

Low Performing School Addendum

School Location: Southern Guilford Middle School

- Goal 1: By June 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the reading composite for all students by 20.4 percentage points, from 42.1 to 62.5% as measured by the End of Grade Reading Test
- Goal 2: By June 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the math composite for all students by 20.8 percentage points, from 37.5 to 58.3% as measured by the End of Grade Math Test.
- Goal 3: By June 2016, SGMS will increase the number of teachers reporting their satisfaction of being supported by school administration with regards to maintaining discipline in the classroom from 33% to 90% as measured on the 2016 NC Teacher Working Conditions Survey.

Regional Support:

The Southeastern Region has developed and implemented a tiered deployment plan that strategically focuses our efforts on three core areas: instructional planning, teaching, and evaluating. The deployment plan outlines the roles and responsibilities of each content area coordinator for the targeted areas and schools in our region. All Southeastern Regional coordinators will regularly participate in PLC meetings, provide professional development, and conduct classroom observations to better inform teachers and administration about best practices and areas for improvement. Coordinators will assist in the integration of high level questioning and writing into instruction. Schools will also receive assistance with creating and analyzing formative assessment data. In addition, the Southeastern Regional team will carefully monitor all available data points to guide our efforts in providing differentiated and personalized support to each school. Instructional rounds will occur regularly with School Administrators, School Team members, and the Regional Team to strengthen collaboration in addressing identified problems of practice and to build the capacity of leaders in our region. Several professional development opportunities will be provided for each targeted area of instruction, equipping teachers with the knowledge and skills to effectively plan, implement, and improve instruction while meeting the needs of each student in the Southeastern Region.

Central Office Support:

Central Office based Curriculum and Instruction staff has prioritized standards and revised pacing guides in tested subjects and grades based on NCDPI test specifications. This creates more targeted and purposeful instruction aligned with state summative assessments. Low performing schools will complete diagnostic assessments linked to pacing in tested subject areas. As a result, schools will be able to provide targeted standard-level remediation to students. Additionally, several members of our central office based curriculum team have been placed in our four regions so that low performing schools receive additional support in the areas of literacy, math and science. Two district wide Learning Conferences are scheduled in the fall and spring for teachers that will focus specifically on instructional strategies to maximize student outcomes. Teachers will be able to take strategies directly back to their classrooms for immediate implementation.

2014-16 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

School Name	Southern Middle School	School Number	313
School Address	5747 Drake Rd., Greensboro, NC 27406		
Principal	Karen Ellis		
District Name/State Local Education Agency (LEA) Number	Guilford County Schools (410)		
Date of Initial School Staff Vote of Approval	12-Sep-14		
Date of Last Review/Update	8/14/2015		
Principal Signature	(Signature On File)		
Board of Education Authority Signature	(Signature On File)		

School Vision and Mission Statement

Southern Guilford Middle School will create and maintain a culture of excellence that affords every student success, recognizing that Success Generates More Success.

Mission Statement

Vision

Southern Guilford Middle School is committed to preparing students for high school and beyond by providing a developmentally responsive yet challenging environment ensuring every student's right to learn. Students will be empowered with knowledge and skills in order to become productive members of their community.

District and State Goal Alignment

Guilford County Schools Strategic Plan 2016, Area I: Personalized Learning

Supports State Board of Education Goal: North Carolina public schools will produce globally competitive students.

Guilford County Schools Strategic Plan 2016, Area II: Character, Service and Safety

Supports State Board of Education Goal: Leadership will guide innovation in North Carolina public schools.

Guilford County Schools Strategic Plan 2016, Area III: Parent, Family and Community

Supports State Board of Education Goal: North Carolina Public School students will be healthy and responsible.

Guilford County Schools Strategic Plan 2016, Area IV: Educator and Organizational Excellence

Supports State Board of Education Goal: North Carolina public shcools will be led by 21st Century professionals.

Supports State Board of Education Goal: North Carolina public schools will be governed and supported by 21st Century systems.

School Improvement Team Membership			Term (EX: 2013-14 and 2014-15)
Principal	Karen Ellis		
Assistant Principal Representative	Dwayne Washington	5/27/2015	2015-16 & 2016-17
Curriclum Facilitator	Lindsay Brake	Standing Member	
Media Center Representative TARC	Eric Williamson	Standing Member	
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Ryan Schnaith Ivan	5/27/2015	2015-16 & 2016-17
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Karen Dill	5/27/2015	2015-16 & 2016-17
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Rebecca Hines	6/11/2014	2014-15 & 2015-16
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Alyson Walsh	6/11/2014	2014-15 & 2015-16
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Karen Braswell	5/27/2015	2015-16 & 2016-17
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Jennifer Bohnert	6/11/2014	2014-15 & 2015-16
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Yvonne Mortensen-Creed	6/11/2014	2014-15 & 2015-16
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Andrew Peascoe	6/11/2014	2014-15 & 2015-16
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Lauren Ackerman	6/11/2014	2014-15 & 2015-16
Instructional Support Staff Representative	Jane Black	5/27/2015	2015-16 & 2016-17
Non-instructional Support Staff	Trilby Daly	5/29/2013	2014-15 & 2015-16
Parent	Jihanda Turner Luane Beeh	6/11/2015	2015-16 & 2016-17

School Improvement Plans are developed in accordance with NC General Statute 115C-105.27.

Guilford County Schools Strategic Plan 2016 School Targets - End of Grade Scores

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Select your school code using the drop-down menu in column A above. Once you have selected your school code, your school name will appear in the grey box above and targets for your school will populate automatically.

