



2017 - 2018

Local School Plan for Improvement

Central Gwinnett High 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**

Central Gwinnett High School will demonstrate measureable gains in student achievement through reflective and collaborative teaching to ensure that all students graduate on time with opportunities to continue postsecondary education and/or enter the work force.

- o **Annual Goal**

The 4 core departments at Central Gwinnett High School will improve student achievement as evidenced by a 5% increase in passing scores on all local and state assessments from the 2016-2017 results by establishing true PLCs within the 4 core, through common assessment development, data analysis, structured curriculum team planning, and by incorporating high yield literacy practices across the curriculum.

- o **Annual Goal**

Through the continued implementation of a College and Career Academy, alongside the development of a Ninth Grade Academy, Central Gwinnett will decrease the 9th grade retention rate by 5% from the 2016-2017 school year and improve the four year graduation cohort rate by 2% with targeted efforts to increase the graduation rate of special education students to above 45% for the 2018 cohort.

- **Long Term Goal**

We will build our parents' capacity to support their children's academic achievement by implementing the activities identified in the Parent Involvement Policy and School/Parent Compact.