# Dingman-Delaware Primary Sch

Schoolwide Title 1 School Plan | 2025 - 2026

## **Profile and Plan Essentials**

School		AUN/Branch		
Dingman-Delaware Primary Sch		120522003	120522003	
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## **Vision for Learning**

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Delaware Valley School District, in partnership with our community, stands committed to maximizing student potential, fostering life-long learning and promoting responsible citizenship. Delaware Valley School District – Educating for Life's Journey

## **Future Ready PA Index**

Select the grade levels served by your school. Select all that apply.

True K	True 1	True 2	False 3	False 4	False 5	False 6
False 7	False 8	False 9	False 10	False 11	False 12	

#### **Review of the School Level Performance**

## **Strengths**

Indicator	Comments/Notable Observations
Regular Attendance	All student group regular attendance went from 60% last year to 73% this year.

## Challenges

Indicator	Comments/Notable Observations
Regular Student Attendance	All Student Group did not meet the statewide regular attendance goal.

## **Review of Grade Level(s) and Individual Student Group(s)**

## **Strengths**

Indicator Regular Student Attendance ESSA Student Subgroups African-American/Black, American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian (not Hispanic), Combined Ethnicity, Hawaiian Native/Pacific Islander, Hispanic, Multi-Racial (not Hispanic), White, Economically Disadvantaged, English Learners, Students with Disabilities	Comments/Notable Observations Every subgroup went up in percent of students with regular attendance.
Indicator	Comments/Notable Observations

ESSA Student Subgroups	
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### **Challenges**

Indicator	
Regular Student Attendance	Comments/Notable Observations
ESSA Student Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged has the lowest percentage of students with regular attendance at 68%.
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## **Summary**

#### **Strengths**

Review the strengths listed above and copy and paste 2-5 strengths which have had the most impact in improving your most pressing challenges.

Regular Attendance All student group regular attendance went from 60% last year to 73% this year.

Regular Student Attendance Every subgroup went up in percent of students with regular attendance.

#### **Challenges**

Review the challenges listed above and copy and paste 2-5 challenges if improved would have the most impact in achieving your Future Ready PA index targets.

All student group did not meet statewide regular attendance goal.

Regular Student Attendance Economically Disadvantaged has the lowest percentage of students with regular attendance at 68%.

#### **Local Assessment**

## **English Language Arts**

Data	Comments/Notable Observations
K DIBELS	Kindergarten DIBELS composite score 23/24 school year; 36% well below benchmark in the beginning of the year, 8%
composite score	well below benchmark in the middle of the year and 3% well below benchmark at the end of the year.
1 DIBELS	First Grade DIBELS composite score 23/24 school year; 22% well below benchmark in the beginning of the year, 15%
composite score	well below benchmark in the middle of the year and 4% well below benchmark at the end of the year.
2 DIBLES	Second Grade DIBELS composite score 23/24 school year; 20% well below benchmark in the beginning of the year, 13%
composite score	well below benchmark in the middle of the year and 11% well below benchmark at the end of the year.

## **English Language Arts Summary**

### **Strengths**

Significant reduction in students on DIBELS "Well Below Benchmark", there was a notable decline in the percentage of students scoring "Well Below Benchmark" from the beginning to the end of the year.

By the middle of the year, all grades showed substantial progress on DIBLES, with a significant drop in students at risk.

### **Challenges**

Second grade progress was slower at year-end on DIBELS, while K and 1st grade achieved remarkable reductions by the end of the year, second grade showed a smaller improvement. This indicates that older students may require more targeted or intensive support as literacy demands increase.

Initial high risk levels, at the start of the year, a significant portion of student in all grades on DIBELS were "Well Below Benchmark". This highlights a need for stronger foundational literacy skills before entering each grade level.

#### **Mathematics**

Data	Comments/Notable Observations
STAR Math 1st grade Winter	79% of students are at/above minimum proficiency. 5% require urgent intervention.
STAR Math 2nd grade Winter	65% of students are at/above minimum proficiency and 10% of students require urgent intervention.
Kindergarten IXL universal	A majority of K students performed on/above grade level, suggesting a relatively strong foundation in early
screener Winter	math concepts. The current curriculum is likely effective.

## **Mathematics Summary**

#### **Strengths**

The majority of Kindergarten and first grade students are performing at or above grade level indicates effective early math instruction.

There is actionable data present in second grade to support interventions.

#### **Challenges**

The percentages of students needing urgent interventions went from 5% in first grade to 10% in second grade. Some students are falling behind as they progress through grade levels, indicating a need for an early intervention system in math.

Notable drop from 79% to 65% of student achieving at or above minimum proficiency. Maintaining student achievement levels across grades is a challenge.

