




SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GRANT

APRIL REPORT

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Greenwood Public School District
Dr. Jennifer Wilson, Superintendent
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School Improvement Grant
Progress towards Expectations
Threadgill Elementary School

- Threadgill Elementary School's goal for the 2017-2018 school term is to achieve an accountability rating of "B"
- Threadgill has the following steps in place to ensure that this goal is met:
 - *Monthly school and district leadership team meetings were conducted to discuss leading and lagging indicators as well as the implementation of the action plan. (RE #1) - SEE TABLE 1*
 - *Professional development is provided each month for teachers. During the month of March teachers were trained on the teacher growth rubric (the adapted evaluation rubric from MDE) in preparation for formal evaluations. (RE #2)*
 - *District and school level assessments are administered and the data are analyzed during grade level teams to monitor student performance. The comprehensive assessments will be administered the weeks of April 2nd and April 9th . (RE #3)*
 - *Students were rewarded for meeting their growth targets. These students received snacks and a movie. (RE #4)*
 - *Threadgill Elementary and the other elementary schools in the district will host a "Kick Off to Testing" basketball game Friday, April 13th in Greenwood High School Auditorium. The teachers from each school will play the parents from each school. Parents will also receive information in regards to the upcoming state testing. (RE #5)*
 - *Student and staff attendance is monitored every month. For the month of March student ADA was 95.5% and teacher ADA was 94%. The goal is to reach an ADA of 96%. (RE #6)*
 - *Consultants have provided subject area teachers with "instructional routine packets." These packets are state aligned practice test items and strategies for teachers to use to maximize instructional learning time for all students. (RE #7)*
 - *Threadgill has received 60 new chromebooks and 2 charging carts. Threadgill is moving towards having one-to-one computing capabilities with the utilization of SIG funds. (RE #8)*

School Improvement Grant Progress towards Expectations *Greenwood Middle School*

- Greenwood Middle School goal for the 2017-2018 school term is to achieve an accountability rating of “A”
- Greenwood Middle has the following steps in place to ensure that this goal is met:
 - *Monthly school and district leadership team meetings were conducted to discuss leading and lagging indicators as well as the implementation of the action plan. (RE #1) - SEE TABLE 2*
 - *Professional development is provided each month for teachers. During the month of March teachers were trained on the use of “plickers” to increase student engagement in the classroom. (RE #2)*
 - *District and school level assessments are administered and the data are analyzed during grade level teams to monitor student performance. The comprehensive assessments will be administered the weeks of April 2nd and April 9th . (RE #3)*
 - *Students are rewarded for their success each month for meeting growth targets. Each subject area teacher selects a day out of the week to provide incentives for these students in the form of games, movies and snacks. Over 50 students were given incentives during the month of March.(RE #4)*
 - *Greenwood Middle School will host a “Kick Off to Testing” basketball game Thursday, April 12th. The teachers will play the parents. Parents will also receive information in regards to the upcoming state testing. (RE #5)*
 - *Student and staff attendance is monitored every month. For the month of March, student ADA was 95% and teacher ADA was 95%. Our goal is to reach an ADA of 93%. (RE #6)*
 - *Consultants have provided subject area teachers with “instructional routine packets.” These packets are state aligned practice test items and strategies for teachers to use to maximize instructional learning time for all students. (RE #7)*
 - *Greenwood Middle School has received 90 new chromebooks and 3 charging carts. The middle school is moving towards having one-to-one computing capabilities with the utilization of SIG funds. (RE #8)*

School Improvement Grant
Progress towards Expectations
Greenwood High School

- Greenwood High School goal for the 2017-2018 school term is to achieve an accountability rating of “B”
- Greenwood High has the following steps in place to ensure that this goal is met:
 - *Monthly school and district leadership team meetings were conducted to discuss leading and lagging indicators as well as the implementation of the action plan. (RE #1) - SEE TABLE 3*
 - *Professional development is provided each month for teachers. During the month of March teachers presented data to their teams during professional learning communities. The teams and administrators provided strategies for improvement. (RE #2)*
 - *District and school level assessments are administered and the data are analyzed during grade level teams to monitor student performance. The comprehensive assessments will be administered the weeks of April 2nd and April 9th . (RE #3)*
 - *The district PBIS specialist works with the school’s PBIS team to establish criteria for student incentives as well as providing behavior interventions for students. (RE #4)*
 - *Greenwood High School will host a “Kick Off to Testing” basketball game Thursday, April 19th. The teachers will play the parents. Parents will also receive information in regards to the upcoming state testing. (RE #5)*
 - *Student and staff attendance is monitored every month. For the month of March student ADA was 90% and teacher ADA was 98%. The goal is to reach an ADA of 93%. (RE #6)*
 - *Consultants have provided subject area teachers with “instructional routine packets.” These packets are state aligned practice test items and strategies for teachers to use to maximize instructional learning time for all students. (RE #7)*
 - *Greenwood High School has received 30 new Ipads. These Ipads will be used in the high schools science lab funded through SIG. (RE #8)*