strategy.** Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how instruction will be delivered, and where will this take place.

Becker High School students will participate in Common Ground Cultural Communication Collaborative. This collaborative, through St. Cloud State University facilitates this opportunity to connect and empower students to break down social and cultural barriers within the community and beyond. Students from St. Cloud State University, Foley, ROCORI, St. Cloud Tech, St. Cloud Apollo, Kimball, and Becker participate at alternating district sites.

Location of services: Alternating Participating Districts

# **Key Indicators**

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For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

#### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the	Target 2021	Target 2022	Target 2023
outcomes you want to see.			
Example: The percentage of American Indian students enrolling into concurrent enrollment classes will increase by 10 percentage points each year. 2020 enrollment is 32 percent.	42%	52%	62%
The number of Becker students participating in Common Ground will increase from 6	9	12	15
students in 2020 to 15 students in 2023.	students	students	students
Participating students responding on a Multicultural Relations Survey will have an increase aggregate score of at least .2 each year of a 5-point Likert Scale measuring cultural awareness.	3.5	3.7	3.9
Enter KIP.			

This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

Copy and paste the strategy and key indicator sections above for each additional strategy supporting this goal. Number each strategy sequentially regardless of the number of goals in your plan. When you are done adding strategies, this plan will have only one Strategy #1, one Strategy #2, etc.

Remember to copy and paste the goal section when adding additional goals.

### **Creating Efficiencies and Eliminating Duplicative Programs**

Briefly explain how this plan will create efficiencies and eliminate duplicative programs and services (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2 (c)).

This plan will create efficiencies and eliminate duplicative programs by ensuring district representation and participation at MDCC meetings. At these meetings resources and efforts will be shared and cross-district integrative efforts are coordinated. The district does not have the resources to accomplish the goals of achievement -gap reduction without the support of the collaborative. This plan also creates efficiencies within the district by fully coordinating with and supporting the district World's Best Workforce goals. Some of these are already supported by ADSIS and Title 1. Through this collaboration the district is provided with otherwise unavailable resources for additional reading intervention, professional development, and classroom educational experiences to increase student academic achievement and cross-cultural fluency.

# Racially Identifiable School(s) (RIS)

If you have been notified by the Minnesota Department of Education (MDE) that your district has one or more Racially Identifiable Schools, include goals and strategies for each Racially Identifiable School within your district. *If MDE has not notified your district that one of your sites is racially identifiable, delete this section.* 

# **Achievement and Integration Goals**

This plan must contain three types of goals, at least one for each of the following:

- 1. Reducing the disparities in academic achievement among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 2. Reducing the disparities in equitable access to effective and more diverse teachers among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 3. Increasing racial and economic integration (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2 (a)).

**RIS Goal #1** Enter SMART goal here.

**Aligns with WBWF area:** Choose a WBWF goal area.

**Goal type:** Choose one.

To add goals, copy the two lines directly above and paste them below the strategies supporting RIS Goal #1.

### **Racially Identifiable School Strategies**

Each goal should have at least one strategy. Number each strategy sequentially and give it a unique name. For each strategy, provide a narrative description as explained below.

Districts may use Achievement and Integration revenue to increase racial and economic integration at their racially identifiable schools and to reduce disparities between student groups through the types of strategies listed in the *Type of Strategy* drop-down menus below (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2).

**Integration Requirement** Include at least one strategy designed and implemented to increase racial and economic integration at each racially identifiable school (Minn. R. 3535.0160).

Copy and paste the strategy section below for each additional strategy.

**Strategy #** Enter a name and unique number for this RIS strategy.

**Type of Strategy:** Choose the type of strategy.

Integrated Learning Environments (Minn. Stat. § 1240.861	, subd. 1 (c)). If you chose <i>innovative and integrated pre-K</i>
through grade 12 learning environments as the strategy typ	e above, describe in your narrative description how the
different aspects of integrated learning environments listed	l below are part of your strategy:
☐ Uses policies, curriculum, or trained instructors	☐ Increases cultural fluency, competency, and

and other advocates to support magnet schools,	interaction.
differentiated instruction, or targeted interventions.	☐ Increases graduation rates.
☐ Provides school enrollment choices.	Increases access to effective and diverse teachers.

**Narrative description of this strategy.** Based on your description below someone reading your plan should understand what you are proposing to do, why you are doing it, and be able to recognize it if they see it. For example, explain what this activity will look like, what will be taught, which students will participate, how students are selected, intended outcomes for students, what will be assessed, how will instruction be delivered, and where will this take place.

Add narrative.

Location of services: Enter location.

# **Key Indicators**

These indicators are the evidence you will use to document how well each strategy is being implemented and whether or not they are helping bring about the intended outcomes for students. Use these indicators to assess the effectiveness of your strategies and to adjust what you are doing.

For strategies that provide school enrollment choices, such as magnet schools, and strategies that decrease racial and economic enrollment disparities, include at least one key indicator that measures enrollment disaggregated by race/ethnicity and free or reduced-priced lunch (FRPL). Disaggregating your data may be relevant for other types of strategies such as those designed to increase access to effective and diverse teachers.

### **Key Indicators of Progress (KIP)**

List key indicators of progress for this strategy and annual targets for each indicator. Choose indicators that will help you know if the strategy is creating the outcomes you want to see.	Target 2021	Target 2022	Target 2023
Example: The percentage of NAME OF RIS students disaggregated by race/ethnicity and FRPL reporting an increased sense of engagement and connection on our school climate surveys will increase 25 percentage points each year. 2020 response rate is 50 percent.	75%	100%	100%
Enter KIP.			
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This data will be used to support evaluation of your plan (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 5).

Copy and paste the strategy section above for each additional strategy supporting this goal. Number each strategy sequentially regardless of the number of goals in your plan. When you are done adding strategies, this plan will have only one RIS Strategy #1, one RIS Strategy #2, etc.

Remember to copy and paste the goal section above to add additional goals for each of your racially identifiable schools.

# **Creating Efficiencies and Eliminating Duplicative Programs**

Briefly explain how this plan for racially identifiable schools will create efficiencies and eliminate duplicative programs and services within your district (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2 (c)). Enter text.