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# Administrative Evaluation System



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## **Directions:**

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# 1. Performance of Students

#### **Directions:**

The district shall provide:

- For all school administrators, the percentage of the evaluation that is based on the performance of students criterion as outlined in s. 1012.34(3)(a)1., F.S., along with an explanation of the scoring method, including how it is calculated and combined [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(a)1., F.A.C.].
- For all school administrators, confirmation of including student performance data for at least three years, including the current year and the two years immediately preceding the current year, when available. If less than the three most recent years of data are available, those years for which data are available must be used. If more than three years of student performance data are used, specify the years that will be used [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(a)3., F.A.C.].
- For school administrators, the district-determined student performance measure(s) used for personnel evaluations [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(a)7., F.A.C.].

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#### **Performance of Students Elements**

The years of student growth data that will be included in evaluation will be the same for principals as stated in the instructional personnel performance evaluation system. To mirror the teacher evaluation system in place at P.K. Yonge, the principal evaluation percentage based on performance of students will be 50% when there are three years of data present for an individual and 40% when there are less than three years of data present for the individual. (*Performance Evaluation System, P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School.*)

P.K. Yonge will use student performance data for at least three years, including the current year and the two years immediately preceding the current year, when available. If less than the three most recent years of data are available, those years for which data are available will be used. If more than three years of student performance data are used, the years used will be specified.

Student performance will be measured for principals using three components: state-provided School VAM score for Reading, state-provided School VAM score for Math, and Florida End-of-Course Exam Achievement Results (49& or below meeting benchmark = 1; 50-59% meeting benchmark = 2; 60-74% meeting benchmark = 3; 75% or more meeting benchmark = 4). Each of these components will be given equal weight in the student performance calculation, and mirror the processes, cut scores, and scales used for teachers. This results in 3 assigned ratings of 0-4 (1=UN, 2=NI, 3=E, 4=HE), weighted equally, and averaged together resulting in a Cumulative Student Performance score of 0-4 (0-1.99=UN, 2.00-2.59=NI, 2.60-3.09=E, 3.10-4.0=HE), The Cumulative Student Performance score will be multiplied by 100, resulting in a total maximum score for Student Performance of 400.

Student Performance Growth (50%)	Rating
310-400	Highly Effective
260-309	Effective
200-259	Needs Improvement

0 to 199 Unsatisfactory
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Student Performance Growth (40%)	Rating
209-270	Highly Effective
175-208	Effective
135-174	Needs Improvement
0 to 134	Unsatisfactory

# 2. Instructional Leadership

#### **Directions**

The district shall provide:

- For all school administrators, the percentage of the evaluation system that is based on the instructional leadership criterion as outlined in s. 1012.34(3)(a)3., F.S., along with an explanation of the scoring method, including how it is calculated and combined [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(c)1., F.A.C.].
- Description of the district evaluation framework for school administrators and the contemporary research basis in effective educational practices [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(c)2., F.A.C.].
- For all school administrators, a crosswalk from the district's evaluation framework to the Principal Leadership Standards [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(c)3., F.A.C.].
- Observation or other data collection instrument(s) that include indicators, organized by domains, based on each of the Principal Leadership Standards, and additional elements provided in s. 1012.34(3)(a)3., F.S. [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(c)4., F.A.C.].
- Procedures for observing and collecting data and other evidence of instructional leadership [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(c)5., F.A.C.].

A <u>summative performance level</u> is based 50% on Student Growth Measures (SGM) that conform to the requirements of s. 1012.34, F.S., and 50% on a Leadership Practice Score. In the Florida State Model, the Leadership Practice Score is obtained from two metrics:

- Florida School Leader Assessment (FSLA)
- Deliberate Practice Score

# **Framework: Leadership Evaluation**

<u>A Multi-Dimensional Framework</u>: This evaluation system is based on contemporary research and meta-analyses by Dr. Douglas Reeves, Dr. John Hattie, Dr. Vivian Robinson, Dr. Robert Marzano and other research findings that identify school leadership strategies or behaviors that, done correctly and in appropriate circumstances, have a positive probability of improving student learning and faculty proficiency on instructional strategies that positively impact student learning.

#### MULTI-DIMENSIONAL LEADERSHIP FRAMEWORK: Illustrative references

- Reeves, D. (2009). Assessing Educational Leaders: Evaluating Performance for Improved Individual and Organizational Results. Thousand Oaks, CA: Corwin Press.
- Hattie, J. (2009). Visible learning: A synthesis of over 800 meta-analyses relating to achievement. New York: Routledge.
- Horng, E., Klasik, D., & Loeb, S. (2010). *Principal's time use and school effectiveness*. Stanford University.
- Kouzes, J. M., & Posner, B. Z. (2010). *The truth about leadership.* San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass.
- Louis, K. S., Leithwood, K., Wahlstrom, K. L., & Anderson, S. E. (2010). *Investigating the links to improved student learning*. The Wallace Foundation.
- Robinson, V. M. J. (2011). Student-centered leadership. San Francisco, CA: Jossey-Bass.
- Marzano, R. J., Frontier, T., & Livingston, D. (2011). *Effective supervision: Supporting the art and science of teaching.*Alexandria VA: ASCD

Alignment to the Florida Principal Leadership Standards (FPLS)				
Domain/Standard	Evaluation Indicators			
Domain 1: Student Achievement:				
Student Learning Results:  Effective school leaders achieve results on the school's student learning goals.				
<ul> <li>a. The school's learning goals are based on the state's adopted student academic standards and the district's adopted curricula; and,</li> </ul>	1.1			
b. Student learning results are evidenced by the student performance and growth on statewide assessments; district-determined assessments that are implemented by the district under Section 1008.22, F.S.; international assessments; and other indicators of student success adopted by the district and state.	Student growth/achievement			
2. Student Learning As a Priority:  Effective school leaders demonstrate that student learning is their top priority through leadership actions that build focused on student success.				
a. Enables faculty and staff to work as a system focused on student learning;	1.4			
b. Maintains a school climate that supports student engagement in learning;	1.5			
c. Generates high expectations for learning growth by all students; and,	1.6			
<ul> <li>d. Engages faculty and staff in efforts to close learning performance gaps among student subgroups within the school.</li> </ul>	1.7			
Domain 2: Instructional Leadership				
Effective school leaders work collaboratively to develop and implement an instructional framework that aligns curricus instructional practices, student learning needs and assessments.  a. Implements the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices as described in Rule 6A-5.065, F.A.C., through a common language of instruction;	alum and state standards, effective			
b. Engages in data analysis for instructional planning and improvement;	1.2			
c. Communicates the relationships among academic standards, effective instruction, and student performance;	2.1			
<ul> <li>d. Implements the district's adopted curricula and state's adopted academic standards in a manner that is rigorous and culturally relevant to the students and school; and,</li> </ul>	1.3			
<ul> <li>Ensures the appropriate use of high quality formative and interim assessments aligned with the adopted standards and curricula.</li> </ul>	2.2			
4. Faculty Development:  Effective school leaders recruit, retain and develop an effective and diverse faculty and staff.				
<ul> <li>a. Generates a focus on student and professional learning in the school that is clearly linked to the system-wide strategic objectives and the school improvement plan;</li> </ul>	2.5			
b. Evaluates, monitors, and provides timely feedback to faculty on the effectiveness of instruction;	2.1			
c. Employs a faculty with the instructional proficiencies needed for the school population served;	2.5			
<ul> <li>d. Identifies faculty instructional proficiency needs, including standards-based content, research-based pedagogy, data analysis for instructional planning and improvement, and the use of instructional technology;</li> </ul>	2.5			
e. Implements professional learning that enables faculty to deliver culturally relevant and differentiated instruction; and,	2.3, 2.5			
f. Provides resources and time and engages faculty in effective individual and collaborative professional learning throughout the school year.	2.4			
5. Learning Environment:  Effective school leaders structure and monitor a school learning environment that improves learning for all of Florida.	da's diverse student population.			