## Science, Technology, and Engineering Education

Data	Comments/Notable Observations	
Students have access to a science lab to complete STEAM kits	All students have an opportunity to utilize equipment and materials	
and science experiments that accompany the science curriculum.	aligned with PA STEELS standards in the DDPS science lab.	
Families participate in CTFAM pight	Families have the opportunity to delve deeply into the sciences along	
Families participate in STEAM night.	with their children at after school family engagement events.	
Student Grades	All students received A or B grade in science for Quarter 2	

## Science, Technology, and Engineering Education Summary

#### **Strengths**

Students have many opportunities to participate in STEAM activities through both the curriculum and family engagement activities.

Students have access to a fully equipped science lab at regularly scheduled intervals.

#### **Challenges**

Students may not have access to after school STEAM events due to lack of transportation or family work schedules.

Teachers need to continue professional learning activities so they can fully implement phenomena based learning in their classrooms and appropriately use the materials in the science labs.

#### **Related Academics**

#### **Career Readiness**

Data	Comments/Notable Observations
Participation in guidance classes at the K-2 level. These classes include: discussion,	All students have multiple opportunities to
story books, videos and games focusing on career education. This is written into our	participate in career readiness activities through the
K-2 guidance curricula.	implementation of DVSD's guidance curriculum.
Participation in "Safety Day". Local agencies were invited to come in and talk to the	
students about their roles in the community, the agencies included; police, fire, EMT,	If students were absent from school on this day,
and a special guest appearance by Smokey the Bear. This taught the students about	they could not attend the Safety Day.
community helpers and their important careers.	

## **Career and Technical Education (CTE) Programs**

True Career and Technical Education (CTE) Programs Omit

#### **Arts and Humanities**

True Arts and Humanities Omit

## **Environment and Ecology**

**True** Environment and Ecology Omit

## **Family and Consumer Sciences**

**True** Family and Consumer Sciences Omit

## **Health, Safety, and Physical Education**

True Health, Safety, and Physical Education Omit

## **Social Studies (Civics and Government, Economics, Geography, History)**

True Social Studies (Civics and Government, Economics, Geography, History) Omit

#### **Summary**

#### **Strengths**

Review the comments and notable observations listed previously and record 2-5 strengths which have had the most impact in improving your most pressing challenges.

The K-2 guidance curricula covers the topic of career readiness in each grade.

Students have multiple opportunities annually to learn about careers at DDPS.

### **Challenges**

Review the comments and notable observations listed previously and record 2-5 Challenges which if improved would have the most impact in achieving your Mission and Vision.

Safety Day tied to career readiness is only offered once, students who are absent do not have a chance to participate.

At least one out of five students are lacking foundational math skills which could negatively impact the ability to choose a career path students may be passionate about.

## **Equity Considerations**

## **English Learners**

**False** This student group is not a focus in this plan.

Data	Comments/Notable Observations
Not enough students in group	Not enough students in group

## **Students with Disabilities**

False This student group is not a focus in this plan.

Data	Comments/Notable Observations
DIBELS composite score	Significantly lower performance compared to general first grade population. 68% are not meeting benchmark
1st grade	expectations compared to 35% of all first grade students.
DIBELS composite score	210/ of analial advantions atudants are at handbook much lower than the general nanulation at 270/
1st grade	21% of special educations students are at benchmark, much lower than the general population at 37%

## **Students Considered Economically Disadvantaged**

False This student group is not a focus in this plan.

Data	Comments/Notable Observations
DIBELS composite score	Lower performance than the general first grade population with 45% not meeting benchmark expectations
1st grade	compared to 35% of the general population.

DIBELS composite score	17% of economically disadvantaged students are above benchmark compared to 28% of the general	
1st grade	population.	

## **Student Groups by Race/Ethnicity**

False This student group is not a focus in this plan.

Student Groups	Comments/Notable Observations
2 or More Races	Students in this category went down in both ELA and Mathematics performance on third grade PSSAs.

#### **Summary**

#### **Strengths**

Review the comments and notable observations listed previously and record the 2-5 strengths which have had the most impact in improving your most pressing challenges.

38% of economically disadvantaged students are "At Benchmark" which is higher than any other performance level in this subgroup. This is only slightly lower than the 37% of general population.

11% of special education students score above benchmark in first grade.

#### **Challenges**

Review the comments and notable observations listed previously and record the 2-5 Challenges which if improved would have the most impact in achieving your Mission and Vision.

Special education students suffer a significant gap in performance compared to their non-special education peers.

Economically disadvantaged students are over-represented in the "Well Below Benchmark" and "Below Benchmark" categories compared to the overall student population.

