Mission Statement

We yill york vogewher vo proxide all swwdenvs yivh a wniqwe learning ezperience, in a safe and swpporvixe learning enxironmenv, whav promoves self-discipline, encowrages collaboravion, and embraces a dixerse learning commwniv {.

Vision

The xision of NSMS is vo proxide sywdenys a qwaliv{ edwcavion vo swsvain a swccessfwl and prodwcvixe life.

Campus Profile

Campus History

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Where We Are Now:

Norvh Shore Middle School is one of 26 campwses in Galena Park Independent School District. Norvh Shore Middle School opened its doors in 1956 on Holl Park St. and later moxed into the current campus located at the inversection of Wallisxille and Castlegor Rd. in 1994. North Shore Middle school serxes a predominant population of log to middle-class families.

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Comprehensive Needs Assessment

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Revised/Approved: July 18, 2022

Demographics Summary

Galena Park ISD's Norvh Shore Middle School serxes approzimavel { 1400 swwdenvs in grades 7 and 8. Norvh Shore Middle School opened ivs doors vo swwdenvs for vhe firsv vime in 1956 as Norvh Shore Jwnior High School. In 1979, Norvh Shore Jwnior High School y as renamed Norvh Shore Middle School. Norvh Shore Middle School has had sexen principals: Mr. Roberv Clowd (1956-1983), Mr. Ra{mond Kilgo (1983-1998), Mr. Pawl Drezler (1998-2014), Mr. Brew Lalor (2014-2016), Mr. James Cline (2016-2018), and vhe cwrrenv principal, Dr. Chrisvopher Eckford (2018 - Presenv). Norvh Shore Middle School serxes man{ special popwlavions of swwdenvs from 7vh and 8vh grade, specificall{ EL, Life Skills swwdenvs %

- Ezperienced veachers yivh Masverøs degrees: 7.8% higher vhan vhe svave percenvage
- Norvh Shore Middle School convinwes vo swpporv a dixerse sev of learners and swwdenv popwlavions

Problem Statements Identifying Demographics Needs

Problem Statement 1: We will work to resolve tardy and absences issues in order to improve student potential for academic growth and success. **Root Cause:** Students have no sense of urgency in regards to the tardy bell and it seems that teachers are not consistent with discipline for this action.

Problem Statement 2: We will work to diversify the representation of the campus personnel to reflect the student population. **Root Cause:** Teachers are not as prepared for the needs of the campus demographics (depending on students and the limit of bilingual teachers) and the campus doesn't hire bilingual and Hispanic representation.

Problem Statement 3: We will work to enhance and educate the parental community on how to successfully navigate our main computer programs. (Google Classroom, Skyward, Classlink, etc.) **Root Cause:** There is a large language barrier between the staff and parents. Students use this gap to misinform or not show their parents access to their schoolwork for obvious reasons. The parent's lack of knowledge in this area cause problems for teacher's and their validity in incomplete work and grade failure reports.

Student Learning Summary

	Approaches	Meets	Masters
2019 STAAR	76%	46%	20%
2021 STAAR	57%	31%	13%
2022 STAAR	72%	43%	32%

Problem Statement 2: Writing comprehension skills need to be implemented across campus in all classrooms and content areas to increase student exposure and practice with consistent processes. **Root Cause:** There is a lack of practice writing at home, a lack of vocabulary, a lack of consistent writing across the campus, a lack of background information, students need more practice with linguistic acquisition, there is a lack of accountability, students have a dependence on technology (watching video tutorials instead of reading

School Processes & Programs Summary

Norvh Shore Middle School and Galena Park ISD swpporv ney veachers and revwrning veachers yivh insvrwcvion and operavions vhrowgh xariows professional dexelopmenv sessions aver whe beginning of vhe {ear and vhrowghows whe {ear. As a campus, veachers are encowraged vo become insvrwcvional leaders yivhin vheir department vhrowghous and veams. Their roles and responsibilities are clearl {communicated. Norvh Shore Middle School foctors on improxement vhrowgh vhe wvili | avion of sexeral committees and department, swch as owr Fowndavions committee, CPAC committees, Swedent Engagement Committees, and all of the xariows departments and grade-lexel veams.