TARGET CALCULATOR

READING 3-8	2012-13 BASELINE	2013-14 TARGET	2014-15 TARGET	2015-16 TARGET	2016-17 TARGET	2017-18 TARGET
ALL STUDENTS	46.4	51.8	57.1	62.5	67.8	73.2
AMERICAN INDIAN						
ASIAN	57.5	61.8	66.0	70.3	74.5	78.8
BLACK	37.8	44.0	50.2	56.5	62.7	68.9
HISPANIC	46.5	51.9	57.2	62.6	67.9	73.3
2 OR MORE RACES	54.3	58.9	63.4	68.0	72.6	77.2
WHITE	54.8	59.3	63.8	68.4	72.9	77.4
EDS	39.3	45.4	51.4	57.5	63.6	69.7
LEP	24.5	32.1	39.6	47.2	54.7	62.3
SWD	10.5	19.5	28.4	37.4	46.3	55.3
AIG	87.4	88.7	89.9	91.2	92.4	93.7
MATH 3-8	2012-13 BASELINE	2013-14 TARGET	2014-15 TARGET	2015-16 TARGET	2016-17 TARGET	2017-18 TARGET
ALL STUDENTS	40.4	46.4	52.3	58.3	64.2	70.2
AMERICAN INDIAN						
ASIAN	55.0	59.5	64.0	68.5	73.0	77.5
BLACK	28.3	35.5	42.6	49.8	57.0	64.2
HISPANIC	43.6	49.2	54.9	60.5	66.2	71.8
2 OR MORE RACES	54.3	58.9	63.4	68.0	72.6	77.2
WHITE	50.2	55.2	60.2	65.1	70.1	75.1
EDS	35.8	42.2	48.6	55.1	61.5	67.9
LEP	25.5	33.0	40.4	47.9	55.3	62.8
SWD	9.8	18.8	27.8	36.9	45.9	54.9
AIG	88.5	89.7	90.8	92.0	93.1	94.3
SCIENCE 5 & 8	2012-13 BASELINE	2013-14 TARGET	2014-15 TARGET	2015-16 TARGET	2016-17 TARGET	2017-18 TARGET
ALL STUDENTS	53.3	58.0	62.6	67.3	72.0	76.7
AMERICAN INDIAN						
ASIAN	64.7	68.2	71.8	75.3	78.8	82.4
BLACK	42.3	48.1	53.8	59.6	65.4	71.2
HISPANIC	56.4	60.8	65.1	69.5	73.8	78.2
2 OR MORE RACES	73.3	76.0	78.6	81.3	84.0	86.7
WHITE	59.5	63.6	67.6	71.7	75.7	79.8
EDS	49.5	54.6	59.6	64.7	69.7	74.8
LEP	43.2	48.9	54.6	60.2	65.9	71.6
SWD	16.3	24.7	33.0	41.4	49.8	58.2
AIG	90.3	91.3	92.2	93.2	94.2	95.2

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TARGET CALCULATOR

ENGLISH 2 ALL STUDENTS	2012-13 BASELINE	2013-14 TARGET	2014-15 TARGET	2015-16 TARGET	2016-17 TARGET	2017-18 TARGET
ASIAN						
BLACK						
HISPANIC						
2 OR MORE RACES						
WHITE						
EDS						
LEP						
SWD						
AIG						
MATH 1	2012-13 BASELINE					
ALL STUDENTS	83.3	85.0	86.6	88.3	90.0	91.7
AMERICAN INDIAN						
ASIAN						
BLACK	81.8	83.6	85.4	87.3	89.1	90.9
HISPANIC	95.0	95.5	96.0	96.5	97.0	97.5
2 OR MORE RACES	75.0	77.5	80.0	82.5	85.0	87.5
WHITE	76.7	79.0	81.4	83.7	86.0	88.4
EDS	89.4	90.5	91.5	92.6	93.6	94.7
LEP						
SWD						
AIG	87.3	88.6	89.8	91.1	92.4	93.7
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BIOLOGY	2012-13 BASELINE	2013-14 TARGET	2014-15 TARGET	2015-16 TARGET	2016-17 TARGET	2017-18 TARGET
ALL STUDENTS						
AMERICAN INDIAN						
ASIAN						
BLACK						
HISPANIC						
2 OR MORE RACES						
WHITE						
EDS						
LEP						
SWD						
AIG						

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SUMMARY OF SCHOOL DATA ANALYSIS B AND/OR COMPREHENSIVE NEEDS ASSESSMENT

1. What does an analysis of your school data and/or a comprehensive needs assessment tell you about the school's strengths?

Data collected over the course of the school year from students and teachers demonstrate an increased sense of trust and support on the part of the administration team. A comparision of the NC Teacher's Working Conditions Survey administered in the Spring of 2014 and a school version in the Spring of 2015 showed an increase of of 30 percentage points, which exceeded our target by 3%. The End of Grade, End of Course as well as AimsWeb data reveal that our students are not perforning at a proficeint level based on core instruction. We exceeded our targets for Math 1, 8th grade math and within the AIG subgroup for Reading. There also continues to be excellent gains made from 6th to 7th grade math. This cohort of students increase by 9.6 percentage points. Our school EVAAS Teacher Effectiveness is -2.3 with EOG and EOC testing data. It drops significantly when the NC Final Exams are incorporated into the number, -7+. We need to ensure teachers are aligning their planning, teaching and evaluating directly to the standards.

2. What does the data analysis and/or comprehensive needs assessment tell you about the school's gaps or opportunities for improvement?

Southern's level of proficiency went down when comparing our overall Math and Reading Scores from 2014-2015. Other than the subgroups listed above, we fell short of our targets. There is an obvious disconnect between the work in core instruction and meeting proficient levels on the end of grade assessments. Examing the quarterly, semester and final grades further highlights this gap. The teachers are invested in helping their students succeed and works to plan instruction that takes into consideration where the students are currently performing. But, the rigor and push towards the standard is overshadowed by the scaffolding and interventions. We need to focus on the standards. We need to plan, teach and evaluate with the standards in clear focus. While instructional inventerion and supports will continue to be put in place, the expectation of the attainment of the standard must be the mark with which we grade and hold our students to. Teachers implementation of the standards must be more intentional in all areas; planning, teaching and evaluating. Teachers will need opportunities and guidance to explore policies and practices to ensure quality feedback for students in order to reduce the implementation gap. SGMS needs to create a common practice for holding teachers and students accountable for at least reaching a proficient level of mastery of the standards.

3. What data is missing, and how will you go about collecting this information for future use?

SUMMARY OF SCHOOL DATA ANALYSIS B AND/OR COMPREHENSIVE NEEDS ASSESSMENT

4. Based upon the data analysis conducted and/or the comprehensive needs assessment, what priorities emerge for your school?

Priority Area 1:

1B) Reading

Priority Area 2:

2B) Mathematics

Priority Area 3:

3B) School Climate and Culture

Priority Area 4:

4B)