Students with two or more races was the only race/ethnicity group that went down on both ELA and Math on 24 Spring PSSA.

# **Conditions for Leadership, Teaching, and Learning**

## **Focus on Continuous improvement of Instruction**

Align curricular materials and lesson plans to the PA Standards	Emerging
Use systematic, collaborative planning processes to ensure instruction is coordinated, aligned, and evidence-based	Exemplary
Use a variety of assessments (including diagnostic, formative, and summative) to monitor student learning and adjust programs and instructional practices	Exemplary
Identify and address individual student learning needs	Exemplary
Provide frequent, timely, and systematic feedback and support on instructional practices	Emerging

## **Empower Leadership**

Foster a culture of high expectations for success for all students, educators, families, and community members	Exemplary
Collectively shape the vision for continuous improvement of teaching and learning	Exemplary
Build leadership capacity and empower staff in the development and successful implementation of initiatives that better serve students, staff, and the school	Exemplary
Organize programmatic, human, and fiscal capital resources aligned with the school improvement plan and needs of the school community	Operational
Continuously monitor implementation of the school improvement plan and adjust as needed	Operational

# **Provide Student-Centered Support Systems**

Promote and sustain a positive school environment where all members feel welcomed, supported, and safe in school: socially, emotionally, intellectually and physically	Operational
Implement an evidence-based system of schoolwide positive behavior interventions and supports	Emerging
Implement a multi-tiered system of supports for academics and behavior	Operational
Implement evidence-based strategies to engage families to support learning	Operational
Partner with local businesses, community organizations, and other agencies to meet the needs of the school	Not Yet Evident

## **Foster Quality Professional Learning**

Identify professional learning needs through analysis of a variety of data	Operational
Use multiple professional learning designs to support the learning needs of staff	Operational
Monitor and evaluate the impact of professional learning on staff practices and student learning	Operational

#### **Summary**

#### **Strengths**

Which Essential Practices are currently Operational or Exemplary and could be leveraged in your efforts to improve upon your most pressing challenges?

Foster a culture of high expectations for success for all students, educators, families, and community members

Build leadership capacity and empower staff in the development and successful implementation of initiatives that better serve students, staff, and the school

#### **Challenges**

Thinking about all the most pressing challenges identified in the previous sections, which of the Essential Practices that are currently Not Yet Evident or Emerging, if improved, would greatly impact your progress in achieving your mission, vision and Future Ready PA Index interim targets in State Assessment Measures, On-Track Measures, or College and Career Measures?

Partner with local businesses, community organizations, and other agencies to meet the needs of the school.

## **Summary of Strengths and Challenges from the Needs Assessment**

## **Strengths**

Examine the Summary of Strengths. Identify the strengths that are most positively contributing to achievement of your mission and vision. Check the box to the right of these identified strength(s).

Strength	Check for Consideration in Plan
Regular Attendance All student group regular attendance went from 60% last year to 73% this year.	True
Regular Student Attendance Every subgroup went up in percent of students with regular attendance.	False
Significant reduction in students on DIBELS "Well Below Benchmark", there was a notable decline in the percentage of students scoring "Well Below Benchmark" from the beginning to the end of the year.	True
By the middle of the year, all grades showed substantial progress on DIBLES, with a significant drop in students at risk.	False
The majority of Kindergarten and first grade students are performing at or above grade level indicates effective early math instruction.	False
There is actionable data present in second grade to support interventions.	True
The K-2 guidance curricula covers the topic of career readiness in each grade.	False
Students have multiple opportunities annually to learn about careers at DDPS.	True
Students have many opportunities to participate in STEAM activities through both the curriculum and family engagement activities.	False
Students have access to a fully equipped science lab at regularly scheduled intervals.	True
38% of economically disadvantaged students are "At Benchmark" which is higher than any other performance level in this subgroup. This is only slightly lower than the 37% of general population.	False
11% of special education students score above benchmark in first grade.	False
Foster a culture of high expectations for success for all students, educators, families, and community members	True
Build leadership capacity and empower staff in the development and successful implementation of initiatives that better serve students, staff, and the school	True

## **Challenges**

Examine the Summary of Challenges. Identify the challenges which are most pressing at this time for your School and if improved would have the most pronounced impact in achieving your mission and vision. Check the box to the right of these identified challenge(s).

