School: Freeport Middle School 2017-18

Item 9.B.

District Goal: Focus on Student Achievement through Improved Student-Centered Teaching and Learning

Team SMART Goal	Strategies and Action Steps	Responsibility	Timeline	Evidence of Effectiveness	Results
Goal: Build and implement procedures for increased habits of work practices in the school and classrooms	 All teachers will grade HOW standards HOW standards will be listed in PowerSchool above content standards Create scoring criteria and use weekly Create and use self-scoring w/ students All parents will be reached via email multiple times with information about HOW grading and how to check grades in PowerSchool 	Teachers Principal Teachers Techers Principal	All School year All School year Fall Fall All School Year	Students will have a good understanding of what HOW grades are and how to check them based on survey data. Students will be given a pre-assessment of where Habits of Work are located in PowerSchool, how to check on the HOW	96% of students surveyed indicated they know how to access PS and check grades when surveyed in April
	 Positive rewards for success Athletic eligibility for Preparedness Teachers and administration will go over with students HOW grading and how to 	Teachers / Principal	Winter / Spring	grades, taught the HOW skills and how they are accessed in PS They will be given a	students when asked by admins prior to second training
	 check on PowerSchool HOW posters for all rooms Direct instruction as needed in HOW 	Principal / Teachers	All School Year All school year	recheck in the third trimester. The goal is to have 95% of students being able to self-check and complete self-checks	PS HOW and Content (100% after 2nd training)
	 Guidance and RTI support students as needed Teachers attend trainings to be able to teach the HOW skills 	Teachers / Principal Teachers / Principal	All school year	and understand their HOW grades in all classes.	

Strategies and Action Steps for 17-18 Goals

- HOW grades were moved above Content grades in PowerSchool
- Scoring criteria was created for all HOW standards for school
 - Teachers/students modify to fit subject/class
- Parents were emailed multiple times throughout the year to check grades,
 - o Parents emailed when paper copy of grades were sent home
 - Multiple YouTube videos were sent to parents on how to access grades in PS
- Athletic Eligibility is based on Preparedness HOW
 - Working on improving how we monitor this
- Lifetouch created HOW posters for all classrooms
- RTI, Guidance, Ed. techs, Special Ed and classroom teachers provided extra HOW support as needed
- RTI staff, Admins, Special Ed, guidance all provided additional training for teachers
 - HOW student skills
 - Student Self-assessments
 - Creating scoring criteria
- Teachers/admin provided direct instruction on how to check grades in PS

2018-19 HOW Focus (even though not the formal goal)

- Continue to improve PowerSchool
- Continue to communicate with parents and students about PS and checking grades
- Focus on HOW skills that will improve content learning
- Self-Assessing
- Students and teachers creating rubrics together
- Eligibility criteria and monitoring

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Team SMART Goal	Strategies and Action Steps	Responsibility	Timeline	Evidence of Effectiveness	Results
ELA Goal: Deepen level of comprehension skills for students	 Work with the students to think critically, communicate thoughts effectively, and reason to solve problems and make decisions related to issues of fairness and social justice. Increase student discourse in the classroom Complete three TC Units of Study in reading and three in writing. Become familiar with and begin using the new Units of Study. 	Teachers / Strategist / Principal	All School year	All teachers will complete 6 TC Units All teachers will reflect on new TC units to improve instruction for the following year 60% of students reach their NWEA reading goal	
MATH Goal: Establish mathematics' goals to focus learning	 All units of instruction are taught. Use pacing guide. (Equal access) Ensure the learning target is clearly stated and visible Consistent use of scoring criteria with summative assessments Increased use of exploration/activity Promote mathematical discourse 	Teachers / Strategist / Principal	All School Year	All teachers use a pacing guide. All teachers complete activities/exploration for all units 60% of students reach their NWEA math goal	

Social Studies Goal: Increase reading comprehension skills of students	 Work on accessing just right level reading materials for all students Research, find, and develop reading materials that are at the grade level of the students in the classroom Teaching students how to access reading materials at their grade level 	Teachers / Strategist / Principal	All school year	60% of students reach their NWEA reading goal
Science Goal: Research and implement highly effective classroom management, decreasing distracting student behaviors that interfere with their own learning or the ability for others to learn.	 Improve/develop classroom starters focused on the essential learning of the lesson Work on classroom flow/management to improve content instruction/learning Research and implement classroom management strategies Observe other effective teachers 	Teachers	All school year	Improved MEA science scores

