

## PLC Norms 2017-2018

- Meet in Liz's room by 11:40
- Come prepared with data/materials
- Share ideas/methods from teaching
- Keep multitasking to a minimum (Be present)
  - Everyone's ideas matter
    - Stay on task/topic
  - Keep a running agenda

## PLC Commitments 2017-2018

- We commit to be transparent and honest about our student's data and ourselves
- We commit on relying on data for teaching methods/ tutorials/ student placement
- We commit to be present physically and mentally during PLC time

## 6th grade ELA SMART Goal Worksheet

| School: Kirksey Middle School  |  | Team Name: 6th Grade ELA PLC |                         |   |
|--|--|------------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| Team Members: Liz McDowell, April Teague, Lindsey Taylor, Sarah McMichael, Tollie Lancaster, Paula Brooks  |  |                              |                         |   |
| <p><b>SCHOOL GOAL:</b> <i>KMS will raise the number of ELL students in the high growth category by 10% in Reading, Math, and Science.</i></p> <p><b>GOAL for ELL</b></p> <p>Reading - 26% to 36%</p> <p>Math - 21% to 31%</p> <p>Science - 33% to 43%</p> <p>These numbers reflect a 10% increase in student in the high growth category.</p>  |  |                              |                         |   |
| Team Smart Goal  | Strategies and Action Steps  | Who Is Responsible           | Target Date or Timeline | Evidence of Effectiveness                   |
| <p><b>Current Reality</b><br/>Based on the 2016-2017 Aspire Summative, 24.44% of 6th grade ELLs in our PLC are in the high growth category, 53.89% are in the average category and 21.67% are in the low category.</p> <p><b>Smart Goal</b>-6th-grade ELA PLC will raise the # of ELL students in the high growth category on the Reading portion of the ACT Aspire by 10% through focusing on the Craft and Structure. This will mean that we will increase our ELLs in the high category from 24% to 34%</p> | Tutorials to target craft and structure  | PLC teachers                 | All year long           | CFA's, Classroom assessments, map testing   |
|  | Building-wide reading and vocabulary plan  | KMS staff                    | Weekly/quarterly/yearly | Conferences, CFA's, summatives, map testing |
|  | Reading strategy goal setting  | Reading teachers             | Weekly/quarterly/yearly | Conferences, summatives, map testing        |
|  | Support integrating craft and structure questions into all subject areas <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Monthly bring examples of craft and structure question to team time and support to implement into lessons</li> </ul> | All teachers besides math    | All year long           | CFA's, Classroom assessments, map testing   |

## **6th Grade ELA Agenda**

### **PLC Norms**

**November 1st- Give power outline and make a quick yes, no list**  
**Come on November 2nd to place kids**

**November 8th and 9th-**

**Based on CFA's: Power outline, Claim, Evidence.**

**ALWAYS tutorials: Thinking While Reading (close reading),**  
**enrichment reading/writing**

### **Thursday, October 12**

- Inputting data into spreadsheet?
- Teacher book recommendations

### **Tuesday, October 10**

- Discuss CFA
- Tutorials

### **Thursday, October 5th**

-- High/low tutorials

--Discuss a day that back to back all reading classes could go to the library.

### **Important Upcoming Dates**

Oct 10th- Thank you Ma'am Assessment graded and bring to discuss them

Oct 13th- Fluency Testing Done

Oct 13th- end of 1st quarter

Oct 17 and 18th- Library Days

Oct 19th reading incentive outside all period (those that do not reach goal)

### **Tuesday, September 26th**

- Grading reading CFA and when to bring data to PLC
- Assessing phonics kids
- [English CFA data analysis tool](#)

### **Thursday, September 21st**

- Heritage fair?- with cultural night, concert (December)
  - English: 6 word memoir, bio poem, paragraph, picture w/ caption
  - Reading: page with words about you, book spines
  - Grading for reading CFA
  - Plan CFA's for English- [grade english CFA--](#)
- 1- pictures do not make sense 2- pictures/senses go with somewh  
3- pictures go with story/ senses are used to deepen
- Discuss when to test kids for reading for phonics

### **Thursday, September 14th**

- Discuss Valerie's Tutorial
- Plan CFA's

### **Tuesday, September 12th**

- Plan Iqbal rotation

- Discuss [CER](#) vs ACE
- Discuss MAP testing
- Reminder:vocab plans starts with English Next week
- Tutorials
- Scheduling speaker for reading classes
- Reading assessment (3 minute book?)
- Smart Goal?
- Reading rocket poster

### **Tuesday, August 22nd**

- Create norms and commitments
- Bring data from Maze next Tuesday (August 29th)

### **Wednesday, August 23rd (after school)**

- Share where resources can be found
- Explain and answer questions about Maze
- Explain reading incentive and how it works in 6th grade

### **Thursday, August 24th**

- Jazzy cookie- how much is needed?
- Date for Iqbal speaker (Canopy NWA)- Sept 11-15???

### **Tuesday, August 29th**

- Bring data from Maze to analyze
- Reading rocket strategies to discuss

### **Tuesday, August 12th**

- Tutorials
- Need more Iqbal books?
- Scheduling speaker for reading classes
- Reading assessment (3 minute book?)
- Smart Goal?