	PRIORITY AREA 1B AND ASSOCIATED	STRATEG	iles					
PLAN: School Improvement Plans are develop the outcomes of the strategy implementation (A	bed based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement so	lutions (DO), to und	lerstand the results or i	mpact (CHECK	() and to make	adjustments ba	ased upon	
Priority Area 1	1B) Reading							
*SMART Goal *Specific, <u>M</u> easurable, <u>A</u> ttainable, <u>R</u> esults- Oriented, Timebound	By June 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the reading composite for all stude Test.	une 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the reading composite for all students by 20.4 percentage points, from 42.1 to 62.5% as measured by the End of Grade Reading						
Target Goal for 2014-15 (What goal must be reached to be on target to meet SMART goal?)	lune 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the reading composite for all students by 20.4 percentage points, from 42.1 to 62.5% as measured by the End of Grade Reading t.							
GCS 2016 Strategic Plan Alignment	Area I: Personalized Learning	: Personalized Learning						
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	IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #1							
Enhnace Tier 1 Core Instruction in all ELA class	ses using the MTSS Model of instruction and support.							
Additional Improvement Plan(s) that		Supplementa	al Title I or Ma to Support A	gnet Funding ction Step	Budgeted			
		Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet	
1) Teachers will utlize the MTSS model and ide	ntify student's level of need within each Tiers to provide appropriate supports.	Title I		\$6,029.71	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
2) Students in Tier 3 of the MTSS model will rec	eive support with the Just Words program.	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
3) Daytime Tutors will be used to increase supp	ort for Core instruction for students in Tiers 1 and 2.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
4) Identified students will work with EC staff in in	nclusion and resource settings to provide support for ELA instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
	programs within small group instruction to enhance the core instruction for all students. ing as they plan, teach and evluate, using Success Charts and Running Record Documents.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
6) Administration will utilize walk through docum	nents and provide feedback to support teachers.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
7) Monitor and help adjust teacher implementati	on of small group instruction and core instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
8) The Curriculum Facilitator will provide literac	y professional development and work with teachers to implement literacy into their classroom.	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
9) Conduct the Annual Title 1 meeting.		Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Action Ste	eps to Implement Associated Professional Development	this Action Step that apply from o	ovement Plan(s) that Supports (select all frop down or specify Other")	Supplementa	al Title I or Ma to Support A	gnet Funding ction Step	Budgeted	
Identify associated professional development courses/acti	vities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet	
10) Curriculum Facilitator along with C&I will pro	ovide continue support for all ELA teachers with Word Study/Vocabulary Program	Title I		\$3,601.02	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
11) Curriculum Facilitator and PLEF will provide PD in PACE PLC Mtg Aug. 6-13 and then within	continued support for all ELA teachers with supporting MTSS in the ELA Classroom, continued weekly content meetings, ELA on Tuesday)			\$2,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
12)				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Action	Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement	this Action Step that apply from o	ovement Plan(s) that Supports (select all drop down or specify Other")	Supplementa	al Title I or Ma to Support A	gnet Funding ction Step	Budgeted	
Identify parental involvement activities, providers, and the	dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet	
13) Provide parent information, training and sup	port in monthly meetings. (9/22/15, 10/29/15, 12/15/15, 2/12/15, 3/23/15, 4/13/15)	Title I		\$3,077.87	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	

PRIORITY AREA 1B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES							
14) School Social Worker will serve as a liason between the school, home and outside agencies to support students and parents.	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
15) Newsletters for October and November will be targeted with the individualized instruction for ELA Core instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	

PRIORITY AREA 1B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #2

Continue the implementation of Professional Learning Communities designed to analyze students learning data, allowing teachers to plan collectively.

Action Steps to Implement Improvement Strategy	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Other")	I Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Budge			
	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
1) Fund additional curriculum facilitator to assist with improving reading student achievment.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2) Teachers will incorporate small group instruction, differentiation and personalization from PACE trainings into PLC meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
3) Teachers will maintain data notebooks to help record, organize and utilize individual student information within their instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
4) Create a Data Timeline to provide teahcers an outline of the continual use of data.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5) Conduct bi-weekly meetings between teachers, PLC's and administrator to examine, reflect and disucss key data points.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
6) Monitor and provide feedback on personalization and differentiated lessons with lesson plan reviews and walk-throughs.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7) The 0.5 Social Worker will work with teachers through the IST process and aide with strategies.	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8) INITIAL ALLOCATION SUBSTITUTE TEACHERS WILL BE PROVIDED			\$1,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
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PRIORITY AREA 1B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #3

Provide additional opportunities and support in core, as well as outside of core, to target students who are not demonstrating content mastery.

Action Steps to Implement Improvement Strategy	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Other")	Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Alloca			
	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
1) Daytime tutors will faciliate small group instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2) Teachers will provide afterschool tutoring for students.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
3) Utilize AimsWeb data to personalize instruction in core and afterschool settings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Teachers will utlize technololgy to personalize learning.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5) Technology facilitator will assist teachers and students with the implementation and use of technology driven lessons.	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
6) Utilize Youth Development Coordinator to target identified African American Males. Providing support in the classroom and organizing afterschool tutorial sessions.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7) Utilize the Keys to Writing within Science and Social Studies to support reading/writing in ELA.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8) Increase use of culturally realavent material in ELA, Science and Social Studies to increase engagement for all learners.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9) Enhance the multi-cultural selections of media center books.	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Action Steps to Implement Associated Professional Development	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Dther")	Supplement	Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Allo to Support Action Step		Allocated
Identify associated professional development courses/activities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Improvement Plans Other		Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
10) Provide teachers with on-going professional development for differentiation and personalization.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
12)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Action Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Dther")	ts (select all Supplemental Title I or Magnet Fundir			Allocated
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13) Provide parent information, training and support in monthly parent meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
14) School Social Worker will serve as a liason between the school, home and outside agencies to support students and parents.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
15) Regular communication to home with Connect Ed messages, Teacher Contacts (phone, email, & newsleters)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
CHECK: School Improvement Plans are developed based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to impleme upon the outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT).	nt solutions (DO), to un	derstand the results o	r impact (CHEC	CK) and to mak	e adjustments l	based
What data will be used to determine whether the improvement strategies were deployed with fidelity?						
Master schedule, meetings agendas, walk through data, data sources, lesson plans						
How will you determine whether the strategies led to progress toward the SMART goal? (Include formative, benchmark and summa		•				
Baseline data (AimsWeb, interim assessements) and teachers ongoing assessments will indicate progress within the standards, leading to progress within the standards and teachers ongoing assessments will indicate progress within the standards.	ogress towards achiev	ng the SMART goal.				

PRIORITY AREA 1B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

What does the data/evidence show regarding the results of the implemented strategies?

Review 1 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced August through November, how/should strategies be changed?)

Our ELA content meetings and Team/Administrative Data meetings have been effective tools with establishing the MTSS understanding and practices. Teachers have created and are utilizing Data Notebooks to track student performance and growth. This has allowed teachers to target student for additional services and targeted wrap around support with tutors, afterschool tutorials and conferencing with students and parents. The teachers have all been trained with Words Their Way and the program will be fully implemented when teachers return in January. AimsWeb Data supports the need to augment our core instruction. Analysis of the 1st Reading Interim Assessment data supports the need to increase vocabulary development within instruction. Our ELA Interim Assessment average was 4% below the district average.

Review 2 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced December through February, how/should strategies be changed?)

The data from the Spring Interim Assessments indicates that both the 7th and 8th grades are making significant progress. 8th Grade ELA growth was the 2nd highest in the district with an increase of 9.3% and 7th grade had an increase of 4.8% which is much higher than the district average amount of growth. The 6th grade growth was 5.0, which is slightly less than the district average. The focus of the CF and Mission Possible coach will be with 6th grade. They will coach, monitor and assist with increasing proficiency based on data from the assessments.

