ÉCOLE MILLIDGEVILLE NORTH SCHOOL POSITIVE LEARNING & WORKING ENVIORNMENT PLAN (2009 – 2012)



"A Community of Learners"

Une communauté d'apprenants

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT

Dist. # 8 Goals 2007 - 2010	ÉMNS Goals 2009 - 2012	Strategies	Lead Responsibility	Time Line	Indicators of Success
• Establish Community Schools	• Increase communication regarding academic expectations & assessment	 Have a school bus run for parents on those nights (e.g. parent teacher mtg.) without transportation Carpool system for parents who don't have a means of transportation 	PSSC, Home and School committees, staff, administration, and students	• Pilot it in 2009 -2010	• Collect data after first parent/teacher interviews and celebration nights and then compare this data collected after the second parent/teacher night
Provide a safe and orderly environment for teaching and learning as measured by various data (i.e. behavior tracking, guidance referrals, parent involvement)	• Increase parent participation at meet the teacher night and parent/teacher interviews and school celebration	 Having a celebration night (e.g. science fair, literacy fair, & math fair) all on the same night, with a potluck, prizes, & draws Home and School Assoc. & PSSC to help organize 	• In order to increase communication grade teams are to co-ordinate and communicate expectations to parents	• improve on it in subsequent years	• Collect data after first parent/teacher interviews and celebration nights and then compare this data collected after the second parent/teacher night

POSITIVE LEARNING & WORKING ENVIRONMENT

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 Provide a safe and orderly environment for teaching and learning as measured by various data (behavior tracking, guidance referrals, parental involvement) 	Same as District but without guidance referrals and parent involvement	 Use behavior tracking data to identify and address areas of concern Clear response by supervising teacher and administrator involvement when requested by referring teacher. Pyramid of Interventions 	• Administration, team leaders, homeroom teachers, specialists	• Year 1 - 3	 Fewer green sheets Fewer students in the office Improved school climate (e.g. behavior)
Promote active and healthy lifestyles	Promote active and healthy lifestyles.	 Provide classroom snacks for our 3 – 8 students who don't have them. Daily physical activity Two hours of Phys Education per week Sobeys & Superstore nutritional dietician Posted graphical representation of healthy snacks & Canada's Food Guide posted 	Administration, teachers and parent volunteers	• Year 1 - 3	 Students paying more attention in class Increased attendance rates Students are less lethargic Increased participation in PE class Increased awareness of healthy eating. Increased level of self-esteem
•	• Reinforce & promote a culture of appreciation for both French & English	Announcements (e.g. National Anthem) Buddy Classrooms	• Staff	• 3 Year	Demonstrated awareness and appreciation for distinct identities (e.g. improved citizenship)

SCHOOL CLIMATE

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 Create healthy and safe 	Celebrate successes	Students work & photos of	Teams/teacher	• 1Year	Student/parent feedback
schools		extracurricular activities			regarding positive school climate
		displayed throughout the			
 Provide a safe and orderly 		school	Tech club	• 1 Year	Evidence of current work in
environment					hallways
		 Create a variety of clubs 			
 Establish and reinforce 			Admin/Spam	• 1 Year	Creation of tech club
school routines (ie. Walking		 Assemblies to help build 			
in hallways)		community within the school	 Volunteers/teachers 		 Photos and videos of activities
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		• "Pat on the Backs", Shining			
		Stars, Student of the month			
Create healthy and safe	• Increased communication:	• Events board for each block	Celebrate Committee with	• 2 Years	Feedback
schools	→ monthly board outside staff	(updated weekly)	input from staff		
	room which is updated weekly		Teachers		Increased participation
 Provide a safe and orderly 	→ boards in each block	Announcements to become	 Administrators, secretaries 		
environment	→ all teachers updating the	louder, clearer. Use of			
	portal with events they lead	individual classroom			
	→ development of school	announcements.			
	handbook for families and				
	new staff				

 Create healthy and safe 	Physical Environment	Navigation of school:	 Administration, teachers, 	• 3 Years	 People stop asking how to get
schools			support staff & facilities staff		somewhere
	 Staff Bathroom located 	→ increased signage			
 Provide a safe and orderly 	within a reasonable distance	→ color coded maps			
environment	for all teachers	→ colored stripes on floor			
		leading to each block			
	• P.A. system where staff can				
	contact office and vice-versa				