



2018 - 2019

Local School Plan for Improvement

Gwin Oaks 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

Gwin Oaks Elementary will increase academic performance in English Language Arts and the application of these skills by increasing the percentage of students performing in levels 3 and 4 on the Georgia Milestones Assessment to 90%.

o Annual Goal

Gwin Oaks Elementary will increase the percentage of students achieving at the Proficient (level 3) and Distinguished (level 4) on the Georgia Milestones Assessment in English Language Arts by 8 percentage points over 2017-2018 results in grade levels 3, 4, and 5 which is acceptable progress. Excellent progress would be to increase the percentage of students scoring in these two top levels by 15% over 2017-2018 results.

• Long Term Goal

Gwin Oaks Elementary will increase academic performance in Mathematics and the application of math skills by increasing the percentage of students performing in levels 3 and 4 on the Georgia Milestones Assessment to 90%.

o Annual Goal

Gwin Oaks Elementary will increase the percentage of students achieving at the Proficient (level 3) and Distinguished (level 4) on the Georgia Milestones Assessment in Mathematics by 9 percentage points over 2017-2018 results in grade levels 3, 4, and 5 which is acceptable progress. Excellent progress would be to increase the percentage of students scoring in these two top levels by 15% over 2017-2018 results.

• Long Term Goal

The Brookwood Cluster will increase rigor for all students to reach their greatest potential through appropriate acceleration and integration in Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math. Gwin Oaks Elementary will increase the percentage of students performing in levels 3 and 4 to 90% in math on the Georgia Milestones Assessment and to 80% on the science Georgia Milestones Assessment.

o Annual Goal

Gwin Oaks Elementary will increase the percentage of students achieving at the Proficient (level 3) and Distinguished (level 4) on the Georgia Milestones Assessment in Grade 5 Science by 9 percentage points over 2017-2018 results in grade 5 which is acceptable progress. Excellent progress would be to increase the percentage of students scoring in these two top levels by 15% over 2017-2018 results. The Beginning (level 1) will decrease by 8% in the 2017-18 school year over the 17-18 school year results.