<ul> <li>a. Maintains a safe, respectful and inclusive student-centered learning environment that is focused on equitable opportunities for learning and building a foundation for a fulfilling life in a democratic society and global economy;</li> </ul>	3.8			
b. Recognizes and uses diversity as an asset in the development and implementation of procedures and practices that motivate all students and improve student learning;	3.8			
c. Promotes school and classroom practices that validate and value similarities and differences among students;	3.8			
d. Provides recurring monitoring and feedback on the quality of the learning environment;	2.1			
<ul> <li>e. Initiates and supports continuous improvement processes focused on the students' opportunities for success and well-being; and,</li> </ul>	1.7			
f. Engages faculty in recognizing and understanding cultural and developmental issues related to student learning by identifying and addressing strategies to minimize and/or eliminate achievement gaps.	3.8			
Domain 3: Organizational Leadership				
<ol> <li>Decision Making:</li> <li>Effective school leaders employ and monitor a decision-making process that is based on vision, mission and improven</li> </ol>	nent priorities using facts and data.			
a. Gives priority attention to decisions that impact the quality of student learning and teacher proficiency;	3.1			
b. Uses critical thinking and problem solving techniques to define problems and identify solutions;	4.3			
<ul> <li>c. Evaluates decisions for effectiveness, equity, intended and actual outcome; implements follow-up actions; and revises as needed;</li> </ul>	4.3			
d. Empowers others and distributes leadership when appropriate; and,	3.2			
e. Uses effective technology integration to enhance decision making and efficiency throughout the school.	2.6			
7. Leadership Development:				
Effective school leaders actively cultivate, support, and develop other leaders within the orga	nization.			
a. Identifies and cultivates potential and emerging leaders;	3.2			
b. Provides evidence of delegation and trust in subordinate leaders;	3.2			
c. Plans for succession management in key positions;	3.2			
d. Promotes teacher-leadership functions focused on instructional proficiency and student learning; and,	3.2			
e. Develops sustainable and supportive relationships between school leaders, parents, community, higher education and business leaders.	3.3			
8. School Management:  Effective school leaders manage the organization, operations, and facilities in ways that maximize the use of resources to promote a safe, efficient, legal, and effective learning environment.				
a. Organizes time, tasks and projects effectively with clear objectives and coherent plans;	3.4			
b. Establishes appropriate deadlines for him/herself and the entire organization;	3.4			
<ul> <li>c. Manages schedules, delegates, and allocates resources to promote collegial efforts in school improvement and faculty development; and,</li> </ul>	3.4			
d. Is fiscally responsible and maximizes the impact of fiscal resources on instructional priorities.	4.4			
9. Communication:  Effective school leaders practice two-way communications and use appropriate oral, written, and electronic communication and collaboration skills to accomplish school and system goals by building and maintaining relationships with students, faculty, parents, and community.				
a. Actively listens to and learns from students, staff, parents, and community stakeholders;	3.3			
b. Recognizes individuals for effective performance;	3.7			
c. Communicates student expectations and performance information to students, parents, and community;	3.5			
<ul> <li>d. Maintains high visibility at school and in the community and regularly engages stakeholders in the work of the school;</li> </ul>	3.6			
<ul> <li>e. Creates opportunities within the school to engage students, faculty, parents, and community stakeholders in constructive conversations about important school issues.</li> </ul>	3.3			
f. Utilizes appropriate technologies for communication and collaboration; and,	2.6			
g. Ensures faculty receives timely information about student learning requirements, academic standards, and all other local state and federal administrative requirements and decisions.	1.1			
Domain 4: Professional and Ethical Behavior				
10. Professional and Ethical Behaviors:				
Effective school leaders demonstrate personal and professional behaviors consistent with quality practices in educat a. Adheres to the Code of Ethics and the Principles of Professional Conduct for the Education Profession in Florida, pursuant to Rules 6A-10.080 and 6A-10.081, F.A.C.;	4.5			
b. Demonstrates resiliency by staying focused on the school vision and reacting constructively to the barriers to success that include disagreement and dissent with leadership;	4.1			
c. Demonstrates a commitment to the success of all students, identifying barriers and their impact on the well- being of the school, families, and local community;	4.3			

d. Engages in professional learning that improves professional practice in alignment with the needs of the school system;	4.2
e. Demonstrates willingness to admit error and learn from it; and,	4.3
<ul> <li>f. Demonstrates explicit improvement in specific performance areas based on previous evaluations and formative feedback.</li> </ul>	4.2

# Florida School Leader Assessment (FSLA) Conference Summary/Proficiency Status Update - Short Form

Supervisor:				
This form summarizes feedback about proficiency on the indicators, standards, and domains marked below				
based on consideration of evidence encountered during this timeframe:				
Domain 1: Student Achievement				
( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory				
Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on an indicator, assign a				
proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels. If not being rated at this time, leave blank.				
Proficiency Area 1 - Student Learning Results: Effective school leaders achieve results on the school's student				
learning goals and direct energy, influence, and resources toward data analysis for instructional improvement	t,			
development and implementation of quality standards-based curricula.				
( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 1.1 – Academic Standards ( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 1.2 – Performance Data ( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 1.3 – Planning and Goal Setting () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 1.4 - Student Achievement Results () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory				
Proficiency Area 2 - Student Learning as a Priority: Effective school leaders demonstrate that student learning	is			
their top priority through effective leadership actions that build and support a learning organization focused on				
student success.				
( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 2.1 - Learning Organization () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 2.2 - School Climate ( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 2.3 - High Expectations () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory				
Indicator 2.4 - Student Performance Focus () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory				
Domain 2: Instructional Leadership				
( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory				

Leader:

<b>Scale Levels:</b> (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on an indicator, assign a				
proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels. If not being rated at this time, leave blank.				
Proficiency Area 3 - Instructional Plan Implementation: Effective school leaders work collaboratively to develop				
and implement an instructional frame	work that aligns cu	rriculum with	n state standards, effec	tive instructional
practices, student learning needs, and assessments.				
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Indicator 3.1 - FEAPs	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	() Needs Improvement	() Unsatisfactory
Indicator 3.2- Standards based Instruction	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	() Unsatisfactory
Indicator 3.3 - Learning Goals Alignments	() Highly Effective	() Effective	() Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory
Indicator 3.4 - Curriculum Alignments	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory
Indicator 3.5 - Quality Assessments	( ) Highly Effective	() Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	() Unsatisfactory
Indicator 3.6 - Faculty Effectiveness	() Highly Effective	( ) Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory
Proficiency Area 4 - Faculty Development: Effective school leaders recruit, retain, and develop an effective and				
diverse faculty and staff; focus on evidence, research, and classroom realities faced by teachers; link				

professional practice with student achievement to demonstrate the cause and effect relationship; facilitate

