



# 2019 - 2020

## Local School Plan for Improvement

### Suwanee Elementary School

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Accountability and flexibility are hallmarks of Gwinnett County Public Schools' success. Key to that success is ensuring that each school community understands the progress being made by its schools, as well as what plans will drive improvement. Each school creates a collaborative Local School Plan for Improvement (LSPI), with targeted goals based on student achievement results. These goals are dynamic, like our schools, and are updated to reflect changes that occur in schools. Data is used to determine areas needing improvement and to identify specific, measurable, annual objectives. Schools then determine how to use research-based strategies to achieve these goals, using flexibility as needed. The LSPI development process involves teachers, parents, and community members, so the entire school community has the opportunity to be involved in conversations about school improvement. Please contact the local school principal for more information about the school's plan and progress.

#### • Long Term Goal

All students at Suwanee Elementary will demonstrate typical or high growth on the English Language Arts subtest of the Georgia Milestones Assessment, resulting in 100% of 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders scoring in the “Proficient” or “Distinguished Learner” range and at least 50% of the students will score in the “Distinguished Learner” range on the Georgia Milestones Assessment by 2021.

#### o Annual Goal

Suwanee Elementary students in grades 3-5 will achieve at the following benchmark level based on the Georgia Milestones Assessment (GMAS), and grades 1-5 will achieve at the following benchmark level based on District Assessment in Language Arts:

Georgia Milestones Assessment (GMAS) Language Arts

Grade 3 will move from 67% to 77% or more in Proficient and Distinguished range with the Distinguished range moving from 34% to 38% or more.

Grade 4 will move from 69% to 79% or more in Proficient and Distinguished range with the Distinguished range moving from 30% to 38% or more.

Grade 5 will move from 72% to 82% or more in Proficient and Distinguished range with the Distinguished range moving from 26% to 33% or more.

District Assessments Language Arts

Grade 1 will move from 48% Proficient and Distinguished to 70% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 2 will move from 72% Proficient and Distinguished to 82% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 3 will move from 72% Proficient and Distinguished to 82% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 4 will move from 67% Proficient and Distinguished to 77% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 5 will move from 37% Proficient and Distinguished to 44% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

#### • Long Term Goal

All students at Suwanee Elementary will demonstrate typical or high growth on the Math subtest of the Georgia Milestones Assessment, resulting in 100% of 3rd, 4th, and 5th graders scoring in the “Proficient” or “Distinguished Learner” range and at least 50% of the students will score in the “Distinguished Learner” range on the Georgia Milestones Assessment by 2021.



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Suwanee Elementary students in grades 3-5 will achieve at the following benchmark level based on the Georgia Milestones Assessment (GMAS) Mathematics and grades 1-5 will achieve at the following benchmark level based on the District Assessment in Mathematics:

Georgia Milestones Assessment (GMAS)

Grade 3 will move from 80% to 86% or more in Proficient and Distinguished range with the Distinguished range moving from 30% to 35% or more.

Grade 4 will move from 84% to 90% or more in Proficient and Distinguished range with the Distinguished range moving from 41% to 46% or more.

Grade 5 will move from 74% to 80% or more in Proficient and Distinguished range with the Distinguished range moving from 38% to 43% or more.

District Assessments Mathematics:

Grade 1 will move from 92% Proficient and Distinguished to 98% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 2 will move from 92% Proficient and Distinguished to 95% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 3 will move from 77% Proficient and Distinguished to 87% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 4 will move from 78% Proficient and Distinguished to 88% or more Proficient and Distinguished.

Grade 5 will move from 75% Proficient and Distinguished to 80% or more Proficient and Distinguished.