Review 3 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced end-of-year results, how/should strategies be changed?) Our EOG data revealed little growth in the area of reading. Our PLC's need to follow a more structured protocol, examining the standards and evaluating student work.

Review 1 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced August through November, how/should strategies be changed?)

Our ELA content meetings continue to focus on data, building common assessments, examining student work and developing lesson plans. ELA teachers are providing supports and responding to student needs based on results of AimsWeb and common assessment data. Less than 50% of the students in all grade levels for both the CBM and MAZE assessments within AimsWeb are scoring at or above a grade level appropriate level. Our daily core instruction must change to increase these numbers in order for appropriate number to recieve tierred support beyond daily instruction. CBM data is at 46% for 6th Grade, 42% for 7th grade and 40% for Grade 8. The MAZE instruction is 35% for 6th Grade, 41% for 7th grade and 49% for Grade 8. Our EVAAS data reveal that while we are growing the student in the lower 2 quintiles for Reading, the highest quintile students are not growing.

Review 2 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced December through February, how/should strategies be changed?)

(New SIP will be developed based on end of year results to begin the next two year planning cycle.)

ACT: School Improvement Plans are developed based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement solutions (DO), to understand the results or impact (CHECK) and to make adjustments based upon the outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT).

Based upon identified results, should/how should strategies be changed?

Review 1 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced August through November, should/how strategies be changed?)

The strategies will continue at this time. Developing a Growth Mind Set has been identified as an area to focus our professional development in the Spring to help teachers better understand their role in the teaching and learning process.

Review 2 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced December through February, should/how strategies be changed?)

The data reveals that qaulity progress is being made at the 7th and 8th grade levels. By focusing the efforts and adding the targetted support of the MP coach, our goal is to ensure full implementation of Words Their Way and to increase the efficacy of utilizing data to drive instruction.

Review 3 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced March through June, should/how strategies be changed?)

Review 1 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced August through November, should/how strategies be changed?) Teachers requested materials to support the differentiated needs of their students and have begun to use Moby Max to help track student progress individually.

Review 2 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced December through February, should/how strategies be changed?)

(New SIP will be developed based on end of year results to begin the next two year planning cycle.)

PRIORITY AREA 2B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

PLAN: School Improvement Plans are develo outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT	ped based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement solu).	tions (DO), to unders	tand the results or imp	oact (CHECK) a	and to make adj	ustments base	d upon the		
Priority Area 2	2B) Mathematics								
*SMART Goal *Specific, <u>M</u> easurable, <u>A</u> ttainable, <u>R</u> esults- Oriented, Timebound Target Goal for 2014-15	By June 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the math composite for all students b	by 20.8 percentage po	pints, from 37.5 to 58.3	3% as measure	d by the End of	Grade Math Te	est.		
(What goal must be reached to be on target to meet SMART goal?)	By June 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the math composite for all students b	June 2016, Southern Guilford Middle School will increase the math composite for all students by 20.8 percentage points, from 37.5 to 58.3% as measured by the End of Grade Math Test.							
GCS 2016 Strategic Plan Alignment	rea I: Personalized Learning								
DO: School Improvement Plans are developed outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT,	d based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement solution).	ns (DO), to understar	nd the results or impac	t (CHECK) and	l to make adjust	tments based u	pon the		
	IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #1								
Enhnace Tier 1 Core Instruction in all Mathema	tics classes using the MTSS Model of instruction and support.								
	Action Steps to Implement Improvement Strategy	Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other")		Supplement	al Title I or Ma to Support A		Budgeted		
		Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet		
1) Provide instructional math materials for teach	ners.	Title I		\$5,562.48	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
2) Teachers will utlize the MTSS model and ind	entify students' level of of need within each tier and provide appropriate support			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
3) Daytime tutors will be used to increase supp	ort for Core instruction for students in Tiers 1 & 2.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
 Utlize the IST process and EC staff to provid 	e additional resources and support for students in Tier 3.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.		
5) Monitor and help adjust teacher implementat	ion of small group instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.		
Teachers will work with the PLEF to utlize ta	blets to enhance instruction for whole and small groups as well as personalizing instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.		
7) Teachers will utilize AimsWeb Data along wit	h Common Assessment to help identify individual needs within the classroom.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.		
8) Teachers will work to create success charts	to anchor student's work to the standards.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
9)				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
Action S	teps to Implement Associated Professional Development	Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other")		Supplement	al Title I or Mag to Support A		Budgeted		
dentify associated professional development courses/acti	vities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet		
take place in PACE PLC meeting Aug. 6-13 and				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
	h teachers with supporting MTSS in the Math classroom during weekly PLC meetings. Initial 2015- g Aug. 6-13, continuing through weekly PLC meetings each Monday.			\$2,000.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
		Additional Impro	vement Plan(s) that	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0		
Action	n Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement	this Action Step that apply from d	Supports (select all rop down or specify Other")	Supplement	al Title I or Mag to Support A		Budgeted		

PRIORITY AREA 2B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES Improvement Plans Other Title I State Title I State Identify parental involvement activities, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end Title I Magnet (drop down menu) (Specify) Priority Focus 13) Provide parent information, training and support in monthly meetings. (9/22/15, 10/29/15, 12/15/15, 2/12/15, 3/23/15, 4/13/15) \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 14) School Social Worker will serve as a liason between the school, home and outside agencies to support students and parents. \$0.00 \$0.0 \$0.00 \$0.00 15) \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 **IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #2** Continue the implementation of Professional Learning Communities designed to analyze students learning data, allowing teachers to plan collectively. Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Budgeted that apply from drop down or specify to Support Action Step Action Steps to Implement Improvement Strategy in "Other") Improvement Plans Title I State Title I State Other Title I Magnet (drop down menu Priority (Specify) Focus \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 1) Fund additional curriculum facilitator to assist with improving reading student achievement. 2) Teachers will incorporate small group instruction, differentiation and personalization from PACE trainings into PLC meetings. \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 3) Teachers will maintain data notebooks to help record, organize and utilize individual student information within their instruction. \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 4) Create a Data Timeline to provide teachers an outline of the continual use of data \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 5) Conduct bi-weekly meetings between teachers, PLC's and administrator to examine, reflect and disucss key data points. \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 6) Monitor and provide feedback on personalization and differentiated lessons with lesson plan reviews and walk-throughs \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 7) The 0.5 Social Worker will work with teachers through the IST process and aide with strategies \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 8) \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 9) Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Budgeted Action Steps to Implement Associated Professional Development that apply from drop down or specify to Support Action Step in "Other") Title I State Improvement Plans Title I State Other dentify associated professional development courses/activities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end. Title I Magnet (drop down menu) (Specify) Priority Focus 10) Mission Possible and PACE Teacher Leaders will lead monthly PD sessions in grade levels sessions to support personalization and \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 differentiation in the classroom based on student need 11) Early Release PD sessions for the 2nd semester will be differentiated sessions based on teacher implementation of PACE. Our PLEF will work \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 with the CFs to organize and develop the sessions. 12) \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 Additional Improvement Plan(s) that Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Allocated this Action Step Supports (select all Action Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement that apply from drop down or specify to Support Action Step in "Other") Improvement Plans Other Title | State Title | State dentify parental involvement activities, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end. Title I Magnet (drop down menu) (Specify) Priority Focus \$0.00 \$0.00 13) Provide parent information, training and support in monthly parent meetings. \$0.00 \$0.00 14) School Social Worker will serve a liason between the school, home and outside agencies to support students and parents \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 15) Regular communication to home with Connect Ed messages, Teacher Contacts (phone, email, & newsleters) \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 \$0.00 **IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #3**