Norvh Shore Middle School offers a xariev of ezvracwrricwlar acvixivies vhav help veachers and svwdenvs feel a parv of vhe campws. Norvh Shore Middle School offers robwsv programs vo swpporv svwdenvs in special edwcavion, bilingwal/ESL, gifved and valenved, d{slezia, and Career and Technical edwcavion. All 8vh-grade svwdenvs also vake a College and Career

Perceptions Summary

North Shore Middle School strives to foster an academic environment that is safe, comfortable, and tolerant of all people regardless of race, gender, or other discerning characteristics. In order to maintain a safe school climate and inclusive culture, the school has implemented a number of strategies to educate and promote positive and respectful behavior through engaging instruction and campus programming that enhances student life.

North Shore Middle continues to take a strong stance against bullying and harassing behavior both on and off school campus that would cause any person to feel unsafe or uncomfortable while on campus. This type of behavior includes actions taken in school, on school buses, at school-sponsored activities, on and off school property, electronically

engagement is the inability to communicate (language barrier) between a majority of the staff and majority of the parents.

Problem Statement 2: NSMS has a large number of repeat offenders of school policies and procedures **Root Cause:** Recidivism is often the result of weak relationships between student and staff members

Priority Problem Statements

Comprehensive Needs Assessment Data Documentation

The following data were used to verify the comprehensive needs assessment analysis:

Improvement Planning Data

- Campus goals
- Campus/District improvement plans (current and prior years)
- Covid-19 Factors and/or waivers for Assessment, Accountability, ESSA, Missed School Days, Educator Appraisals, etc.

Accountability Data

- Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR) data
- Student Achievement Domain
- Student Progress Domain

Student Data: Assessments

- State and federally required assessment information
- STAAR current and longitudinal results, including all versions

Goals

I qcn"3< Mental, Physical, and Emotional Safety and Health for all Students and Staff

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3< Teach safety practices and protocols to 100% of students and staff

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Strategy 5 Details	Reviews
Strategy 5: Recognize the kids who demonstrate monthly character traits taught through Character Strong Lessons provided by the district. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact:	

I qcn"4< Student Achievement and Post-Secondary Readiness

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3<

I qcn"4< Student Achievement and Post-Secondary Readiness

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"5< Improve state test scores in all categories

Evaluation Data Sources: None

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	views	
Strategy 1: Implement research-based strategies for all content areas, with the goal of enhancing our instruction to mirror		Formative		Summative
real-world scenarios, so that student learning will continually improve based on a score of 50% or higher on assessments.	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase student performance Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers				
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Strategy 2 Details		Re	views	<u>'</u>
Strategy 2: Provide training to all teachers that work with special education students in a co-teach setting for the purpose of		Formative		Summative
increasing special education performance in the areas of meets and growth on STAAR.	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improve special education student performance on assessments				
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus & District Administration				
Strategy 3 Details	Reviews			
Strategy 3: Provide teachers with a sufficient amount of time to plan (e.g. common planning time/PLC).	Formative			Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Student centered plans developed to increase student achievement Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Master Schedule Administrator & Instructional Specialist	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Strategy 4 Details		Rev	views	
Strategy 4: Use data driven decision making to drive instruction		Formative		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in meets and masters performance	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Administrators, Instructional Specialist, & Teachers				
Strategy 5 Details		Rev	<u> </u> views	
Strategy 5: Campus instructional leaders use consistent written protocols and processes to lead their department, grade		Formative		Summative
evel teams, or other areas of responsibility.	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Lead team members use agendas and tracking tools for their instructional responsibilities including observation/ feedback cycles, PLCs, and data meetings.				
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Administrators, Instructional Specialist, & Teachers				

Strategy 11 Details Reviews				
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Formative

I qcn"4< Student Achievement and Post-Secondary Readiness

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"6< Increase the number of students who complete a Career and Technology Education (CTE) sequence of courses

Evaluation Data Sources: None

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews			
Strategy 1: Complete four year personal graduation plans (PGPs) on all 8th grade students.		Formative		Summative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All 8th grade students will have a plan for a CTE sequence of courses.	Sept	Dec	Feb	May	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: 8th Grade Counselor Master Schedule Administrator					
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I qcn"4< Student Achievement and Post-Secondary Readiness

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"7< Increase promotion and graduation rates