effective professional development; monitor implementation of critical initiatives; and secure and provide			
timely feedback to teachers so that feedback can be used to increase teacher professional practice.			
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Indicator 4.1 - Recruitment and Retention	n () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory	/	
Indicator 4.2- Feedback Practices	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactor	У	
Indicator 4.3 - High effect size strategies	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactor	У	
Indicator 4.4 - Instructional Initiatives	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory	,	
Indicator 4.5 - Facilitating & Leading Prof.	Learning () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory		
Indicator 4.6 – Faculty Development Align	ments () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory	,	
Indicator 4.7 - Actual Improvement	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactor	у	
Proficiency Area 5 - Learning Enviror	nment: Effective school leaders structure and monitor a school learning	;	
environment that improves learning	for all of Florida's diverse student population.		
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Indicator 5.1 - Student Centered	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfact	ory	
Indicator 5.2 - Success Oriented	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfact	ory	
Indicator 5.3- Diversity	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactor	ry	
Indicator 5.4 - Achievement Gaps	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactor	Ϋ́	
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	here is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on an indicator, assi	_	
	e of the four proficiency levels.  If not being rated at this time, leave blank		
Proficiency Area 6 - Decision Making	g: Effective school leaders employ and monitor a decision-making proc	ess	
that is based on vision, mission, and	improvement priorities using facts and data; manage the decision make	ing	
process, but not all decisions, using t	the process to empower others and distribute leadership when approp	riate;	
=	mselves and the entire organization; and use a transparent process for		
making decisions and articulating wl			
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Indicator 6.1- Prioritization Practices	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory		
Indicator 6.2- Problem Solving.	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactor	V	
Indicator 6.3 - Quality Control	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactor	•	
Indicator 6.4 - Distributive Leadership	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory	•	
Indicator 6.5 - Technology Integration	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactor		
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=	n, modeling trust, competency, and integrity in ways that positively im	-	
and inspire growth in other potentia		pace	
Indicator 7.1- Leadership Team	() Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory		
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Indicator 7.4 - Relationships	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory ( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory		
-	ment: Effective school leaders manage the organization, operations, an		
=	use of resources to promote a safe, efficient, legal, and effective learning	ng	
	d delegate tasks and consistently demonstrate fiscal efficiency; and		
	eper with fewer initiatives as opposed to superficial coverage of everyt	hing.	
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Indicator 8.1 - Organizational Skills	( ) Highly Effective ( ) Effective ( ) Needs Improvement ( ) Unsatisfactory		
Indicator 8.2- Strategic Instructional Res	ourcing () Highly Effective () Effective () Needs Improvement () Unsatisfactory		
Indicator 8.3 – Collegial Learning Resource			
Proficiency Area 9 - Communication	n: Effective school leaders use appropriate oral, written, and electronic		
communication and collaboration sk	cills to accomplish school and system goals by practicing two-way		
	nd learn from and building and maintaining relationships with students	i,	
=	anaging a process of regular communications to staff and community	•	
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Indicator 9.1— Constructive Conversation		-	

Indicator 9.2 - Clear Goals and Expectations	() Highly Effective	() Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	() Unsatisfactory
Indicator 9.3 - Accessibility	() Highly Effective	() Effective	() Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory
Indicator 9.4 - Recognitions	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory

#### **Domain 4 - Professional and Ethical Behaviors**

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**Scale Levels:** (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on an indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels. If not being rated at this time, leave blank.

Proficiency Area 10 - Professional and Ethical Behaviors: Effective school leaders demonstrate personal and professional behaviors consistent with quality practices in education and as a community leader by staying informed on current research in education and demonstrating their understanding of the research, engage in professional development opportunities that improve personal professional practice and align with the needs of the school system, and generate a professional development focus in their school that is clearly linked to the system-wide strategic objectives.

	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory
Indicator 10.1 – Resiliency	( ) Highly Effective	() Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	() Unsatisfactory
Indicator 10.2 - Professional Learning	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	() Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory
Indicator 10.3 - Commitment	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	() Unsatisfactory
Indicator 10.4 – Professional Conduct	( ) Highly Effective	( ) Effective	() Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory

# Florida School Leader Assessment Data Collection and Feedback Protocol Forms for Domains 1, 2, 3 and 4

These forms provide guidance to school leaders and evaluators on what is expected regarding each indicator.

# The forms provide:

- The text of all Proficiency Areas and FSLA indicators
- Rubrics to distinguish among proficiency levels
  - o A generic rubric that applies to each indicator and
  - o An indicator specific rubric that applies to the individual indicator
- Narratives to assist in understanding the focus and priorities embedded in the FSLA
- Illustrative examples of Leadership Actions and Impacts on Others of Leadership Action that assist in understanding how the issue(s) in an indicator are observed "on the job".
- Reflection questions to guide personal growth

#### **Domain 1 - Student Achievement**

Narrative: Student achievement results in the student growth measures (SGM) segment of evaluation represent student results on specific statewide or district assessments or end-of-course exams. The leadership practice segment of the evaluation, through the proficiency areas and indicators in this domain, focuses on leadership behaviors that influence the desired student results.

Proficiency Area 1. <u>Student Learning Results</u>: Effective school leaders achieve results on the school's student learning goals and direct energy, influence, and resources toward data analysis for instructional improvement, development and implementation of quality standards-based curricula.

Narrative: This

proficiency area focuses on the leader's knowledge and actions regarding academic standards, use of performance data, planning and goal setting related to targeted student results, and capacities to understand what results are being obtained. This proficiency area is aligned with Florida Principal Leadership Standard #1.

Indicator 1.1 - Academic Standards: The leader demonstrates understanding of student requirements and academic standards (Common Core Standards and Next Generation Sunshine State Standards).

Narrative: Standards-based instruction is an essential element in the state's plan of action for preparing Florida's students for success in a 21st century global economy. This indicator is focused on the leader's understanding of what students are to know and be able to do. School leaders need to know the academic standards teachers are to teach and students are to master.

Note: Every credit course has specific academic standards assigned to it. Common Core Standards and Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS) assigned to each course are found at <a href="https://www.floridastandards.org">www.floridastandards.org</a>.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  Every faculty meeting and staff development forum is focused on student achievement on the Common Core Standards and NGSSS, including periodic reviews of student work.  The leader can articulate which Common Core Standards are designated for implementation in multiple courses.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The link between standards and student performance is in evidence from the alignment in lesson plans of learning goals, activities and assignments to course standards.  The leader is able to recognize whether or not learning goals and student activities are related to standards in the course descriptions.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency. Common Core Standards and NGSSS are accessible to faculty and students. Required training on standards-based instruction has been conducted, but the link between standards and student performance is not readily evident to many faculty or students.  Assignments and activities in most, but not all courses relate to the standards in the course descriptions.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  Classroom learning goals and curriculum are not monitored for alignment to standards or are considered a matter of individual discretion regardless of course description requirements.  The leader is hesitant to intrude or is indifferent to decisions in the classroom that are at variance from the requirements of academic standards in the course descriptions.  Training for the faculty on standards-based instruction
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Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  School leader extracts data on standards associated with courses in the master schedule from the course descriptions and monitor for actual implementation.  Lesson plans are monitored for alignment with correct standards.  Agendas, memoranda, etc. reflect leader's communications to faculty on the role of state standards in curriculum, lesson planning, and tracking student progress.  Common Core Standards shared by multiple courses are identified and teachers with shared Common Core Standards are organized by the leader into collegial teams to coordinate instruction on those shared standards.	does not occur and the leader does not demonstrate knowledge of how to access standards.  Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  • Lesson plans identify connections of activities to standards.  • Teacher leaders' meeting records verify recurring review of progress on state standards.  • Students can articulate what they are expected to learn in a course and their perceptions align with standards in the course description.  • Teachers routinely access course descriptions to maintain alignment of instruction with standards.  • Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.
<u> </u>	proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this  ] Needs Improvement [] Unsatisfactory
<b>Evidence Log</b> (Specifically, what has been observed to the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples above are illustrative and do not reflect the examples are included as a second that is also also as a second the examples are included as a second the examples a	

# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 1.1**

Highly Effective:	Effective:	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory:
Do you routinely share examples of specific leadership, teaching, and curriculum strategies that are associated with improved student achievement on the Common Core Standards or NGSSS?	How do you support teachers' conversations about how they recognize student growth toward mastery of the standards assigned to their courses?	How do you monitor what happens in classrooms to insure that instruction and curriculum are aligned to academic standards?	Where do you find the standards that are required for the courses in your master schedule?

Indicator 1.2 – Performance Data: The leader demonstrates the use of student and adult performance data to make instructional leadership decisions.

Narrative: This indicator addresses the leader's proficiency in use of student and adult performance data to make instructional leadership decisions. What does test data and other sources of student performance data related to targeted academic goals say about what is needed? What does data about teacher proficiency or professional learning needs indicate needs to be done? The focus is what the leader does with data about student and adult performance to make instructional decisions that impact student achievement.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The leader can specifically document examples of decisions in teaching, assignment, curriculum, assessment, and intervention that have been made on the basis of data analysis.  The leader has coached school administrators in other schools to improve their data analysis skills and to inform instructional decision making.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader uses multiple data sources, including state, district, school, and classroom assessments, and systematically examines data at the subscale level to find strengths and challenges.  The leader empowers teaching and administrative staff to determine priorities using data on student and adult performance. Data insights are regularly the subject of faculty meetings and professional	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader is aware of state and district results and has discussed those results with staff, but has not linked specific decisions to the data.  Data about adult performance (e.g. evaluation feedback data, professional learning needs assessments) are seldom used to inform instructional leadership decisions.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader is unaware of or indifferent to the data about student and adult performance, or fails to use such data as a basis for making decisions.
may be seen in the leader's l Illustrative examples of such	development sessions.  Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:		nip proficiency may be seen of the faculty, staff, students ive examples of such re not limited to the
over time are reflected in prinstructional improvement  Analyses of trends and pat on faculty proficiencies and	terns in student performance presentations to faculty on eneeds. Iterns in evaluation feedback diprofessional learning needs ons to faculty on instructional enda, etc. reflect recurring data and data analyses.	<ul> <li>Teacher leaders identify changes in practice within their teams or departments based on performance data analyses.</li> <li>Teacher leaders make presentations to colleagues on uses of performance data to modify instructional practices.</li> </ul>	

<b>Scale Levels:</b> (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,			
assign a proficiency level by	y checking one of the j	four proficiency levels below. If	not being rated at this
time, leave blank:			
[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically,	what has been observ	ed that reflects current profici	ency on this indicator?
The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):			

## **Reflection Questions for Indicator 1.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How do you aggregate data about teacher proficiencies on instructional practices to stimulate dialogue about what changes in instruction are needed in order to improve student performance?	How do you verify that all faculty have sufficient grasp of the significance of student performance data to formulate rational improvement plans?	By what methods do you enable faculty to participate in useful discussions about the relationship between student performance data and the instructional actions under the teachers' control?	How much of the discussions with district staff about student performance data are confusing to you and how do you correct that?

Indicator 1.3 – Planning and Goal Setting: The leader demonstrates planning and goal setting to improve student achievement.

Narrative: Knowing the standards and making use of performance data is expected to play a significant role in planning and goal setting. This indicator is focused on the leader's alignment of planning and goal setting with improvement of student achievement.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
The leader routinely shares examples of specific leadership, teaching, and curriculum strategies that are associated with improved student achievement.  Other leaders credit this leader with sharing ideas, coaching, and providing technical assistance to implement successful new	Goals and strategies reflect a clear relationship between the actions of teachers and leaders and the impact on student achievement. Results show steady improvements based on these leadership initiatives.  Priorities for student growth are established, understood by staff and students, and	Specific and measurable goals related to student achievement are established, but these efforts have yet to result in improved student achievement or planning for methods of monitoring improvements.  Priorities for student growth are established in some areas, understood by some	Planning for improvement in student achievement is not evident and goals are neither measurable nor specific.  The leader focuses more on student characteristics as an explanation for student results than on the actions of the teachers and leaders in the system.

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initiatives supported by	plans to achieve those	staff and students, and plans	
quality planning and goal	priorities are aligned with the	to achieve those priorities	
setting.	actual actions of the staff and	are aligned with the actual	
	students.	actions of some of the staff.	
Leadership Evidence of prof	•	Impact Evidence of leadersh	
may be seen in the leader's	behaviors or actions.	in the behaviors or actions o	of the faculty, staff, students
Illustrative examples of such	evidence may include, but	and/or community. Illustrati	ive examples of such
are not limited to the follow	ring:	evidence may include, but a	re not limited to the
		following:	
Clearly stated goals are acceptudents.	cessible to faculty and	<ul> <li>Faculty members are able in planning and goal settin</li> </ul>	to describe their participation
	d other documents reflect a	<ul> <li>Goals relevant to students</li> </ul>	• .
comprehensive planning p		evident and accessible.	
formulation of the adopte		Students are able to articu	llate the goals for their
<ul> <li>Leader's presentations to</li> </ul>	faculty provide recurring	achievement which emerg	ged from faculty and school
updates on the status of p	lan implementation and	leader planning.	
progress toward goals.		<ul> <li>Teachers and students tra-</li> </ul>	ck their progress toward
•	parents focus on the school	accomplishment of the sta	_
goals for student achieven		Other impact evidence of	proficiency on this indicator.
Other leadership evidence	of proficiency on this		
indicator.			
	) Where there is sufficient e		-
assign a proficiency level i	by checking one of the four	proficiency levels below. If	not being rated at this
time, leave blank:			
[] Highly Effective	[ ] Effective [	] Needs Improvement	[ ] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically	, what has been observed t	hat reflects current profici	ency on this indicator?
	llustrative and do not refle	•	•
The examples above are i	indstrative and do not rener	et an exclusive list of what i	s expected).

# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 1.3**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What methods of sharing	How will you monitor	How do you engage more	How are other school leaders
successful planning	progress toward the goals	faculty in the planning process	implementing planning and goal
processes with other school	so that adjustments	so that there is a uniform	setting?
leaders are most likely to	needed are evident in time	faculty understanding of the	
generate district-wide	to make "course	goals set?	
improvements?	corrections?"		

# Indicator 1.4 - Student Achievement Results: The leader demonstrates evidence of student improvement through student achievement results.