SMART Goal 2017-2018



School: Freeport High School

Team Name: N/A

Team Members: Jen Gulko, Charlie Mellon, FHS Staff

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FHS Goal: By June 2018, Freeport High School will have proficiency-based practices developed, reflected on, revised and communicated to all stakeholders for the Class of 2021 and Class of 2022 by the start of the 2018-2019 school year. These practices will support students in reaching proficiency in their classes as well as keep parents informed about proficiency-based practices.

SMART Goal	Strategies and Action Steps	Responsibility	Timeline	Evidence of Effectiveness
Expand training for teachers on proficiency-based reporting system and practices.	 Visit nearby schools to analyze systems for standards-based reporting and grading practices Attend Professional development for PowerSchool for standards-based reporting with FHS admin and FHS teacher representatives Reflect on and revise (if necessary) drafts of our FHS policies (Reassessment, Habits of Work, Eligibility, etc.) Share policies with all stakeholders 	 FHS administrators FHS leadership teams FHS staff members 	• Sept. 2017-June 2018	 PowerSchool workshops School visit notes Teacher workshops Student scores in PowerSchool PLC and PLD agendas and work

Standards-aligned scoring criteria will be developed and/or revised as necessary for 9th and 10th grade courses in all content areas by June 2018	 All FHS teachers work in departments to develop and refine scoring criteria Teachers will pilot scoring criteria throughout 2017-2018 school year to reflect and revise as needed 	 FHS Administrators FHS Faculty 	 Sept. 2017 to June 2018 	 Written scoring criteria Student scores in PowerSchool PLC and PLD agendas and work Student work
School-wide Habits of Work rubric and scoring practices will be implemented, reflected on and further refined for the Class of 2021 and Class of 2022.	 Continue to analyze Habits of Work practices of neighboring schools and districts Implement the Habits of Work rubric and regularly discuss methods for teaching and assessing H.O.W. in PLC and department meetings Reflect on draft of FHS Habits of Work guidelines for staff and students and revise draft as necessary 	FHS Administrators FHS Faculty	 School visits from Nov. 2017-April 2018 Discuss HOW rubric and practices in PLCs Sept. 2017-June 2018 Complete any revisions by June 2018 	 School visits Student scores in PowerSchool PLC and PLD agendas and work Student work
Communication of and feedback for PBE practices with students and parents will be ongoing throughout the 2017-2018 school year for students and parents of the Classes of 2021 and 2022 (current 8th grade).	 Reflection, revisions and additions to the PBE parent guide Host 4 Focus group meetings for feedback from the Class of 2021 2 parent focus group meetings 2 student focus group meetings 	 FHS Administrators FHS Guidance counselors FHS Leadership Team 	 January 2018 parent event for Class of 2022 January 2018 student and parent focus group for Class of 2021 May 2018 parent event for Class of 2022 May/June 2018 	 Parent event/workshop attendance Parent event/workshop attendance Focus group meetings attendance and feedback notes

Host informational Parent Events for Class of 2022	student and parent focus group for Class of 2021
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FHS Goal: Increase the total number of students in the 9th and 10th grade meeting their individual growth target in both math and reading by 5% as measured by the NWEA.

SMART Goal	Strategies and Action Steps	Responsibility	Timeline	Evidence of Effectiveness
The total number of students in the 9th and 10th grade who meet their individual growth target on the NWEA math test will increase by 5%. Data will be measured from spring of 2017 to spring of 2018. Student Growth data from Fall 2016 to Spring of 2017 Students meeting individual growth goal: 36% of 9th 44% of 10th	 Pilot new math curriculum in Algebra and Geometry Implement math support class for 9th and 10th grade students scoring significantly below grade level on NWEA Providing coaching and development for FHS math teachers with new curriculum Focus on formative assessment and formative feedback with PLC teams 	 FHS Administrators FHS Faculty 	• Sept. 2017 to June 2018	 Enrollment in math support classes Teacher workshops PLC and PLD agendas Spring 2018 NWEA math data All 9th and 10th graders Students in math support class

48% of 9th
