2016-17 Polk County Turnaround Option Plan (TOP)



Mrs. Jacqueline Byrd Superintendent

2016-17 TOP SCHOOLS

School	2014-2015 % of possible points	2015-2016 % of possible points	Difference	2015 Grade	2016 Grade	2016-2017 % of Points from C
Denison Middle	35	39	+4	D	D	2
Kathleen Middle	29	39	+10	F	D	2
Lake Alfred- Addair Middle	31	36	+5	F	D	5
Shelley Boone Middle	36	32	-4	D	D	9
Westwood Middle	38	39	+1	D	D	2

Key Concerns Addressed

Leadership	 Replacement of principals and assistant principals Executive Principal and mentor principals Operational flexibility given to principals AMO lead coaches Superintendent expectation letter signed by principals outlining reassignment of position if the school does not improve to a "C" or better.
Teacher Recruitment/ Reassignment	 MOU/Incentives/Operational flexibility Teachers moved (VAM) District staff placement Superintendent invitations Daily vacancy reports/priority staffing PDPs and IACs Supportive environment/wrap-around services positions
Building Instructional Capacity	 District coaches; mentor teachers Instructional Focus Walks CHAMPS Master schedule for additional PD Learning targets correlated to appropriate standards/student work
Appropriate	 \$6 million allotted to TOP schools

NEW for TOP Schools

Denison Middle	2-Assistant Principals, Dean, Math Coach, Science Coach, Behavior Interventionist, Success Coach, Mentor Principal, Testing Coordinator, Educational Directions	
Kathleen	2-Assistant Principals, Dean, Early Warning Coordinator Coach,	
Middle	Mentor Principal, Testing Coordinator, Educational Directions	
Lake Alfred- Addair Middle	Principal, Assistant Principal, Dean, Math Coach, Behavior Interventionist, Mentor Principal, Success Coach, Testing Coordinator, Educational Directions	
Shelley Boone	Principal, 2-Assistant Principals, Success Coach, Mentor Principal,	
Middle	Testing Coordinator, Educational Directions, Mindful Schools Grant	
Westwood	Science Coach, Behavior Interventionist, Dean, Mentor Principal,	
Middle	Success Coach, Testing Coordinator, Educational Directions	

Role of External Operator

Leadership	Lead coaches; culture of success; academic rituals (e.g. bell work); data management
Teacher Quality	Content area coaching; professional development; data streams; rhythm of learner
Implementation of Standards	Alignment of planning to depth of standards; alignment of student tasks to depth of standards; review of student work to focus on individual needs
Partnership	 Report directly to Superintendent and Turnaround Office Monthly progress monitoring of deliverables with mid-year option to terminate agreement; Cost: \$1.075 million (\$215K per school)