Narrative: Engagement with the standards, using data, making plans and setting goals are important. This indicator shifts focus to the leader's use of evidence of actual improvement to build support for continued effort and further improvement.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and	impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate	Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are	actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	or are having an adverse impact.
A consistent record of improved student	The leader reaches the required numbers, meeting	Accumulation and exhibition of student improvement	Evidence of student improvement is not routinely
achievement exists on multiple indicators of student success.	performance goals for student achievement.	results are inconsistent or untimely.	gathered and used to promote further growth.
Student success occurs not only on the overall averages, but in each group of historically disadvantaged students.  Explicit use of previous data indicates that the leader has focused on improving performance. In areas of previous success, the leader aggressively identifies new challenges, moving proficient performance to the exemplary level. Where new challenges emerge, the leader highlights the need, creates effective interventions, and reports improved results.	Results on accomplished goals are used to maintain gains and stimulate future goal setting.  The average of the student population improves, as does the achievement of each group of students who have previously been identified as needing improvement.	Some evidence of improvement exists, but there is insufficient evidence of using such improvements to initiate changes in leadership, teaching, and curriculum that will create the improvements necessary to achieve student performance goals.  The leader has taken some decisive actions to make some changes in time, teacher assignment, curriculum, leadership practices, or other variables in order to improve student achievement, but additional actions are needed to generate improvements for	Indifferent to the data about learning needs, the leader blames students, families, and external characteristics for insufficient progress.  The leader does not believe that student achievement can improve.  The leader has not taken decisive action to change time, teacher assignment, curriculum, leadership practices, or other variables in order to improve student achievement.
Leadership Evidence of prof	iciency on this indicator	all students.  Impact Evidence of leadersh	nin proficiency may be seen
may be seen in the leader's	behaviors or actions.	<b>Impact Evidence</b> of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students	
<u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:		and/or community. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:	
<ul> <li>The leader generates data that describes what improvements have occurred.</li> <li>Agendas, memoranda, and other documents for faculty and students communicate the progress made and relate that progress to teacher and student capacity to make further gains.</li> <li>Evidence on student improvement is routinely shared with parents.</li> <li>Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>		student improvements are community.  Team and department me attention to evidence of so	actional goals.  Actional signage informing of edistributed in the school and eletings' minutes reflect

Scale Levels: (choose one)	Where there is sufficien	t evidence to rate current pro	ficiency on this indicator,	
assign a proficiency level by	y checking one of the fo	our proficiency levels below. If	not being rated at this	
time, leave blank:				
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Evidence Log (Specifically,	what has been observe	d that reflects current proficie	ency on this indicator?	
The examples above are illu	ustrative and do not ref	flect an exclusive list of what i	s expected):	

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 1.4**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How do you share with	How do you engage	How do you engage faculty in	What processes should you
other school leaders how to	students in sharing	routinely sharing examples of	employ to gather data on
use student improvement	examples of their growth	student improvement?	student improvements?
results to raise expectations	with other students?		
and improve future results?			

Narrative: This proficiency area is aligned with Florida Principal Leadership Standard #2. A learning organization has essential elements regarding the behavior of people in the organization. When all elements are present and interacting, productive systemic change is possible. This proficiency area is focused on the degree to which learning organization elements exist in the school and reflect the following priorities on student learning:

- Supports for personal mastery of each person's job focus on job aspects related to student learning
- Team learning among faculty is focused on student learning
- Processes for exploring and challenging mental models that hamper understanding and progress on student learning are in use
- A shared vision has student learning as a priority
- Systems thinking is employed to align various aspects of school life in ways that promote learning

Indicator 2.1 – Learning Organization: The leader enables faculty and staff to work as a system focused on student learning and engages faculty and staff in efforts to close learning performance gaps among student subgroups within the school.

Narrative: Are the elements of a learning organization present among the adults in the school? Are the learning organization elements focused on student learning? Is the system in operation at the school engaging faculty in improving results for under-achieving subgroups? This indicator addresses the systemic processes that make gap reduction possible. Is the leader proficient in building capacity for change?

Note: Indicator 5.4 from Florida Principal Leadership Standard #5 addresses actual success in reducing achievement gaps.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	

The essential elements of a learning organization (i.e. personal mastery of competencies, team learning, examination of mental models, shared vision, and systemic thinking) are focused on improving student learning results. Positive trends are evident in closing learning performance gaps among all student subgroups within the school.

There is evidence that the interaction among the elements of the learning organization deepen the impact on student learning. The leader routinely shares with colleagues throughout the district the effective leadership practices learned from proficient implementation of the essential elements of a learning organization.

The leader's actions and supported processes enable the instructional and administrative workforce of the school to function as a learning organization with all faculty having recurring opportunities to participate in deepening personal mastery of competencies, team learning, examination of mental models, a shared vision, and systemic thinking. These fully operational capacities are focused on improving all students' learning and closing learning performance gaps among student subgroups within the school.

The leader's actions reflect attention to building an organization where the essential elements of a learning organization (i.e. personal mastery of competencies, team learning, examination of mental models, shared vision, and systemic thinking) are emerging, but processes that support each of the essential elements are not fully implemented, or are not yet consistently focused on student learning as the priority, or are not focused on closing learning performance gaps among student subgroups within the school.

There is no or minimal evidence of proactive leadership that supports emergence of a learning organization focused on student learning as the priority function of the organization.

Any works in progress on personal mastery of instructional competencies, team learning processes, examinations of mental models, a shared vision of outcomes sought, or systemic thinking about instructional practices are not aligned or are not organized in ways that impact student achievement gaps.

**Leadership Evidence** of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Principal's support for team learning processes focused on student learning is evident throughout the school year.
- Principal's team learning processes are focused on student learning.
- Principal's meeting agendas reflect student learning topics routinely taking precedence over other issues as reflected by place on the agenda and time committed to the issues.
- School Improvement Plan reflects a systemic analysis of the actionable causes of gaps in student performance and contains goals that support systemic improvement.
- The principal supports through personal action, professional learning by self and faculty, exploration of mental models, team learning, shared vision, and systems thinking practices focused on improving student learning.
- Dialogues with faculty and staff on professional learning goes beyond learning what is needed for meeting basic expectations and is focused on learning that enhances the collective capacity to create improved outcomes for all students.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Team learning practices are evident among the faculty and focused on performance gaps among student subgroups within the school.
- Professional learning actions by faculty address performance gaps among student subgroups within the school
- Performance gaps among student subgroups within the school show improvement trends.
- Faculty, department, team, and cross-curricular meetings focus on student learning.
- Data Teams, Professional Learning Communities, and/or Lesson Study groups show evidence of recurring meetings and focus on student learning issues.
- Faculty and staff talk about being part of something larger than themselves, of being connected, of being generative of something truly important in students' lives
- There is systemic evidence of celebrating student success with an emphasis on reflection on why success happened.
- Teacher or student questionnaire results address learning organization's essential elements.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

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time, leave blank:					
[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory		
		ved that reflects current proficion	•		
The examples above are ill	ustrative and do not	reflect an exclusive list of what i	s expected):		

## **Reflection Questions for Indicator 2.1**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
Has your leadership	Where the essential	What essential elements of a	What happens in schools that are effective learning
resulted in people continually expanding their	elements of a learning organization are in place	learning organization have supports in place and which	organizations that does not
capacity to create the	and interacting, how do	need development?	happen in this school?
results they truly desire? Is there evidence that new	you monitor what you are creating collectively is	Understanding that systemic	How can you initiate work
and expansive patterns of	focused on student learning	change does not occur unless	toward a learning organization
thinking are nurtured? Are the people who make up	needs and making a difference for all students?	all of the essential elements of the learning organization are	by developing effective collaborative work systems
your school community	difference for all students:	in operation, interacting, and	(e.g., Data Teams, Professional
continually learning to see		focused on student learning as	Learning Communities, Lesson
the "big picture" (i.e. the systemic connections		their priority function, what gaps do you need to fill in your	Studies)?
between practices and		supporting processes and	
processes)?		what leadership actions will enable all faculty and staff to	
		get involved?	