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PRIORITY AREA 2B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

Provide additional opportunities and support in core, as well as outside of core, to target students who are not demonstrating content mastery.

Action Steps to Implement Improvement Strategy	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Other")	II Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Allo			
	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
1) Daytime tutors will faciliate small group instruction.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2) Teachers will provide afterschool tutoring for students.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
3) Utilize universal screening data to personalize instruction in core and afterschool settings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
4) Teachers will utlize technololgy to personalize learning.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
5) Technology facilitator will assist teachers and students with the implementation and use of technology driven lessons.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
6) Utilize Youth Development Coordinator to support struggling students to increase/maintain time in class.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7) The additional math teacher will provide instruction for students who did not demonstrate growth.	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Action Steps to Implement Associated Professional Development	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Dther")	Supplement	al Title I or Ma to Support A		Allocated
Identify associated professional development courses/activities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
10) Provide teachers with on-going professional development for differentiation and personalization.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
12)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Action Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Dther")	Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Alloca to Support Action Step		Allocated	
Identify parental involvement activities, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
13) Provide parent information, training and support in monthly parent meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
14) School Social Worker will serve as a liason between the school, home and outside agencies to support students and parents.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
15) Regular communication to home with Connect Ed messages, Teacher Contacts (phone, email, & newsleters)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
CHECK: School Improvement Plans are developed based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implemente outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT).	ent solutions (DO), to unde	rstand the results or in	npact (CHECK,) and to make a	djustments bas	sed upon
What data will be used to determine whether the improvement strategies were deployed with fidelity?						
Master schedule, meetings agendas, walk through data, screening data, lesson plans						
How will you determine whether the strategies led to progress toward the SMART goal? (Include formative, benchmark and summ	native data as appropriate	ə.)				
Baseline data (universal screeners, interim assessements) and teachers ongoing assessments will indicate progress within the standards, lea	ading to progress towards a	achieving the SMART (goal.			

PRIORITY AREA 2B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

What does the data/evidence show regarding the results of the implemented strategies?

Review 1 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced August through November, how/should strategies be changed?)

Math content meetings and Team/Administrative Data meetings continue to be an effective tools with establishing the MTSS understanding and practices. Teachers have created and are utilizing Data Notebooks to track student performance and growth. This has allowed teachers to target student for additional services and targeted wrap around support with tutors, afterschool tutorials and conferencing with students and parents. Teachers are utilizing common exams within the units to identify areas of weakness in groups and individuals. Each grade level's interim assessment data is below the district mean, but the 6th grade mean is significantly the lowest. Our Math 1 Mean score is right at the district mean.

Review 2 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced December through February, how/should strategies be changed?)

The data from the change of scores between the fall and spring interim assessments showed that progress for all levels was less than the district average. The scores for both the 7th and 8th grade are both in the middle range of scores within the district. The 6th grade scores are in the lower quartile of scores in the district. The lack of growth in the 6th grade combined with the low scores, is a reason of concern with our 6th grade data.

Review 3 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced end-of-year results, how/should strategies be changed?)

Our EOG data revealed little growth in the area of math. Our PLCs need to follow a more structured protocol, exaiming the standards and evaluating student work.

Review 1 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced August through November, how/should strategies be changed?)

Our Math content meetings continue to focus on data, using a common format for student tasks, examining student work and developing lesson plans. Math teachers are providing supports and responding to student needs based on results of AimsWeb and common assessment data. The data shows a much stronger trend in computation than application. 6th Graders scored 71%, 7th Graders at 56% and 8th Graders at 45% on the computation. Thier ability to complete more complex word problems with application dropped to 47%, 30% and 44% respectful for 6th, 7th & 8th graders. Teachers requested materials to support the differentiated needs of their students and have begun to use IXL to help track and push student progress individually. Our 7th arade math teachers exceeded arowth with all quintile levels. while 6th and 8th arade are not making arowth with any according to EVAAS. Review 2 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced December through February, how/should strategies be changed?)

(New SIP will be developed based on end of year results to begin the next two year planning cycle.)

ACT: School Improvement Plans are developed based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement solutions (DO), to understand the results or impact (CHECK) and to make adjustments based upon the outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT).

Based upon identified results, should/how should strategies be changed?

Review 1 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced August through November, should/how strategies be changed?)

Reviewing AimsWeb and Interim assessment data along with other assessments tools, teachers have identified a weakness in basic math understanding with number systems and operations. 80 students have been targeted to receive additional support with Think Through Math. SGMS will implement additional support with MobyMax and Edmodo to maximize instruction to provide individual support based on personalized goals. Tutorial times need to be adjusted to provide additional coverage in 6th grade to support basic mathematics understanding.

Review 2 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced December through February, should/how strategies be changed?)

Our Math CF has increased the monitoring and coaching with the 6th grade teachers. We have increased the amount of time the teachers are meeting to plan and discuss the development and progress of lessons. We have implemented peer coaching and demonstration lessons and inreased co-teaching. The teachers have also implemented a back to basic computation plan and competition between the teams and classes.

Review 3 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced March through June, should/how strategies be changed?)

Review 1 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced August through November, should/how strategies be changed?)

No changes at this time. We are implmentating Guided Math in the spring.

Review 2 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced December through February, should/how strategies be changed?)

(New SIP will be developed based on end of year results to begin the next two year planning cycle.)

