

**Moon Area School District**

# **Mid-Point District Goals**

**2007 - 2013**

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**GOAL 1:** 100% of Moon Area School District students will be enrolled in classrooms that implement research-based instructional practices as evidenced by completed, standards-based curriculum maps and teacher observations by 2013.

**Related Strategies and Activities** [Edit Selected](#)

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- Curriculum Review to Align Curriculum to Instruction
  - In Use** Elementary Representation for K-12 Curriculum Planning
  - In Use** **Complete** Establish a Curriculum Council
  - In Use** **Complete** Formalize Curriculum Adoption/Review Cycle
- Increase Parental Involvement
  - In Use** **Complete** Develop Parent Notification Process Prior to Parent Conferences
  - In Use** **Complete** Expand Implementation of On-line Communication Tools
- Increase Teacher Support to Maximize Student Achievement
  - In Use** Add reading and mathematics coaches where appropriate
  - In Use** **Complete** Collect data from students on student focus and learning (survey).
  - In Use** Consider amending senior project procedure to include a committee to accept/reject senior project proposals.
  - In Use** Post-secondary Collaboration
  - In Use** Provide professional development to enhance the degree to which a teacher provides a supportive learning environment at the high school.
  - In Use** **Complete** Provide professional development to increase the K-12 interactive and project-based activities.
  - In Use** Standards-aligned Uniform Lesson Plan Template
- Systemic Collaboration
  - In Use** Dedicated Act 80 Days for Collaboration
  - In Use** **Complete** ESL-English as a Second Language Professional Development
  - In Use** **Complete** External Program Observations
  - In Use** **Complete** Internal Peer Observation of Research-based Best Practices
  - In Use** Quarterly Content/Instructional Level Collaboration

**GOAL 2:** 100% of Moon Area School District students will be proficient in Reading and Mathematics as measured by the PSSA results or will demonstrate at least one year standard measure of growth as determined by PVAAS by 2013.

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- Differentiated Instruction for High-end Learners
  - In Use** **Complete** Differentiated Instruction Professional Development
- Increase Student Awareness/Ownership of Educational Growth
  - In Use** **Complete** Parent Informational Letter
  - In Use** **Complete** Parent Survey Regarding Expertise.
  - In Use** **Complete** Performance Data Workshops/Conferences
  - In Use** Teach Test Taking Skills
- Student Performance Data Analysis and Disaggregation
  - In Use** **Complete** 4 Sight Benchmark Testing
- The district will implement comprehensive remediation programs K-12 to ensure, enhance and promote student achievement in reading and mathematics with a focus on early intervention at the primary level.
  - In Use** **Complete** Provide PSSA remediation classes
  - In Use** **Complete** Remediation Outside of Normal School Day Schedule

**GOAL 3:** 100% of Moon Area School District students, teachers, and administrators will demonstrate technological literacy as determined by the ISTE National Educational Technology Standards by 2013.

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- 21st Century Skills
  - In Use** **Complete** Ethical Technology Usage
  - In Use** K-12 Technology Curriculum Articulation
- Integrating Technology Resources
  - In Use** **Complete** Technology Refresh Enhancement
- Technology Integration
  - In Use** **Complete** Technology Integration and Best Practices
- Training and Personnel Needs
  - In Use** **Complete** Technology Innovation Training

**Goal 4:** 100% of the Moon Area School District curricula will reflect expanded educational opportunities, incorporate 21st century skills, and increase academic rigor as evaluated by an annual curriculum review through 2013.

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**Diversify the K-12 Curriculum**

- In Use** Career Exploration Programs
- In Use** **Complete** Co-curricular Service Learning Activities/Programs
- In Use** Distance Learning Expansion
- In Use** **Complete** Dual and Concurrent Enrollment Services
- In Use** Educate teachers and students in administering/taking on-line courses.
- In Use** Expand course opportunities at the high school and the middle school levels through evaluation of the daily course/master schedule.
- In Use** Expand High School Elective Offerings
- In Use** **Complete** Explore Full-Day Kindergarten Option
- In Use** Explore World Language Expansion to Elementary
- In Use** Extend Advanced Placement (AP) programming to the middle school level.
- In Use** **Complete** Increase Core Elective Offerings
- In Use** **Complete** Institute a summer reading program for students at the middle school and high school levels.
- In Use** **Complete** Maximize Title I services
- In Use** Review the high school master schedule to consider an 8-period as opposed to a 7-period day.

**Increase Rigor**

- In Use** Applied Learning Practices
- In Use** Enriching Differentiated Instruction for High-end Learners
- In Use** **Complete** Formalize the Curriculum Adoption Cycle
- In Use** Foster Higher Order Thinking/Metacognitive Skills
- In Use** **Complete** Optimize the Learning Environment
- In Use** Provide affective programs to promote positive relationships including but not limited to middle school philosophy, character education, and bullying prevention.
- In Use** **Complete** Provide Remediation for Non-proficient Students
- In Use** Update and refresh the MASD character education program and make it unique to each grade level
- In Use** **Complete** Utilize Evaluative Tools to Assess Rigor

**Infuse Technology K-12**

- In Use** **Complete** Technology Infrastructure Operational Capacity Evaluation
- In Use** K-12 Technology Curriculum Articulation
- In Use** **Complete** Non-traditional Distance Learning Course Offerings
- In Use** **Complete** On-site Support Technicians
- In Use** **Complete** Technology Inclusion in the Curriculum Adoption/Revision Process
- In Use** **Complete** Technology Use Professional Development