Strength	Check for Consideration

	in Plan
All student group did not meet statewide regular attendance goal.	False
Regular Student Attendance Economically Disadvantaged has the lowest percentage of students with regular attendance at 68%.	False
Second grade progress was slower at year-end on DIBELS, while K and 1st grade achieved remarkable reductions by the end of the year, second grade showed a smaller improvement. This indicates that older students may require more targeted or intensive support as literacy demands increase.	True
Initial high risk levels, at the start of the year, a significant portion of student in all grades on DIBELS were "Well Below Benchmark". This highlights a need for stronger foundational literacy skills before entering each grade level.	False
The percentages of students needing urgent interventions went from 5% in first grade to 10% in second grade. Some students are falling behind as they progress through grade levels, indicating a need for an early intervention system in math.	True
Notable drop from 79% to 65% of student achieving at or above minimum proficiency. Maintaining student achievement levels across grades is a challenge.	True
Safety Day tied to career readiness is only offered once, students who are absent do not have a chance to participate.	True
At least one out of five students are lacking foundational math skills which could negatively impact the ability to choose a career path students may be passionate about.	False
Students may not have access to after school STEAM events due to lack of transportation or family work schedules.	True
Teachers need to continue professional learning activities so they can fully implement phenomena based learning in their classrooms and appropriately use the materials in the science labs.	False
Special education students suffer a significant gap in performance compared to their non-special education peers.	True
Economically disadvantaged students are over-represented in the "Well Below Benchmark" and "Below Benchmark" categories compared to the overall student population.	True
Students with two or more races was the only race/ethnicity group that went down on both ELA and Math on 24 Spring PSSA.	False
Partner with local businesses, community organizations, and other agencies to meet the needs of the school.	True

## **Most Notable Observations/Patterns**

In the space provided, record any of the comments and notable observations made as your team worked through the needs assessment that stand out as important to the challenge(s) you checked for consideration in your comprehensive plan.

# **Analyzing (Strengths and Challenges)**

# **Analyzing Challenges**

Analyzing Challenges	Discussion Points	Check for Priority
Second grade progress was slower at year-end on DIBELS, while K and 1st grade achieved remarkable reductions by the end of the year, second grade showed a smaller improvement. This indicates that older students may require more targeted or intensive support as literacy demands increase.	There may be less focus on foundational skills in second grade and second grade reading material is becoming more complex requiring higher-level comprehension and fluency skills.	True
The percentages of students needing urgent interventions went from 5% in first grade to 10% in second grade. Some students are falling behind as they progress through grade levels, indicating a need for an early intervention system in math.	Math concepts in second grade become increasingly abstract requiring a deeper understanding of foundational skills. Students who do not fully master early numeracy skills in K and first grades may experience compounding difficulties as they progress in grades.	True
Notable drop from 79% to 65% of student achieving at or above minimum proficiency. Maintaining student achievement levels across grades is a challenge.		False
Safety Day tied to career readiness is only offered once, students who are absent do not have a chance to participate.		False
Students may not have access to after school STEAM events due to lack of transportation or family work schedules.	Many students in this low-income school do not have after school transportation.	True
Special education students suffer a significant gap in performance compared to their non-special education peers.		False
Economically disadvantaged students are over-represented in the "Well Below Benchmark" and "Below Benchmark" categories compared to the overall student population.		False
Partner with local businesses, community organizations, and other agencies to meet the needs of the school.	There is not a current plan or expectation for asking community organizations to partner with the school to help meet student need.	True

## **Analyzing Strengths**

Analyzing Strengths	Discussion Points

Regular Attendance All student group regular attendance went from 60% last year to 73% this year.	Regular attendance will support more consistent targeted instruction in reading and math and provide students opportunities to participate in STEAM and community outreach programs.		
Significant reduction in students on DIBELS "Well Below	The reduction in students well below benchmark frees educators to		
Benchmark", there was a notable decline in the percentage of	provide more time and intensive instruction to students still needing it.		
students scoring "Well Below Benchmark" from the beginning to	Analyze instructional strategies that are working to implement them		
the end of the year.	more broadly.		
There is actionable data present in second grade to support	This data can be used to inform instruction and move students out of		
interventions.	the intervention categories on benchmark assessments.		
Studente have multiple apportunities appually to learn shout	DDPS can connect career exploration to reading and math skills.		
Students have multiple opportunities annually to learn about careers at DDPS.	STEAM focused projects that simulate real world career tasks can be		
careers at DDP3.	implemented. This will improved problem solving skills.		
Students have access to a fully equipped science lab at regularly	Data analysis can be incorporated into lab activities strengthening		
scheduled intervals.	math skills. Scientific literature can be incorporated into lab sessions,		
Scheduled intervals.	improving reading comprehension of technical texts.		
Foster a culture of high expectations for success for all students,	These high expectations can be used to establish ambitious goals.		
educators, families, and community members	Professional development can be leverages to provide ongoing support		
educators, families, and community members	for implementing high expectation teaching strategies.		
Build leadership capacity and empower staff in the development	Lean on this culture of shared responsibility and continuous		
and successful implementation of initiatives that better serve	improvement as we implement SMART goals related to this plan.		
students, staff, and the school	improvement as we implement of that godes related to this plan.		