PRIORITY AREA 3B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

PLAN: School Improvement Plans are develop outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT)	ped based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement solut).	ions (DO), to unders	stand the results or imp	oact (CHECK) a	nd to make adj	iustments base	d upon the		
Priority Area 3	3B) School Climate and Culture								
*SMART Goal *Specific, <u>M</u> easurable, <u>A</u> ttainable, <u>R</u> esults- Oriented, Timebound	By June 2016. SGMS will increase the number of teachers reporting their support of school admini Working Conditions Survey.	istration in their effor	rts to maintain discipline	e in the classroo	om from 33% to	o 90% on the N	C Teacher		
Target Goal for 2014-15 (What goal must be reached to be on target to meet SMART goal?)	June 2016. SGMS will increase the number of teachers reporting their support of school administration in their efforts to maintain discipline in the classroom from 33% to 90% on the NC Teacher orking Conditions Survey.								
GCS 2016 Strategic Plan Alignment	Area II: Character, Service and Safety								
DO: School Improvement Plans are developed outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT)	d based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement solution).	es (DO), to understa	nd the results or impac	t (CHECK) and	to make adjus	tments based u	ipon the		
	IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #1								
Develop and implement a comprehensive beha	avior intervention and support plan.								
Action Steps to Implement Improvement Strategy		this Action Step that apply from d	ovement Plan(s) that Supports (select all lrop down or specify Other")	Supplementa	al Title I or Ma to Support A	gnet Funding ction Step	Budgeted		
		Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet		
1) Meet with Leadership Team to complete a st	udent behavior and support needs assessment.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
2) Develop a student recognition committee to r	research PBIS.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
3) Generate clear behavior guidelines along with	h defined consequences for unwanted actions.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
still benefit from direct teacher instruction.	o provide support for students, to mentor struggling students and prevent ISS/OSS so students can			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
agencies.	upport for students. Serve as a liason between school and home as well as outside community			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
6) Monitor and adjust implementation.				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
7) Use "How Full is Your Bucket" within PLC's				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
8)				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
9)				\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
Action S	teps to Implement Associated Professional Development	Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other")		Development this Action Step S that apply from dro		Supplementa	al Title I or Ma to Support A	gnet Funding ction Step	Budgeted
Identify associated professional development courses/activ	vities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet		
10) Administration will provide training and supp of the month during grade level planning.	port during monthly TAD (Teacher-Admin. Data) Meetings that will take place on the 3rd Wednesday			\$1,200.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
11) Incorporate Book Study Materials from How	v Full is Your Bucket into Monthly Grade Level Meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
12) Social Worker and Youth Development Coc struggling students.	rdinator will organize and facilite PD with outside mental health agencies to help teachers work with			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00		
Action	n Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement	Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other") to Support Ac			Budgeted				

PRIORITY AREA 3B AND ASSOCIA	TED STRATEG	IES				
Identify parental involvement activities, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
13) Provide parent information, training and support in monthly parent meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0
14) School Social Worker will serve a liason between the school, home and outside agencies to support students and parents.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0
15) Regular communication to home with Connect Ed messages, Teacher Contacts (phone, email, & newsleters)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0
IMPROVEMENT STRATEGY #2	2					
Establish bi-weekly administrative and team meetings to explore student learning and behavior data.						
Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Stopports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other")			Supplementa	al Title I or Ma to Support A	gnet Funding ction Step	Budgeted
	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
1) Create a schedule for meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
2) Develop a student learning and behavior data outline and timeline.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
3)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0
4)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0
5)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0
6)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
7)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
8)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
9)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Action Steps to Implement Associated Professional Development	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all rop down or specify Other")	Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Bud to Support Action Step		Budgeted	
Identify associated professional development courses/activities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
10) Professional development will be on-going within Professional Learning Communities.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
11)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
12)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Action Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement	this Action Step that apply from d	vement Plan(s) that Supports (select all Irop down or specify Other")	Supplement	al Title I or Ma to Support A	gnet Funding ction Step	Allocated
Identify parental involvement activities, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet
13) Provide parent information, training and support in monthly parent meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0
14) School Social Worker will serve as a liason between the school, home and outside agencies to support students and parents.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
15) Regular communication to home with Connect Ed messages, Teacher Contacts (phone, email, & newsleters)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.0

PRIORITY AREA 3B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

Provide activites to create a successful transition for students moving from 5th to 6th grade.

Action Steps to Implement Improvement Strategy	this Action Step that apply from d	Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other")		Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Allocated to Support Action Step			
	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet	
1) Conduct a Rising 6th grade parent night.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
2) Invite 5th graders to Southern Guilford Middle School for school tours.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
3) Hold a Back to School Open House			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
4) Administration make periodic visits to elementary schools, attending school performances and parent events.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
5)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
6)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
7)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
8)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
9)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Action Steps to Implement Associated Professional Development	this Action Step that apply from d	Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other")		Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Allocated to Support Action Step			
Identify associated professional development courses/activities, participants, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet	
10)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
11)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
12)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Action Steps to Implement Associated Parental Involvement	this Action Step that apply from d	Additional Improvement Plan(s) that this Action Step Supports (select all that apply from drop down or specify in "Other")		Supplemental Title I or Magnet Funding Allocated to Support Action Step			
Identify parental involvement activities, providers, and the dates activities will begin and end.	Improvement Plans (drop down menu)	Other (Specify)	Title I	Title I State Priority	Title I State Focus	Magnet	
13) Counselors and administrators will coordinate with elementary staff to plan, advertise and facilitate meetings.			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
14)	Title I		\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
15)			\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
CHECK: School Improvement Plans are developed based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to in the outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT).	mplement solutions (DO), to unde	erstand the results or in	npact (CHECK)) and to make a	djustments bas	ed upon	
What data will be used to determine whether the improvement strategies were deployed with fidelity?							
Discipline Referrals, Student learning and behavior data, agendas from team/administrative meetings, teacher and student data							
How will you determine whether the strategies led to progress toward the SMART goal? (Include formative, benchmark and		e.)					
Data from 2013-14 will be used baseline data. Decreases in students referrals and loss of classtime will indicate progress toward SMA	RT goals.						

PRIORITY AREA 3B AND ASSOCIATED STRATEGIES

What does the data/evidence show regarding the results of the implemented strategies?

Review 1 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced August through November, how/should strategies be changed?)

The implementation of the Teacher/Administration Data meetings has significantly improved the teachers perception of administrative support. Clear discipline procedures and communication expectations have reduced the number of office referals to administration. To data, there have have 80 office referals.

Review 2 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced December through February, how/should strategies be changed?)

We are maintaining a strong dicipline plan within the school. Teachers percetption continues to be positive when meeting in TAD meetings and Grade Level meetings. We have 209 dicipline incidents that have occurred from the beginning of the school year. Data from the MP perception data also supported an over all feeling of support from administration. The results of the survey indicate that the satisfaction rate of teachers has increased from 79%. And the approval grade was 80%, an increase over 33%.

Review 3 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced end-of-year results, how/should strategies be changed?)