Evaluation Data Sources: None

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews			
Strategy 1: Facilitate and implement truancy prevention programs with fidelity.	Formative Summ			Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased student attendance	Sept	Dec		
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administrators using the Raa Wee System Attendance Clerk				J

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3<

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"4< Increase participation and performance in high quality fine arts programs in music, art, theatre and dance

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews			
Strategy 1: Focus on increased participation and continued improvement in UIL Fine Arts events	Formative Su			Summative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased participation and improved results in UIL Fine Arts events Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal & Fine Arts Coaches	Sept	Dec	Feb	May	
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify	X Discon	tinue			

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"5< Track regional labor demands to adjust/facilitate changes in GPISD Programs of Study (POS) offerings	

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"6< NSMS will conduct annual literacy night to welcome and educate our student and parent community.

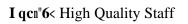
Evaluation Data Sources: None

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 1: Librarian and other participating staff will develop information and stations to facilitate our annual literacy		Formative		Summative
night. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: To promote literacy and educate our student and parent community. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal and Librarian	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify	X Discon	tinue		

I qcn"6< High Quality Staff

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3< Increase employee retention by 1% by recruiting, developing and supporting highly qualified staff

Strategy 1 Details			Revi	iews	
Strategy 1: Monthly Pow-Wow meetings for new teachers with assigned mentors.			Formative		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in new teacher retention.			Dec	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Lead Teacher Mentor & Assistant Principal					
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify	у 🗙	Discont	inue		



I qcn"6< High Quality Staff

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"5< Provide training to selected employees in order to prepare them for advancement

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 1: Ensure staff members are provided with professional development opportunities to increase and support job performance and staff retention.		Formative St		
		Dec	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improvement in instruction and on TTESS ratings Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administrators				
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify	X Discon	tinue		

I qcn"6< High Quality Staff

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"6< Survey staff annually on professional development needs

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 1: Provide professional development needs assessment survey to all staff.		Formative		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Provide data on employee professional development needs/wants to appropriate staff members for planning. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal		Dec	Feb	May
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify	X Discon	tinue		

I qci"7< Excellent Operational and Fiscal Support and Responsibility

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3< Ensure efficient and effective use of District resources in order to best support students and staff

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 1: Analyze the campus budget weekly to ensure funds are being spent efficiently.		Formative		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Maintain a positive campus budget	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal				
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify	X Discon	ntinue		

I qci"7< Excellent Operational and Fiscal Support and Responsibility

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"4< Ensure fiscal soundness in future years and maintain organizational capacity sufficient to support progress towards fulfilling the District mission

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 1: Maintain campus budget to meet the yearly needs of campus.		Formative		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: None	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal				
No Progress Accomplished Continue/Modify	X Discor	ntinue		

I qcn"8< Parent and Community Engagement

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3< Social and Emotional support for students

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 1: NSMS will provide social and emotional support for students through parental involvement opportunities.	Formative Su		Summative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: NSMS will increase parental participation by offering monthly meetings and events that foster emotional stability at home and school.		Dec	Feb	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Parent Involvement Coordinator (Counselor) & CIS Crisis Intervention Specialist				

I qcn"9< Teacher Leadership and Decision-Making

Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3< Teachers will be included in decision-making as an integral part of campus leadership.

Strategy 1 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 1: A committee of teachers will be formed that can give feedback and participate in decision-making.	Formative Sun		Summative	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers, Admin.	Sept	Dec	Feb	May
Strategy 2 Details		Rev	iews	
Strategy 2: Utilize and consult with team leaders, BUILD committee, and Hall Captains on a regular basis.		Formative		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased teacher participation in campus-wide matters.		Dec	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Teachers, Admin.				
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify	X Discor	ntinue		

I qcn": Communication will be sent out in a respectful and timely manner. Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"3< Timely Communication: weekly advance notice or meetings/deadlines, monthly calendar/newsletter of upcoming dates/meetings Rgthqt o cpeg"Qdlgevkxg"4< Respectful Communication: Communication will have a professional and friendly tone to promote positivity.

I qcn": Communication will be sent out in a respectful and timely manner.

I qcn"; < All teachers will be on board with enforcing procedures campus w	vide that include a cell phone policy that ensures student safety and efficient