## **Priority Challenges**

Analyzing Priority Challenges	Priority Statements
	Reading specialists will ensure students have a strong foundation in K and I using DIBELS analysis and best practice to support early readers. Reading specialists will use alternative assessments to further diagnose comprehension challenges in second grade and use best practice strategies to support these students.
	Implement an early intervention system in math to reduce the percentage of students requiring urgent intervention.  Provide targeted support, enhance instructional practices and utilize data-driven decision making to support this system.
	To increase equitable access to STEAM events for all students, provide students more opportunities during the school day to engage in STEAM activities and events.
	Expand partnerships with local agencies to address the needs of the school community, leveraging their expertise and

resources to enhance academic support, and create enrichment opportunities for students that will improve achievement across grade levels.

## **Goal Setting**

Priority: Expand partnerships with local agencies to address the needs of the school community, leveraging their expertise and resources to enhance academic support, and create enrichment opportunities for students that will improve achievement across grade levels.

#### **Outcome Category**

Community Engagement

#### **Measurable Goal Statement (Smart Goal)**

Within the school year, Dingman-Delaware Primary School will plan and implement two events promoting connection to community organizations. The following organizations will be considered, PEEC, State Troopers and 4H.

## Measurable Goal Nickname (35 Character Max)

**Community Days** 

Community Days				
Target 1st Quarter	Target 2nd Quarter	Target 3rd Quarter	Target 4th Quarter	
Plan first event including timeline, choosing organizations to be involved, theme and fliers.	Host a community event at the school.	Plan first event including timeline, choosing organizations to be involved, theme and fliers.	Host a community event at the school.	

Priority: Reading specialists will ensure students have a strong foundation in K and I using DIBELS analysis and best practice to support early readers. Reading specialists will use alternative assessments to further diagnose comprehension challenges in second grade and use best practice strategies to support these students.

## **Outcome Category**

**English Language Arts** 

#### **Measurable Goal Statement (Smart Goal)**

Reading specialists will educate classroom teachers and instructional assistants on instructional strategies that support foundational literacy skills. Teachers and instructional assistants will sign up for one thirty-minute block per quarter to meet with the reading specialists. Reading specialists will model or observe a lesson or conduct breakout sessions using these instructional strategies at least once per quarter as well.

#### Measurable Goal Nickname (35 Character Max)

**Reading Support** 

Target 1st Quarter	Target 2nd Quarter	Target 3rd Quarter	Target 4th Quarter
All teachers and instructional			
assistants will attend one thirty			
minute session with a reading			

specialist focusing on data	specialist focusing on data driven	specialist focusing on data driven	specialist focusing on data driven
driven need. Each classroom	need (total 2 sessions). Each	need (total 3 sessions). Each	need (total 3 sessions). Each
will receive at least one model	classroom will receive at least	classroom will receive at least	classroom will receive at least
lesson or break out session	one model lesson or break out	one model lesson or break out	one model lesson or break out
based on data driven need.	session based on data driven	session based on data driven	session based on data driven
	need (total 2 sessions).	need (total 3 sessions).	need (total 3 sessions).

#### **Outcome Category**

**English Language Arts** 

#### **Measurable Goal Statement (Smart Goal)**

By May 30, 2026, reading specialists will provide Tier III reading interventions to 100% of identified students based on Fall benchmarking data, with at least 80% of those students demonstrating measurable growth, as defined by progress monitoring tools, toward grade-level reading benchmarks.

#### Measurable Goal Nickname (35 Character Max)

**Small Group Reading Support** 

Ciriati Croap ricading Support			
Target 1st Quarter	Target 2nd Quarter	Target 3rd Quarter	Target 4th Quarter
By the end of the first quarter,			
20% of Tier III reading students	40% of Tier III reading students	60% of Tier III reading students	80% of Tier III reading students
will demonstrate measurable	will demonstrate measurable	will demonstrate measurable	will demonstrate measurable
growth on progress monitoring.			

Priority: Implement an early intervention system in math to reduce the percentage of students requiring urgent intervention.

Provide targeted support, enhance instructional practices and utilize data-driven decision making to support this system.

#### **Outcome Category**

**Mathematics** 

### Measurable Goal Statement (Smart Goal)

By the end of the school year, implement a comprehensive early intervention system in math that will reduce the percentage of students requiring urgent intervention to 5% in each grade. Implement small group interventions for at risk students at least 50 minutes per week. Conduct monthly data meetings where grade level teams analyze student performance data and adjust intervention plans accordingly.