The Teacher-Administrative Data meetings have been extremely effective this year. The working relationships along with mutual respect and understanding of policy and procedures have created a greater sense of community and support within the school. The strategy does not need to change. We will however reduces the number of TAD meetings to once a month so we can spend more time in Content Area PLCs and grade level meetings focused on developing our interventions.

Review 1 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced August through November, how/should strategies be changed?)

Teacher referrals are lower than 2014-15 at this time in the school year. There have been 15 OSS incidents from August - October 2015 compared to 138 for the 2014-15 school year. This is a reduction by 50% over the same time period last year. In addition the loss of instructional time per incident has dropped from 3.27 to 3.03.

Review 2 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced December through February, how/should strategies be changed?)

(New SIP will be developed based on end of year results to begin the next two year planning cycle.)

ACT: School Improvement Plans are developed based on data analyses and/or comprehensive needs assessments (PLAN), to implement solutions (DO), to understand the results or impact (CHECK) and to make adjustments based upon the outcomes of the strategy implementation (ACT).

Based upon identified results, should/how should strategies be changed?

Review 1 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced August through November, should/how strategies be changed?)

The informal teacher survey to measure teacher's perception of support will take place at the end of the 1st semester. Adjustments may be suggested at that time.

Review 2 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced December through February, should/how strategies be changed?) No changes needed at this point.

Review 3 - 2014-15 (Based on results evidenced March through June, should/how strategies be changed?)

Review 1 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced August through November, should/how strategies be changed?)

No changes at this point

Review 2 - 2015-16 (Based on results evidenced December through February, should/how strategies be changed?)

(New SIP will be developed based on end of year results to begin the next two year planning cycle.)

2014-16 SCHOOL SAFETY CHECKLIST

School Name:

Principal:

Southern Middle School

School Number: 313

School Address:

5747 Drake Rd., Greensboro, NC 27406

Karen Ellis

Task	Staff Responsible for Completing Task	Frequency	Completion Date(s)	
Update School Crisis Kit	Washington/Cable	Annually	8/14/2015	
Pre-Crisis Checklist	Washington	Annually	8/14/2015	
After Hours Emergency Contact List	Ellis	Annually	8/20/2015	
Register Principal for Sex-Offender Registry Notifications	Ellis	Annually	12/14/2015	
Diabetic Training for Staff	Schnaith-Ivan/J. Black	Annually	9/1/2015	
Distribute/Explain Crisis Plan to Staff	Cable, Washington, Parrish	Annually	8/26/2015	
Distribute/Explain Code of Conduct	Ellis	Annually	8/26/2015	
Tornado Drill	Admin	Annually	3/4/2015	
Conduct Student Safety Perception Survey	Schnaith-Ivan/Graham	Annually	4/21/2015	
Train staff on Emergency Notification Network deployment	Admin	Annually	12/17/2015	
Lock-down Drills	Admin/Cable	Bi-Annually	12/17/2015	
Safety Inspection	O'Brien/D. Black	Bi-Annually	9/1/2015	
Alternate Route Fire Drill	Admin	Bi-Annually	12/15/2015	
Playground Inspection	N/A	Bi-Annually	N/A	
Fire Drill / Sanitation Inspection	Black	Monthly	8/14/15, 9/15/15, 10/15/15, 11/13/15, 12/15/15	
Fire Extinguishers Inspection	O'Brien	Monthly	8/14/15, 9/15/15, 10/15/15, 11/13/15, 12/15/15	
Review In-School Suspension (ISS) and Out-of-School Suspension (OSS) Incidents	Admin/Counselors/YDC	Monthly	10/5/15, 11/6/15, 12/7/15	
Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Inspection	Hunt/Fraley	Monthly	8/26/15, 9/23/15, 10/2815, 11/18/15,12/16/15	
Discipline Incidents in PowerSchool	Admin/Wilson	Ongoing		
Volunteer Background Checks	Mehalko	Ongoing		
Monitor Visitor Check-In	Welker/Fraley	Ongoing		
Monitor Arrival and Dismissal of Students	Admin/Counselors/Mehalko	Ongoing		
Monitor Sex Offender Registry	Mehalko/Welker	Ongoing		
Out-of-State and Overnight Field Trip Approval by Superintendent's Designee	Ellis	Ongoing		

2014-16 SCHOOL SAFETY CHECKLIST				

RESOURCE MATERIALS

GCS School Improvement Planning Guide (http://portal.gcsnc.net/principalportal/Shared Documents/School Improvement Planning/GCS School Improvement Planning Guide.rev1 (MAY 2014).pdf)

North Carolina School Improvement Planning Implementation Guide (<u>http://www.ncpublicschools.org/docs/councils/lea/previous/templates/sip-guide.pdf</u>)

Highly Qualified Teachers (HQT): Describe how staffing decisions ensure that highly qualified, well-trained teachers provide instruction and how their assignments most effectively address identified needs. Number and percentage of teachers Non-HQT (www.ncreportcards.org Click on High Quality Teachers tab)

End-of-Grade (EOG) Results disaggregated: (www.ncpublicschools.org/accountability/reporting Click on Greenbook, then State Testing Results)

End-of-Course (EOC) Results disaggregated: (www.ncpublicschools.org/accountability/reporting Click on Greenbook, then State Testing Results)

North Carolina Teacher Working Conditions Survey (http://ncteachingconditions.org)

School Report Card results: (www.ncreportcards.org)

GCS Data Console (http://gcsdataconsole.gcsnc.net)

School Demographic Information related to student discipline: (e.g. total office referrals, long- and short-term suspensions, expulsions, alternative school placements, School Incidence Report (SIR) data, or student attendance) (http://www.ncpublicschools.org/research/discipline/reports)

School Demographic Information related to drop-out information and graduation rate data (http://www.ncpublicschools.org/research/dropout/reports)

Title III AMAO School Process Information related to an analysis of existing curricula focused on helping English Language Learners (ELLs) work toward attaining proficiency

Title III AMAO School Process Information related to an analysis of existing personnel focused on helping English Language Learners (ELLs) work toward attaining proficiency

School Process Information uncovered by an analysis of curriculum alignment, instructional materials, instructional strategies, reform strategies, and/or extended learning opportunities

Ready Schools Inventory/Ready Schools Plan (http://www.ncreadyschools.org)

Title I AYP (http://ayp.ncpublicschools.org)

Healthy Active Children Initiative (http://www.nchealthyschools.org)

EVAAS (https://ncdpi.sas.com/)

2013 School Safety Act - North Carolina Senate Bill 589 (http://www.ncleg.net/Sessions/2013/Bills/Senate/PDF/S589v1.pdf)

North Carolina General Statute 115C-105.27 Scroll down to 115C-105.27 - Development and approval of school improvement plans.

