Partnering for Success to Foster School Improvement

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Our Mission:

The Department of Research, Assessment, and Accountability provides information to inform policy and support high standards to continually improve student achievement and opportunities throughout Katy ISD’s Pre-K-12 education system.

The Department believes that students have the right to an education uniquely suited to their needs, interests and abilities. Katy ISD utilizes comprehensive assessment programs, which are an essential part of the total educational program offered to students.

The results are used for district and campus improvement planning, professional development, evaluation, identification for special programs, and individual student use.
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What We Do?

The Department consistently supports the school improvement efforts through a comprehensive system of data processes.

· Developing a comprehensive school improvement program.
· Data Analysis of state and local assessments.
· Design and conduct professional development activities in support of the school improvement process.
· Lead and coordinate training for state and federal accountability programs.
“ALONE WE CAN DO SO LITTLE; TOGETHER WE CAN DO SO MUCH.”
- Helen Keller
District Support

- District Needs Assessment
- Performance Based Monitoring
  - PBMAS (plan, implementation and monitoring)
- Collaboration with district level departments
  - Curriculum and Instruction
    - Special Education
    - Office of Other Languages
- Facilitation of district level data discussion
  - Accountability
  - Assessment
- District led professional development
- Homeowners and Community Events
Campus Support

Meetings with:

- Area Superintendents
- Campus Principals
- Assistant Principals
- Instructional Coaches
- Teacher Teams
Campus Support

Beginning of the Year

- Accountability Review/Updates
- Setting Campus Improvement Goals
- District and Campus Data Analysis
- Administrative Data Meetings
Campus Support

Middle of the Year

- Assist with Creating Quality Assessments Toolkits
- Ongoing Data Analysis with Local Assessments for Instructional Impact
- STAAR4ward webinars (ongoing)
- Predictive Analysis
- Data Analysis for Intervention Purposes
Campus Support

End of Year/ Summer

- Goal setting and targeted PD for next school year
- PD on using Data to Impact Instruction
- District and Campus Data Data Analysis
In Summary

Through collaborative efforts, the school improvement team provides quality internal and external customer service to improve professional and student learning for continual progress and achievement.

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