



Mount View Middle School

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN AT A GLANCE 2023-2024

Mount View Middle School: VISION & MISSION

Vision: We value the students. We value the educational environment. We value achievement. We value parents as our partners. We value positive change.

Mission: Mount View Middle School is committed to academic excellence as we educate young adolescents in a safe and innovative environment in which we appreciate diversity and promote learning for a lifetime.

“We ALL Share The Same Nest; Together We Soar”

HCPSS STRATEGIC CALL TO ACTION: LEARNING AND LEADING WITH EQUITY

Vision: Every student and staff member embraces diversity and possesses the skills, knowledge, and confidence to positively influence the larger community.

Mission: HCPSS ensures academic success and social-emotional well-being for each student in an inclusive and nurturing environment that closes opportunity gaps.

FOUR OVERARCHING COMMITMENTS

SCHOOL TARGETS, STRATEGIES, & COMMITMENTS

Climate Target:

Statement of Commitment: We commit to creating a culture where student voice, culture, and identity are reflected in the content, instructional practices, school initiatives, and events. As a staff, we will engage thoughtfully in the development and implementation of strategies to ensure students have a sense of belonging and are engaged.

Strategies:

1. School staff will follow established protocols by the administration and student services for accessing student behavior supports and community resources, including mental health supports, through the SPS and SST process (using the incident report/ staff documentation).
2. We will provide spaces in and out of the instructional environment for all students to share their voices about their school experiences and feedback to improve the culture and instructional environment.

Literacy Target:

Statement of Commitment: As teachers, we commit to creating and providing instructional opportunities for all students to take ownership of their learning and overcome obstacles.

Value: Every HCPSS stakeholder feels empowered and rewarded in their roles and takes pride in cultivating the learning community.

Connect: Students and staff thrive in a safe, nurturing, and inclusive culture that embraces diversity.

Achieve: An individualized focus supports every person in reaching milestones for success.

Empower: Schools, families, and the community are mutually invested in student achievement and well-being.

Strategies:

1. Instructional staff plan and implement lessons that scaffold tasks and allow students to organize their thinking/writing and adjust for purpose and audience independently. (Danielson 1e, 3a, 3d)
2. Instructional staff engage in professional learning around instructional practices that promote productive struggle. Teachers apply their learning to instructional practice. (Danielson 1e, 2b, 4d, 4e)
3. Teachers create a classroom environment that encourages and supports productive struggle. (Danielson 2a, 2b, 4d, 4e)

Mathematics Target:

Statement of Commitment: As teachers, we commit ourselves to promote productive struggle in our classrooms. We will offer an environment where students embrace challenges, persist, and become skilled problem solvers.

Strategies:

1. Instructional staff engage in professional learning focused on scaffolding tasks and anticipating student strategies, misconceptions, and struggle to support learning.
2. Instructional staff plan and implement lessons that scaffold tasks and allow students the opportunity to organize their thinking/writing and adjust for purpose and audience independently. (Danielson 1e, 3a, 3d)
3. Instructional staff collaboratively plan for, implement, and assess student performance using curriculum materials that support middle school mathematics course standards.