SOUTHERN GUILFORD MIDDLE-SIP Budget Update #1						
ACCOUNT NAME	BUDGET CODE	BUDGET	ENCUMBERED	PAID	BALANCE	
SALARY - SOCIAL WORKER	3-5320-050-131	5,830.00		2,250.40	3,579.60	
PAYROLL - BONUS PAYMENT 5320	3-5320-050-180	75.00		0.00	75.00	
PAYROLL - SUPPLEMENTARY PAY 5320	3-5320-050-181	573.50		222.00	351.50	
PAYROLL - LONGEVITY PAY 5320	3-5320-050-184	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - SOCIAL SECURITY/FICA 5320 PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5320	3-5320-050-211 3-5320-050-221	495.62 973.97		189.16 381.37	306.46 592.60	
PAYROLL - HOSPITALIZATION INS. 5320	3-5320-050-231	537.80		0.00	537.80	
SALARY - TEACHER	3-5330-050-121	34,980.00		14,000.00	20,980.00	
SALARY - NEW EMPLOYEE ORIENTATION	3-5330-050-125	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
SALARY - CURRICULUM FACILITATOR	3-5330-050-135	0.00		0.00	0.00	
SALARY - TEACHER ASSISTANT SALARY - DAYTIME TUTOR	3-5330-050-142 3-5330-050-143	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
SALARY - TRANSLATOR/INTERPRETER	3-5330-050-143	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
SALARY - SUBSTITUTE PAY	3-5330-050-162	928.90		0.00	928.90	
SALARY - SUBSTITUTE PAY FOR STAFF DEVELOPMENT	3-5330-050-163	2,786.80		789.00	1,997.80	
PAYROLL - BONUS PAYMENT 5330	3-5330-050-180	750.00		0.00	750.00	
PAYROLL - SUPPLEMENTARY PAY 5330	3-5330-050-181	4,611.00		1,740.00	2,871.00	
PAYROLL - LONGEVITY PAY 5330 SALARY - OTHER ASSIGNMENTS (EEA) CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT	3-5330-050-184 3-5330-050-191	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
STAFF DEVELOPMENT PARTICIPANT STIPEND	3-5330-050-196	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
STAFF DEVELOPMENT INSTRUCTOR STIPEND	3-5330-050-197	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - SOCIAL SECURITY/FICA 5330	3-5330-050-211	3,370.34		1,246.76	2,123.58	
PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5330	3-5330-050-221	6,021.79		2,411.36	3,610.43	
PAYROLL - HOSPITALIZATION INS. 5330	3-5330-050-231	5,378.00	0.00	1,792.48	3,585.52	
CONTRACTED SERVICES STAFF DEVELOPMENT/WORKSHOP EXPENSES	3-5330-050-311 3-5330-050-312	0.00 4,690.53	0.00 1,105.33	0.00	0.00 3,585.20	
ADVERTISING EXPENSE	3-5330-050-312	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PRINTING & BINDING FEES	3-5330-050-314	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
FIELD TRIPS	3-5330-050-333	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
TUITION FEES	3-5330-050-352	537.11	0.00	0.00	537.11	
MEMBERSHIP DUES & FEES SUPPLIES & MATERIALS	3-5330-050-361	1,200.00	1,085.00 6,801.09	0.00	115.00	
LIBRARY BOOKS	3-5330-050-411 3-5330-050-414	6,807.16	0.00	0.00	6.07 0.00	
COMPUTER SOFTWARE & SUPPLIES	3-5330-050-418	34.47	0.00	0.00	34.47	
FURNITURE & EQUIPMENT	3-5330-050-461	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
COMPUTER EQUIPMENT	3-5330-050-462	2,965.53	2,965.53	0.00	0.00	
FURNITURE & EQUIPMENT - CAPITALIZED	3-5330-050-541	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
COMPUTER HARDWARE - CAPITALIZED SUMMER SCHOOL/KINDERCAMP/K HOME VISITS	3-5330-050-542 3-5350-050-121	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
SALARY - ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES (EEA)	3-5350-050-121	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
SALARY - TUTOR (AFTER HOURS)	3-5350-050-198	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - SOCIAL SECURITY/FIĆA 5350	3-5350-050-211	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5350	3-5350-050-221	0.00		0.00	0.00	
SALARY - GUIDANCE COUNSELOR	3-5830-050-131	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - SUPPLEMENTARY PAY 5830 PAYROLL - LONGEVITY PAY 5830	3-5830-050-181 3-5830-050-184	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - SOCIAL SECURITY/FICA 5830	3-5830-050-211	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5830	3-5830-050-221	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - HOSPITALIZATION INS. 5830	3-5830-050-231	0.00		0.00	0.00	
SALARY - TECHNOLOGY ASSISTANT	3-5860-050-146	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - LONGEVITY PAY 5860	3-5860-050-184	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - SOCIAL SECURITY/FICA 5860 PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5860	3-5860-050-211 3-5860-050-221	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5000 PAYROLL - HOSPITALIZATION INS. 5860	3-5860-050-221	0.00		0.00	0.00	
SALARY - PARENT INV./CIS/YOUTH COORDINATOR	3-5880-050-146	24,662.30		7,035.00	17,627.30	
PAYROLL - BONUS PAYMENT 5880	3-5880-050-180	750.00		0.00	750.00	
PAYROLL - LONGEVITY PAY 5880	3-5880-050-184	0.00		0.00	0.00	
PARENT DEVELOPMENT - INSTRUCTOR STIPEND	3-5880-050-197	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PAYROLL - SOCIAL SECURITY/FICA 5880 PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5880	3-5880-050-211 3-5880-050-221	1,944.04 3,751.14		538.17 1,077.75	1,405.87 2,673.39	
PAYROLL - RETIREMENT 5880 PAYROLL - HOSPITALIZATION INS. 5880	3-5880-050-221	5,378.00		1,344.36	4,033.64	
PARENT INVOLVEMENT - CONTRACTED SERVICES	3-5880-050-311	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PARENT - PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT	3-5880-050-312	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PARENT - POSTAGE	3-5880-050-342	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PARENT - SUPPLIES & MATERIALS	3-5880-050-411	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
PARENT - OTHER FOOD PURCHASES PUPIL TRANSPORTATION - CONTRACTED	3-5880-050-459	3,077.87	500.00 0.00	0.00	2,577.87 0.00	
	3-6550-050-331	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
TOTAL	. 64	123,110.87	12,456.95	35,017.81	75,636.11	
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PAYROLL TOTALS	44	103,798.20	0.00	35,017.81	68,780.39	
NON-PAYROLL TOTALS TOTAL	20 . 64	19,312.67 123,110.87	12,456.95 12,456.95	0.00 35,017.81	6,855.72 75,636.11	
	. 04	120,110.07	12,400.90	55,017.01	10,000.11	