## Measurable Goal Nickname (35 Character Max)

Math Interventions

Target 1st Quarter	Target 2nd Quarter	Target 3rd Quarter	Target 4th Quarter
Reduce the number of students			

| needing urgent intervention in |
|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| math to 20%.                   | math to 15%.                   | math to 10%.                   | math to 5%.                    |

Priority: To increase equitable access to STEAM events for all students, provide students more opportunities during the school day to engage in STEAM activities and events.

#### **Outcome Category**

STEM

#### **Measurable Goal Statement (Smart Goal)**

By the end of the school year, Dingman-Delaware Primary School will increase access to STEAM events and activities for all students. 80% of students will participate in at least one STEAM event, including Hour of Code, STEAM family nights or STEAM clubs.

#### Measurable Goal Nickname (35 Character Max)

STEAM Events

Target 1st Quarter	Target 2nd Quarter	Target 3rd Quarter	Target 4th Quarter
Increase participation in	Increase participation in STEAM	Increase participation in STEAM	Increase participation in STEAM
STEAM events from last year	events from last year to the end of	events from last year to the end of	events from last year to the end
to this year by 20%	the second marking period by 40%	the third marking period by 60%	of this school year by 80%.

#### **Outcome Category**

**STEM** 

### **Measurable Goal Statement (Smart Goal)**

By the end of the school year, Dingman-Delaware Primary School will increase access to STEAM events and activities for all students. 100% of K-2 classrooms will participate in phenomena-based science lessons utilizing the science lab as appropriate for 90 minutes per week.

## Measurable Goal Nickname (35 Character Max)

#### STEAM instruction

Target 1st Quarter	Target 2nd Quarter	Target 3rd Quarter	Target 4th Quarter
Increase the amount of			
phenomena based science	phenomena based science	phenomena based science	phenomena based science
lessons to 25% using evidence	lessons to 50% using evidence	lessons to 75% using evidence	lessons to 100% using evidence
from lesson planning.	from lesson planning.	from lesson planning.	from lesson planning.

## **Action Plan**

## **Measurable Goals**

Community Days	Reading Support
Small Group Reading Support	Math Interventions
STEAM Events	STEAM instruction

# **Action Plan For: Relationship building with local agencies**

Measurable Goals:		

Action Step		Anticipated Start/Completion Date	
The planning process will begin in September through November 2025, with the formation of a planning committee to plan community outreach events.		2025-09-30	2026-05-16
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?	
Principal, Assistant Principal, grade level Technology for communication with community organizers, PSHub, teachers, PTA, guidance counselor, SPO Schoology, PA State Troopers, 4H Penn State Extension		No	
Action Step		Anticipated Start/Completion Date	
All students will actively participate in school-day events that foster meaningful connections with our community.		2025-09-30	2026-05-16
Lead Person/Position Material/Resources/Supports Needed		PD Step?	
Principal, Assistant Principal, Grade level leaders, PTA	Technology, certificates for participation, PCPL, PT/Reptiles, Pike County Conservation Center	No	

Anticipated Output	Monitoring/Evaluation (People, Frequency, and Method)
All students will engage actively in school-day events that strengthen connections to the community, enhancing their sense of involvement.	Principal, Assistant Principal, Planning Committee, Student engagement in school day events will be monitored through participation records and teacher observations. These will help evaluate the effectiveness of the events in fostering community connections and student involvement. Success will be measured by student participation and positive feedback from students and families.

#### **Action Plan For: Data driven instruction**

#### Measurable Goals:

- Reading specialists will educate classroom teachers and instructional assistants on instructional strategies that support foundational literacy skills. Teachers and instructional assistants will sign up for one thirty-minute block per quarter to meet with the reading specialists. Reading specialists will model or observe a lesson or conduct breakout sessions using these instructional strategies at least once per quarter as well.
- By May 30, 2026, reading specialists will provide Tier III reading interventions to 100% of identified students based on Fall benchmarking data, with at least 80% of those students demonstrating measurable growth, as defined by progress monitoring tools, toward grade-level reading benchmarks.

