GT SERVICES STUDY SESSION

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OTHER DISTRICTS SIMILAR SIZE

Orono: 3 full time GT Specialists, .80 Coordinator

Short term pull-out critical thinking, Year long in Reading and Math, social-emotional support and guidance

St. Anthony: .45 GT teacher works with 47 total students 3-5th grades primarily, few students 50 minutes weekly pullout, no more than 4 units taught in a year

OTHER DISTRICTS: TOP PERFORMING

Edina: 2 Elementary per building, 1 MS, 1 Guidance High
School, Coordinator and Specialist DW

Young Scholars, 4th-5th Advanced reading/math, 6th grade math acceleration

Minnetonka: Director, 1 GT Specialist per building for HP
students, School within a school Brochure

<u>Wayzata:</u> 1 GT Specialist per building, Elementary-HS 2 DW Specialist

Differentiated classroom activities, enhanced reading and math

OTHER DISTRICTS: LOCAL

NSP, Oakdale, Maplewood: Coordinator, 8 Elementary resource teachers, 3 MS resource teachers, HS Guidance

3 units of study, affective needs curriculum, Young Scholars

<u>Stillwater:</u> .40 GT Coordinator, GATE-School within a school, Compacted Science

White Bear Lake: Full-Time Coordinator, 3 Elementary resource teachers, School Within School

Forest Lake: Classroom teachers

7-9 Accelerated/Enriched Courses English, Math, Social Studies, Science in 9th

MAHTOMEDI

K-12 .80 GT Coordinator, (.60 direct services, .20 coordinating-ie: assessments, identification, communication, Summer Academy Board, 916 Coordinator Meetings, NUMATS, Parent meetings, Enrichment opportunities EX: Young Author/STEMLINK, Curriculum Review Council, Curriculum Advisory Committee

1-2nd grade .70 Growing Scholars teacher, (.10 coordinator,.60 direct services

Classroom Teachers

CURRENT SERVICES . 60 DIRECT TEACHING

1st and 2nd grade Literacy Pull-out with GT Coordinator 2X week (43 students) Kindergarten pull-out with teacher

Growing Scholars Push-In/Pull-Out .70 GS teacher

Top tier Literacy 3-5 Classroom

2nd Grade-HS Accelerated Math Single, Double and Triple Classroom 1-5 Tier 1+ Math Classroom

High School consultations: AP in 9th, Affective Needs, English Acceleration

K-12 Independent Study and Affective Needs Pull-Out

2017-18 ADDITIONS TO GT SERVICES

CogAT at 1st and 4th grade

1-2 grades Ignite Push-In and Pull-Out

3rd grade Growing Scholars and Ignite for pull-out with GT Coordinator Critical Thinking Skills and Thinking Maps 1-3 days a week

Kindergarten Pull-out

GT Literacy Classroom in grades 4-5: Additional Curriculum Resources, GT Coordinator scheduled push-in, Scheduled PD for GT Literacy Team

2017-18 CONTINUED

Clustered grouped students in 2nd and 3rd grade literacy

2nd and 3rd grade Literacy WIN time with one classroom teacher 2-3 days a week (ex: Jr. Great Books, Jacob's Ladder)

6-8 Accelerated Science three years of science offered in a two-year format grade 6 and will spiral up

Thinking Maps: K-5 Teacher Overview with a roll-out plan starting in 3rd