Indicator 2.2 – School Climate: The leader maintains a school climate that supports student engagement in learning.

Narrative: "Climate" at a school is determined by how people treat one another and what is respected and what is not. School leaders who promote a school climate where learning is respected, effort is valued, improvement is recognized, and it is safe to acknowledge learning needs have provided students support for sustained engagement in learning.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
The leader ensures that the	The leader systematically	Some practices promote	Student and/or faculty
school's identity and climate	(e.g., has a plan, with goals,	respect for student learning	apathy in regard to student

(e.g., vision, mission, values, beliefs, and goals) actually drives decisions and informs the climate of the school.

Respect for students' cultural, linguistic and family background is evident in the leader's conduct and expectations for the faculty.

The leader is proactive in guiding faculty in adapting the learning environment to accommodate the differing needs and diversity of students.

School-wide values, beliefs, and goals are supported by individual and class behaviors through a well-planned management system.

measurable strategies, and recurring monitoring) establishes and maintains a school climate of collaboration, distributed leadership, and continuous improvement, which guides the disciplined thoughts and actions of all staff and students.

Policies and the implementation of those policies result in a climate of respect for student learning needs and cultural, linguistic and family background.

Classroom practices on adapting the learning environment to accommodate the differing needs and diversity of students are consistently applied throughout the school.

needs and cultural, linguistic and family background, but there are discernable subgroups who do not perceive the school climate as supportive of their needs.

The school climate does not generate a level of school-wide student engagement that leads to improvement trends in all student subgroups.

The leader provides school rules and class management practices that promote student engagement and are fairly implemented across all subgroups. Classroom practices on adapting the learning environment to accommodate the differing needs and diversity of students are inconsistently applied

achievement and the importance of learning is easily discernable across the school population and there are no or minimal leadership actions to change school climate.

Student subgroups are evident that do not perceive the school as focused on or respectful of their learning needs or cultural, linguistic and family background or there is no to minimal support for managing individual and class behaviors through a well-planned management system.

**Leadership Evidence** of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- The leader organizes, allocates, and manages the resources of time, space, and attention so that the needs of all student subgroups are recognized and addressed.
- There are recurring examples of the leader's presentations, documents, and actions that reflect respect for students' cultural, linguistic and family background.
- The leader maintains a climate of openness and inquiry and supports student and faculty access to leadership.
- The school's vision, mission, values, beliefs, and goals reflect an expectation that student learning needs and cultural, linguistic and family backgrounds are respected and school rules consistent with those beliefs are routinely implemented.
- Professional learning is provided to sustain faculty understanding of student needs.
- Procedures are in place and monitored to ensure students have effective means to express concerns over any aspect of school climate.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Classroom rules and posted procedures stress positive expectations and not just "do nots."
- All student subgroups participate in school events and activities.
- A multi-tiered system of supports that accommodates the differing needs and diversity of students is evident across all classes.
- Students in all subgroups express a belief that the school responds to their needs and is a positive influence on their future well-being.
- Walkthroughs provide recurring trends of high student engagement in lessons.
- Student services staff/counselors' anecdotal evidence shows trends in student attitudes toward the school and engagement in learning.
- Teacher/student/parent survey or questionnaire results reflect a school climate that supports student engagement in learning.
- The availability of and student participation in academic supports outside the classroom that assist student engagement in learning.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Indicator 2.3 – High Expectations: The leader generates high expectations for learning growth by all students.					
Scale Levels: (choose one) Whe	re there is sufficient e	vidence to rate current profic	ciency on this indicator,		
assign a proficiency level by che	cking one of the four	proficiency levels below. If no	ot being rated at this		
time, leave blank:					
[ ] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory		
Evidence Log (Specifically, what	t has been observed t	hat reflects current proficien	cy on this indicator?		
The examples above are illustra	tive and do not reflec	ct an exclusive list of what is e	expected):		

# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 2.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
Highly Effective  In what ways might you further extend your reach within the district to help others benefit from your knowledge and skill in establishing and maintaining a school climate that supports student engagement in learning?	What strategies have you considered that would ensure that the school's identity and climate (e.g., vision, mission, values, beliefs, and goals) actually drives decisions and informs the climate of the school?  How could you share with your colleagues across the	Needs Improvement  How might you structure a plan that establishes and maintains a school climate of collaboration, distributed leadership, and continuous improvement, which guides the disciplined thought and action of all staff and students?	Unsatisfactory  What might be the importance of developing a shared vision, mission, values, beliefs, and goals to establish and maintain a school climate that supports student engagement in learning?
	district the successes (or failures) of your efforts?		

Narrative: The leader who expects little from students and faculty will get less than they are capable of accomplishing. "Every child can learn" takes on new meaning when supported by faculty and school leader expectations that students can and will learn a lot...not just a minimum to get by. Expecting quality is a measure of respect.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
The leader incorporates	The leader systematically	The leader creates and	The leader does not create or
community members and	(e.g., has a plan, with goals,	supports high academic	support high academic
other stakeholder groups	measurable strategies, and a	expectations by setting clear	expectations by accepting
into the establishment and	frequent monitoring	expectations for student	

support of high academic schedule) creates and academics, but is poor academic performance. expectations. supports high academic inconsistent or occasionally The leader fails to set high expectations by empowering fails to hold all students to The leader benchmarks expectations or sets teachers and staff to set high these expectations. expectations to the unrealistic or unattainable and demanding academic performance of the state's, The leader sets expectations, goals. expectations for every nation's, and world's highest but fails to empower student. performing schools. teachers to set high Perceptions among students, The leader ensures that expectations for student faculty, or community that The leader creates systems academic performance. academic shortcomings of students are consistently and approaches to monitor learning, respectful, and on student subgroups are the level of academic explained by inadequacy of expectations. parent involvement, The leader sets clear community conditions, or The leader encourages a expectations for student student apathy are not culture in which students are academics and establishing challenged by the school able to clearly articulate their consistent practices across leader. diverse personal academic classrooms. goals. The leader ensures the use of instructional practices with proven effectiveness in creating success for all students, including those with diverse characteristics and needs. Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator **Teacher Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following: are not limited to the following: School Improvement Plan targets meaningful growth Rewards and recognitions are aligned with efforts for the beyond what normal variation might provide. more difficult rather than easier outcomes. Test specification documents and state standards are Learning goals routinely identify performance levels used to identify levels of student performance and above the targeted implementation level. performance at the higher levels of implementation is Teachers can attest to the leader's support for setting high academic expectations. Samples of written feedback provided to teachers Students can attest to the teacher's high academic regarding student goal setting practices are focused on expectations. high expectations. Parents can attest to the teacher's high academic Agendas/Minutes from collaborative work systems (e.g., expectations. Data Teams, Professional Learning Communities) address Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator. processes for "raising the bar." Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator. **Scale Levels:** (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this time, leave blank: [ ] Effective [] Highly Effective [] Needs Improvement [ ] Unsatisfactory Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 2.3**

<b>Reflection Questions</b>			
Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What strategies have you considered using that would increase the professional knowledge opportunities for colleagues across the school district in the area of setting high academic expectations for students?	How might you incorporate community members and other stakeholder groups into the establishment and support of high academic expectations?	What are 2-3 key strategies you have thought about using that would increase your consistency in creating and supporting high academic expectations for every student?	What might be some strategies you could use to create or support high academic expectations of students?