Action Ston		Anticipated	
Action Step		Start/Completion Date	
-	re reading specialists, classroom teachers, and instructional assistants identify instructional strategies to support foundational reading skills, will	2025-09-30	2026-05- 16
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?	
Reading specialists, Literacy coach	Data reports, Google Forms, Common planning time (1 hour weekly) for classroom teachers and specialists	Yes	
Action Step		Anticipated Start/Completion Date	
Align curriculum with identified gaps a areas.	as evidenced by a completed curriculum map that addresses the deficit	2025-09-30	2026-05- 16
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?	
Reading specialists, literacy coach, curriculum writers	Assessment reports, ELA curriculum, DV Structured Literacy curriculum	Yes	
Action Ston		Anticipated	
Action Step		Start/Comp	letion Date
	standards and discuss data-driven instructional strategies with reading tion in at least one classroom per grade level each month.	2025-09-30	2026-05- 15
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?	

Reading specialists, literacy coach	Wonders curriculum, benchmark data	Yes	
Action Ston		Anticipated	
Action Step		Start/Completion Date	
Monitor student progress bi-weekly using local assessments for all student preforming below benchmark,		2025-09-30	2026-05-
ensuring at least 90% completion across identified students.		2025-09-30	15
Lead Person/Position Material/Resources/Supports Needed		PD Step?	
Deading anacialists literacy acade	Assessment data, Chromebook, Google sheets for additional record-	No	
Reading specialists, literacy coach	keeping	No	

Anticipated Output	Monitoring/Evaluation (People, Frequency, and Method)
Students will improve their level of proficiency as shown through local benchmarking	Reading specialists, literacy coach, local
assessments given three times a year. Instructional adjustments based on progress	benchmarking and progress monitoring
monitoring. Implementation fidelity of selected strategies. Teacher and assistant	assessments to be given 3xs per year and bi-
feedback on meeting effectiveness.	weekly.

## **Action Plan For: Early intervention system**

#### Measurable Goals:

• By the end of the school year, implement a comprehensive early intervention system in math that will reduce the percentage of students requiring urgent intervention to 5% in each grade. Implement small group interventions for at risk students at least 50 minutes per week. Conduct monthly data meetings where grade level teams analyze student performance data and adjust intervention plans accordingly.

Action Step		Anticipated Start/Completion Date	
Targeted small-group intervention skills such as number sense, fact	s will start in September and continue through May, focusing on foundational fluency, and problem solving.	2025-09-30	2026-05-15
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?	
Principal, assistant principal, classroom teachers  IXL, XTRA Math, Waggle, Go Math		Yes	
Action Step	•	Anticipated	

		Start/Completion Date	
Implementing a grade flexible grouping system for math instruction, with groups reassessed and adjusted monthly based on student performance data.		2025-09-30	2026-05-15
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?	
Principal, assistant principal,	Intervention materials, assessment data, Google Sheets for record	No	
classroom teachers	keeping and progress monitoring	140	
Action Step		Anticipated	
		Start/Completion Date	
Create and implement targeted, explicit instructional plans for the top three math deficit areas identified		2025-09-30	2026-05-
through data analysis, with weekly progress monitoring for students receiving urgent intervention.		2025-09-30	20
Lead Person/Position Material/Resources/Supports Needed		PD Step?	
Principal, assistant principal,	Assessment data, common planning time, PLC meetings, Linkit!	No	
classroom teachers	F 1 (3		

Anticipated Output	Monitoring/Evaluation (People, Frequency, and Method)
A fully implemented early intervention system that identifies	Principal, assistant principal, classroom teachers Beginning, middle and
at-risk students, delivers targeted math instruction, and	end of year IXL diagnostic/screeners to track shifts in student performance
provides consistent progress monitoring, resulting in a	tiers (urgent, strategic, on-level). Weekly or bi-weekly scores from
measurable reduction in the percentage of student requiring	curriculum based measures or platform-generated probes for students
urgent intervention in mathematics.	receiving urgent intervention.

#### **Action Plan For: Equitable access to STEAM events**

#### Measurable Goals:

- By the end of the school year, Dingman-Delaware Primary School will increase access to STEAM events and activities for all students.

  100% of K-2 classrooms will participate in phenomena-based science lessons utilizing the science lab as appropriate for 90 minutes per week.
- By the end of the school year, Dingman-Delaware Primary School will increase access to STEAM events and activities for all students.
   80% of students will participate in at least one STEAM event, including Hour of Code, STEAM family nights or STEAM clubs.

