# Sanford Middle School

#### nvironment

### Critical Initiative

Develop and implement well-defined schoolwide rules, routines, and procedures (HRS 1.2)

### Objective:

Establish a safe and supportive culture

#### **Evidence-Based Practice Citation**

Marzano, R. J., Warrick, P.B., Rains, C.R., & DuFour, R. (2018). Leading a high reliability school. Solution Tree.

### **Activity**

Develop/implement schoolwide hallway procedures

Person responsible: Faculty		<b>Launch Date:</b> 08/03/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff time	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
hallway procedure posters	Benchmark: Schoolwide hallway procedures developed, posted in hallways, and enforced	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024

# <u>Activity</u>

Ensure staff show up for supervision duty

Person responsible: Administrators		Launch Date: 08/08/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: administrator time	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Supervision duty check by administrators	Benchmark: Administrators frequently checked if staff showed up on time for assigned supervision duty and addressed individual members when there was a problem	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024

# **Activity**

Ensure grade level rules are consistent & enforced

<b>Person responsible:</b> Administrators, Teachers		<b>Launch Date:</b> 08/08/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff time	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Classroom rules and procedures posted in rooms	Benchmark: Each grade level developed classroom rules and procedures and consistently enforced them with students	Date: 05/24/2024
	Benchmark: Classroom rules and procedures were communicated to parents	Date: 05/24/2024

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Engage parents and the community regarding school safety issues (HRS 1.2)

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### **Activity**

Communicate school procedures & emerg. management

<b>Person responsible:</b> Administrators, Teachers		<b>Launch Date:</b> 10/09/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource:	Source of Funding: No addition	al funds required
Other Resource: staff time	<b>6</b>	
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Parent/community communication	Benchmark:	Date: 05/24/2024
	Parents/community received	
	clear communication	
	regarding school procedures	
	and emergency management	
	plans	

Involve parents/community in school initiatives

Person responsible: Administrators		<b>Launch Date:</b> 10/09/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff time	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Meeting notes	Benchmark: Parents/community members invited to provide input on school initiatives and how to create a safe and orderly school environment	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024

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Solicit stakeholder feedback on school safety issues (HRS 1.2)

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### **Activity**

Ask students to anonymously draw on school map

<b>Person responsible:</b> Administrators, Teachers		<b>Launch Date:</b> 10/09/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: HRS resources; student learning time	Source of Funding: No addition	nal funds required
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
School map with drawings	Benchmark: Students were asked each quarter to anonymously indicate on a school map where there were they did not feel safe	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024
	Benchmark: School leaders shared results with faculty and acted upon results	Date: 05/24/2024

Administer quick surveys to stakeholders

Person responsible: Administrators		<b>Launch Date:</b> 10/09/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: HRS book; administrator time	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Survey results	Benchmark: Frequently monitor the feelings of teachers, students, and parents regarding their feelings of safety through quick and anonymous surveys	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024
	Benchmark: Act upon survey results and share how the changes made based on the survey results	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024

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#### ation and Culture

### Critical Initiative

Provide supportive structures that help groups become teams and clarify the work teams must accomplish (HRS 1.4)

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Develop a collaborative culture

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### **Activity**

Establish PLC norms and purpose/objective

<b>Person responsible:</b> Administrators, Teachers		<b>Launch Date:</b> 09/26/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff time and expertise	Source of Funding: No addition	nal costs required
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Availability or copies of team norms and purpose/objective; teacher description of team norms and purpose/objective when asked	Benchmark: Collaborative team norms and purpose/objective established	Date: 09/29/2023
	Benchmark: Collaborative team norms and purpose/objective reviewed and honored during weekly meetings	Date: 05/24/2024

Implement the PLC Unit Planning Cycle

<b>Person responsible:</b> Administrators, Teachers		<b>Launch Date:</b> 09/26/2023
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff time and expertise	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Natural work products from steps in the PLC Unit Planning Cycle (e.g., formative assessments, student tasks, student data/work samples, data analysis); teacher description of specific academic intervention strategies implemented based on student data	Benchmark: Purpose of PLCs and collaborative teams defined	<b>Date:</b> 09/29/2023
	Benchmark: PLC Unit Planning Cycle discussed	<b>Date:</b> 09/29/2023
	Benchmark: Collaborative team tracking log discussed	<b>Date:</b> 09/29/2023
	Benchmark: Collaborative teams met weekly	Date: 05/24/2024
	Benchmark: Star MOY data discussed and analyzed	Date: 01/05/2024
	Benchmark: Spiral review for ACAP Summative planned	<b>Date:</b> 03/15/2024
	Benchmark: Star EOY data discussed and analyzed	<b>Date:</b> 05/16/2024

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Monitor teamwork to provide direction and support as needed and celebrate excellent practice (HRS 1.4)

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### **Activity**

School leaders review PLC Cycle artifacts

Person responsible: Administrators	<b>Launch Date:</b> 09/29/2023	
Required Resource(s):		
Financial Resource:	Source of Funding: No addition	onal funds required
<b>Other Resource:</b> administrator time and expertise		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
School leader log of when PLC Cycle	Benchmark: Tracking logs	Date: 05/24/2024
artifacts are checked	frequently checked by	
	administrators	