Indicator 2.4 – Student Performance Focus: The leader demonstrates understanding of present levels of student performance based on routine assessment processes that reflect the current reality of student proficiency on academic standards.

Narrative: Lots of talk about high expectations, goal setting, working hard, rigor, and getting results is important, but leaders need to know where students' actual performance levels are to be able to track real progress. Knowing annual test results is useful, but it is not enough. What does the leader do to know whether progress is being made or not and whether "mid-course" corrections are required?

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  Assessment data generated at the school level provides an on-going perspective of the current reality of student proficiency on academic standards.  There is evidence of decisive changes in teacher assignments and curriculum based on student and adult performance data.  Case studies of effective decisions based on performance data are shared widely with other leaders and throughout the district.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  Each academic standard has been analyzed and translated into student-accessible language and processes for tracking student progress are in operation.  Power (high priority) standards are widely shared by faculty members and are visible throughout the building. Assessments on student progress on them are a routine event.  The link between standards and student performance is in evidence from the posting of proficient student work.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  Standards have been analyzed, but are not translated into student- accessible language.  School level assessments are inconsistent in their alignment with the course standards.  Power (high priority) standards are developed, but not widely known or used by faculty, and/or are not aligned with assessment data on student progress.  Student work is posted, but does not reflect proficient	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  There is no or minimal coordination of assessment practices to provide on-going data about student progress toward academic standards.  School level assessments are not monitored for alignment with the implementation level of the standards.  No processes in use to analyze standards and identify assessment priorities.  No high priority standards are identified and aligned with assessment practices.
	of proficient student work throughout the building.	work throughout the building.	
Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:		Impact Evidence of leadersh	of the faculty, staff, students ive examples of such

- Documents, charts, graphs, tables, and other forms of graphic displays reflecting students' current levels of performance are routinely used by the leader to communicate "current realities."
- Documents, charts, graphs, tables, and other forms of graphic displays reflect trend lines over time on student growth on learning priorities.
- Teacher schedule changes are based on student data.
- Curriculum materials changes are based on student data.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- Faculty track student progress practices.
- Students track their own progress on learning goals.
- Current examples of student work are posted with teacher comments reflecting how the work aligns with priority goals.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this
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[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically,	, what has been obser	ved that reflects current profici	iency on this indicator?
The examples above are il	lustrative and do not	reflect an exclusive list of what	is expected):

# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 2.4**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What data other than end	What data other than end	What data other than end of	What data other than end of
of year state assessments would be helpful in understanding student progress at least every 3-4 weeks?	of year state assessments would be helpful in understanding student progress on at least a quarterly basis?	year state assessments would be helpful in understanding student progress on at least a semi-annual basis?	year state assessments would be helpful in understanding student progress?

# **Domain 2 - Instructional Leadership**

Narrative: School leaders do many things. Domain 2 of the FSLA addresses a core of leader behaviors that impact the quality of essential elements for student learning growth. The skill sets and knowledge bases employed for this domain generate 40% of the FSLA Score. The success of the school leader in providing a quality instructional framework, appropriately focused faculty development, and a student oriented learning environment are essential to student achievement.

<u>Proficiency Area 3.</u> <u>Instructional Plan Implementation</u>: Effective school leaders work collaboratively to develop and implement an instructional framework that aligns curriculum with state standards, effective instructional practices, student learning needs, and assessments.

Narrative: Proficiency Area 3 is focused on Florida Principal Leadership Standard #3 (FPLS). Aligning the key issues identified in the indicators into an efficient system is the leader's responsibility. This area stresses the leader's proficiency at understanding the current reality of what faculty and students know and can do regarding priority practices and goals.

Indicator 3.1 – FEAPs: The leader aligns the school's instructional programs and practices with the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (Rule 6A-5.065, F.A.C.) and models use of the Florida common language of instruction to guide faculty and staff implementation of the foundational principles and practices.

Narrative: Indicator 3.1 is focused on the school leader's understanding of the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAPs) and ability to use Florida's common language of instruction. To be effective participants in school, district and statewide communities of practice working collegially for high quality implementation of the FEAPs, educators at the school level must be able to communicate and organize their efforts using the terms and concepts in the FEAPs and the Florida common language of instruction. This indicator is about the school leader's proficiency in making that happen by using a core set of expectations (the FEAPs) and terminology (the common language) to guide and focus teacher discussions on instructional improvements. Florida's common language of instruction is used so that educators in Florida use the core terms in the same way and with a common understanding.

Note: The FEAPs, a FEAPs brochure, and Florida's common language may be explored at http://www.floridaschoolleaders.org.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
The instructional program	The leader's use of FEAPs	The leader demonstrates	There is no or minimal
and practices are fully	content and terms from the	some use of the FEAPs and	evidence that the principles
aligned with the FEAPs.	common language is a	common language to focus	and practices of the FEAPs
Faculty and staff	routine event and most	faculty on instructional	are presented to the faculty
implementation of the FEAPs	instructional activities align	improvement, but is	as priority expectations.
is consistently proficient and professional conversations among school leadership and	with the FEAPs.  Coordinated processes are	inconsistent in addressing the FEAPs.	The leader does not give evidence of being conversant
faculty about instruction use	underway that link progress on student learning growth	The leader's use of FEAPs and	with the FEAPs or the common language.
the Florida common	on student learning growth	common language resources	common language.

with proficient FEAPs language of instruction and results in some faculty at the The leader's use of FEAPs and the terminology of the FEAPs. implementation. school site having access to common language resources and making use of the FEAPs results in few faculty at the The leader's use of FEAPs and The leader's use of FEAPs and and common language. school site having access to common language resources common language resources and making use of the FEAPs There are gaps in alignment results in all educators at the results in most faculty at the and common language. school site having access to school site having access to of ongoing instructional and making use of the FEAPs and making use of the FEAPs practices at the school site with the FEAPs. There is and common language. and common language. some correct use of terms in Teacher-leaders at the school The leader uses the common the common language but use the FEAPs and common language to enable faculty to errors or omissions are language. recognize connections evident. between the FEAPs, the district's evaluation indicators, and contemporary research on effective instructional practice. Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator **Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but students, and/or community. Illustrative examples of are not limited to the following: such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following: Teachers are conversant with the content of the FEAPs. The leader's documents, agendas, memorandum, etc. make reference to the content of the FEAPs and make Teachers can describe their primary instructional correct use of the common language. practices using the terms and concepts in the FEAPs. School improvement documents reflect concepts from Teachers use the common language and attribute their the FEAPs and common language. use to the leader providing access to the online The leader can articulate the instructional practices set resources. forth in the FEAPs. School level support programs for new hires include Faculty meetings focus on issues related to the FEAPs. training on the FEAPs. The leader's monitoring practices result in written FEAPs brochures and excerpts from the common feedback to faculty on quality of alignment of language are readily accessible to faculty. instructional practice with the FEAPs. Faculty members are able to connect indicators in the The leader's communications to parents and other district's instructional evaluation system with the FEAPs. stakeholders reflect use of FEAPs and common language Sub-ordinate leaders (e.g. teacher leaders, assistant references. principals) use FEAPs and common language terms Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this accurately in their communications. indicator. Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator. Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this time, leave blank: [] Highly Effective [] Effective [] Needs Improvement [] Unsatisfactory Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected): Enter data here:

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 3.1**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How are you able to	How do you recognize	Do you review the FEAPs	Do you know where to find the
provide specific feedback to	practices reflected in the	and/or common language	text of the FEAPs and common
teachers on improving	FEAPs and/or common	resources frequently enough	language?
proficiency in the FEAPs	language as you conduct	to be able to recall the main	
and/or common language?	teacher observations?	practices and principles	
		contained in them?	