Action Step	Anti	cipated

		Start/Completion Date		
The school will expand the traditional Hour of Code into a Month of Code initiative. During this month-long event, all student swill participate in structured coding activities integrated into classroom instruction, library time, or lab sessions.			2026-05- 15	
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?		
Principal, assistant principal, lead teacher, classroom teachers	Hour of Code materials, scheduling	No		
Action Step			Anticipated Start/Completion Date	
Host a school-wide STEAM Night during the 2025	-2026 school year to engage students and families in interactive,	2025-09-	2026-05-	
hands-on activities that promote interest ins scient	ence, technology, engineering, arts and mathematics.	30	15	
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?		
Principal, assistant principal, lead teachers	STEAM materials, scheduling	No		
Action Step		Anticipated Start/Comp Date		
Based on the curriculum, students will engage in	lessons that require students to observe, ask questions, and			
develop hypotheses through interactive experim	ents and investigations. The science lab will be fully utilized to	2025-09-	2026-05-	
provide opportunities for students to conduct experiments, make observations, and analyze data in a collaborative environment.		30	15	
Lead Person/Position	Material/Resources/Supports Needed	PD Step?		
Principal, assistant principal, classroom teachers	Curriculum, science lab scheduling, Google Sheets for record keeping	No		

Anticipated Output	Monitoring/Evaluation (People, Frequency, and Method)	
Increased student engagement and enthusiasm for	Principal, assistant principal, classroom teachers The broader understanding of	
STEAM learning, contributing to a broader	STEAM concepts will be evaluated through informal assessments, student	
understanding of these subjects across grade levels.	reflections, and anecdotal observations form teachers.	

# **Expenditure Tables**

## **School Improvement Set Aside Grant**

True School does not receive School Improvement Set Aside Grant.

## **Schoolwide Title 1 Funding Allocation**

False School does not receive Schoolwide Title 1 funding.

eGgrant Budget Category (Schoolwide Funding)	Action Plan(s)	Expenditure Description	Amount
Instruction	Data driven instruction	Reading specialist salary and benefits	252000
Total Expenditures			

## **Professional Development**

## **Professional Development Action Steps**

Evidence-based Strategy	Action Steps
Data driven instruction	Conduct monthly data meetings where reading specialists, classroom teachers, and instructional assistants review benchmark data by subtest to identify instructional strategies to support foundational reading skills, will 100% teacher participation.
Data driven instruction	Align curriculum with identified gaps as evidenced by a completed curriculum map that addresses the deficit areas.
Data driven	Dedicate time during PLCs to unpack standards and discuss data-driven instructional strategies with reading
instruction	specialists modeling effective instruction in at least one classroom per grade level each month.
Early intervention system	Targeted small-group interventions will start in September and continue through May, focusing on foundational skills such as number sense, fact fluency, and problem solving.

## **Student Centered Coaching**

#### **Action Step**

- Conduct monthly data meetings where reading specialists, classroom teachers, and instructional assistants review benchmark data by subtest to identify instructional strategies to support foundational reading skills, will 100% teacher participation.
- Dedicate time during PLCs to unpack standards and discuss data-driven instructional strategies with reading specialists modeling effective instruction in at least one classroom per grade level each month.

#### **Audience**

**Reading Specialists** 

#### Topics to be Included

**Student Centered Coaching** 

#### **Evidence of Learning**

Reading Specialists will complete one coaching cycle with a classroom teacher.

Lead Person/Position	Anticipated Start	Anticipated Completion
Supervisor of academics	2025-10-01	2026-05-15

## **Learning Format**

Type of Activities	Frequency
Workshop(s)	Three times a year
Observation and Practice Framework Met in this Plan	

#### This Step Meets the Requirements of State Required Trainings

#### Math intervention strategies/data analysis

#### **Action Step**

• Targeted small-group interventions will start in September and continue through May, focusing on foundational skills such as number sense, fact fluency, and problem solving.

#### **Audience**

Classroom teachers

#### Topics to be Included

Data analysis through IXL platform, small group intervention strategies

#### **Evidence of Learning**

Teachers will successfully group students according to data and use small group instruction to drive individualized learning.

Lead Person/Position	Anticipated Start	Anticipated Completion
Principal/assistant principal	2025-09-30	2026-05-15

### **Learning Format**

Type of Activities	Frequency	
Inservice day	2 times per year	
Observation and Practice Framework Met in this Plan		
This Step Meets the Requirements of State Required Trainings		

## **Curriculum Revision (data driven)**

#### **Action Step**

• Align curriculum with identified gaps as evidenced by a completed curriculum map that addresses the deficit areas.

#### **Audience**

Curriculum writing teams

#### Topics to be Included

Data analysis including local and state assessments, best practice

#### **Evidence of Learning**

Curriculum writers will successfully realign our ELA curricula K-5 to reflect current student need

Lead Person/Position	Anticipated Start	Anticipated Completion
Supervisor of academics	2025-08-25	2026-05-15

# **Learning Format**

Type of Activities	Frequency	
Collaborative curriculum development	Varied times throughout the school year	
Observation and Practice Framework Met in this Plan		
This Step Meets the Requirements of State Required Tra	inings	

# Approvals & Signatures

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Chief School Administrator	Date
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