



2017 - 2018

Local School Plan for Improvement

GIVE Center East Middle 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**

GIVE Center East students will exceed the county growth average on local school and district language arts, science, and social studies assessments by 2018-19.

- **Long Term Goal**

GIVE Center East students will exceed the county growth average on local school, district, and state math assessments by 2017-18.

- **Long Term Goal**

GIVE Center East will increase the number of students whose academic standings are on track with their graduation cohort by 15% in 2015-2016, 20% in 2016-17, and 25% in 2017-18.

- **Long Term Goal**

The percent of students who receive one or more discipline referrals while enrolled at GIVE East will decrease by 5% in 2015-2016, 10% in 2016-17, and 15% in 2017-18.

- **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.