School leaders provide teachers with feedback

Person responsible: Administrators **Launch Date:** 09/26/2023 **Required Resource(s): Financial Resource:** 

Other Resource: administrator time and

expertise

Source of Funding: No additional funds required

**Activity Measure(s)** Benchmark(s)

School leader attendance and feedback in PLC Unit Planning Cycle tracking log

Benchmark: Feedback provided each time tracking logs are checked

Date: 05/24/2024

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### Critical Initiative

Develop and communicate a written document articulating the schoolwide model of instruction (HRS 2.1)

### Objective:

Ensure effective teaching in every classroom

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### **Activity**

School leaders identify instructional practices

Person responsible: School Leadership Team		<b>Launch Date:</b> 11/01/2023
Required Resource(s):		
Financial Resource:	Source of Funding: No addition	onal funds required
Other Resource: school leader time and		
expertise		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Discussion notes	Benchmark: Instructional	Date: 11/17/2023
	practices that lead to high	
	student achievement are	
	identified and a common	
	language is developed	

School leaders share and discuss model w/ faculty

Person responsible: School Leadership Team	<b>Launch Date:</b> 11/20/2023	
Required Resource(s):		
Financial Resource:	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Other Resource: staff time and expertise		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
Meeting agenda	Benchmark: Instructional practices and common	Date: 11/30/2023
	language are discussed with the faculty	

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### Critical Initiative

Implement high impact instructional strategies (HRS 2.1)

### Objective:

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### **Activity**

Establish rules and procedures (Element 33)

Person responsible: Teachers	<b>Launch Date:</b> 10/09/2023		
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff expertise; NASOT Element 33 materials	Source of Funding: No additional funds required		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)		
Classroom observation data	Benchmark: At least 50% of observed students could describe established rules and procedures, regulated their behavior, and described the classroom as orderly	<b>Date:</b> 11/30/2023	
	Benchmark: Classroom observation data indicated that the instructional practice was successfully implemented in all classrooms	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024	

React when students are not engaged (Element 23)

Person responsible: Teachers	<b>Launch Date:</b> 12/01/2023		
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff time and expertise; NASOT Element 23 materials  Activity Measure(s)  Classroom observation data	Source of Funding: No additional funds required		
	Benchmark(s)		
	Benchmark: At least 50% of observed students appeared aware that the teacher noticed their engagement and tried to increased their engagement levels	<b>Date:</b> 01/31/2024	
	Benchmark: When asked, at least 50% of observed students could explain that the teacher expected high engagement levels	Date: 01/31/2024	
	Benchmark: Classroom observation data indicated that the instructional practice was successfully implemented in all classrooms	<b>Date:</b> 05/24/2024	

# <u>Activity</u>

Track student progress (Element 2)

Person responsible: Teachers		<b>Launch Date:</b> 02/01/2024	
Required Resource(s): Financial Resource: Other Resource: staff expertise; NASOT Element 2 materials	Source of Funding: No additional costs required		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)		
Classroom observation data	Benchmark: At least 50% of observed students described how they have progressed on a particular proficiency scale	Date: 02/29/2024	
	Benchmark: At least 50% of observed students described what they need to do to get to the next level of performance on a particular proficiency scale	Date: 03/01/2024	
	Benchmark: Classroom observation data indicated that the instructional practice was successfully implemented in all classrooms	Date: 05/24/2024	

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### Critical Initiative

Provide teachers with professional learning opportunities to learn about the schoolwide model of instruction/high impact instructional strategies (HRS 2.1)

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### **Activity**

Implement PD - establishing rules and procedures

<b>Person responsible:</b> Administrators, Teacher Leaders		<b>Launch Date:</b> 10/09/2023
Required Resource(s):		
Financial Resource:	Source of Funding: No additional funds required	
Other Resource: staff time and expertise;		
NASOT Element 33 materials		
Activity Measure(s)	Benchmark(s)	
PD materials and sign-in sheet	Benchmark: Job-embedded	Date: 11/30/2023
	and ongoing professional	
	learning implemented that	
	focused on establishing rules	
	and procedures	

Implement PD - reacting to students not engaged

Person responsible: Administrators, Teacher Launch Date: 12/01/2023

Leaders

**Required Resource(s):** 

**Financial Resource:** 

Other Resource: staff time and expertise;

NASOT Element 23 materials

Source of Funding: No additional costs required

**Activity Measure(s)** 

PD materials and sign-in sheet

Benchmark: Job-embedded and ongoing PL implemented that focused on noticing and

Benchmark(s)

reacting when students are

not engaged

Date: 01/31/2024

**Activity** 

Implement PD - tracking student progress

Person responsible: Implement PD - tracking

student progress

**Financial Resource:** 

Other Resource: staff time and expertise;

**Required Resource(s):** 

NASOT Element 2 materials

Source of Funding: No additional funds required

**Activity Measure(s)** 

PD materials and sign-in sheet

Benchmark: Job-embedded and ongoing professional learning implemented that focused on tracking student

Benchmark(s)

progress

Date: 03/01/2024

**Launch Date:** 02/01/2024