Indicator 3.2 – Standards-Based Instruction: The leader delivers an instructional program that implements the state's adopted academic standards (Common Core and NGSSS) in a manner that is rigorous and culturally relevant to the students by:

- aligning academic standards, effective instruction and leadership, and student performance practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals, and
- communicating to faculty the cause and effect relationship between effective instruction on academic standards and student performance.

Narrative: Florida's plan of action for educating our children for the 21<sup>st</sup> century is based on standards-based instruction. Course descriptions specify the standards that are to be learned in each course. All of the course content in courses for which students receive credit toward promotion/graduation is expected to be focused on the standards in the course description. This indicator addresses the leader's proficiency at making sure all students receive rigorous, culturally relevant standards-based instruction by aligning key practices with the state's academic standards (Common Core, NGSSS, Access Points). The leader does what is necessary to make sure faculty recognize and act on the cause and effect relationship between good instruction (i.e., research-based strategies, rigorous, culturally relevant,) on the "right stuff" (the state standards adapted based on data about student needs).

Note: Course descriptions and the standards for each course may be explored at www.floridastandards.org.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
Processes exist for all courses to ensure that what students are learning is aligned with state standards for the course.  The leader has institutionalized quality control monitoring to ensure that instruction is aligned with the standards and is consistently delivered in a rigorous and culturally relevant manner for all students.	Processes exist for most courses to ensure that what students are learning is aligned with state standards for the course.  Instruction aligned with the standards is, in most courses, delivered in a rigorous and culturally relevant manner for all students.  The leader routinely monitors instruction to ensure quality is maintained and intervenes as necessary to improve alignment, rigor,	Processes exist for some courses to ensure that what students are learning is aligned with state standards for the course.  Instruction is aligned with the standards in some courses.  Instruction is delivered in a rigorous manner in some courses.  Instruction is culturally relevant for some students.  The leader has implemented processes to monitor	There is limited or no evidence that the leader monitors the alignment of instruction with state standards, or the rigor and cultural relevance of instruction across the grades and subjects.  The leader limits opportunities for all students to meet high expectations by allowing or ignoring practices in curriculum and instruction that are culturally, racially, or

Teacher teams coordinate work on student mastery of the standards to promote integration of the standards into useful skills.  The leader provides quality	and/or cultural relevance for most courses.  Collegial faculty teamwork is evident in coordinating instruction on Common Core standards that are addressed	progress in some courses, but does not intervene to make improvements in a timely manner.	ethnically insensitive and/or inappropriate.  The leader does not know and/or chooses not to interact with staff about teaching using research-	
assistance to other school leaders in effective ways to communicate the cause and effect relationship between effective standards-based instruction and student growth.	in more than one course.		based instructional strategies to obtain high levels of achievement for all students.	
Leadership Evidence of prof	iciency on this indicator	Impact Evidence of leadersh	nip proficiency may be seen	
may be seen in the leader's			of the faculty, staff, students	
Illustrative examples of such	evidence may include, but	and/or community. Illustrat	ive examples of such	
are not limited to the follow	ring:	evidence may include, but a	re not limited to the	
		following:		
	rtment, grade-level meeting her documents focus on the and instruction with state	<ul><li>using content from www.f</li><li>Faculty has and makes use</li></ul>	e of the list of standards	
	goals and actions are linked to rds.	<ul> <li>associated with their course(s).</li> <li>Activities and assignments are aligned with standards applicable to the course and those connections are</li> </ul>		
The leader's presentations     expectations include illust	s to faculty on proficiency rations of what "rigor" and	conveyed to students.  Teachers can describe a school wide "plan of action" that		
"culturally relevant" mean		aligns curriculum and standards and provide examples of		
Monitoring documents income		how they implement that		
research-based instruction		Teachers attest to the lead	der's efforts to preserve	
alignment, rigor and cultu		instructional time for stan		
	esearch-based instruction are	Teachers attest to the leader's frequent monitoring of research-based instructional practices and application of		
cultural relevance.	t to standards, rigor, and/ or		of student progress on the	
School's financial docume	nts reflect expenditures	course standards.	or student progress on the	
	ed instruction, rigor, and/or		proficiency on this indicator.	
cultural relevance.	, 6 , ,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	, ,	
Other leadership evidence indicator.				
	-	evidence to rate current pro		
	by checking one of the four	proficiency levels below. If	not being rated at this	
time, leave blank:		_		
[] Highly Effective		] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory	
Evidence Log (Specifically	, what has been observed t	that reflects current profici	ency on this indicator?	
The examples above are i	llustrative and do not refle	ct an exclusive list of what	is expected):	
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 3.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What procedures might you establish to increase your ability to help your colleagues lead the implementation of the district's curriculum to provide instruction that is standards-based, rigorous, and culturally relevant?  What can you share about your leadership actions to ensure that staff members have adequate time and support, and effective monitoring and feedback on proficiency in use of research-based instruction focused on the standards?	In what ways can you offer professional learning for individual and collegial groups within the school or district that illustrate how to provide rigor and cultural relevance when delivering instruction on the standards?  How do you engage teachers in deliberate practice focused on mastery of standards-based instruction?	What might be 2-3 key leadership strategies that would help you to systematically act on the belief that all students can learn at high levels?  How can your leadership in curriculum and instruction convey respect for the diversity of students and staff?  How might you increase the consistency with which you monitor and support staff to effectively use research-based instruction to meet the learning needs of all students?  What are ways you can ensure that staff members are aligning their instructional practices with state standards?	Where do you go to find out what standards are to be addressed in each course?  How might you open up opportunities for all students to meet high expectations through your leadership in curriculum and instruction?  Do you have processes to monitor how students spend their learning time?  In what ways are you monitoring teacher implementation of effective, research-based instruction?  In what ways are you monitoring teacher instruction in the state's academic standards?

Indicator 3.3 – Learning Goals Alignments: The leader implements recurring monitoring and feedback processes to insure that priority learning goals established for students are based on the state's adopted student academic standards as defined in state course descriptions, presented in student accessible forms, and accompanied by scales or rubric to guide tracking progress toward student mastery.

Narrative: "Learning goals" is a high-effect size strategy that uses scales or progressive levels to monitor student growth on the way to mastery of a state academic standard. Learning goals typically take 2-9 weeks of student time to master so are more comprehensive than daily objectives. The essential issue is that the teacher creates "scales" or levels of progress toward mastery of the learning goal. Teacher and students use those scales to track progress toward mastery of the goal(s). This indicator addresses the leader's proficiency at monitoring and providing feedback on teacher and student use of priority learning goals with scales. The leader is expected to go beyond low levels of monitoring that address whether the teacher provides such goals and attends to the levels of student understanding and engagement with the learning goals. Do the students pursue those goals? Do they track their own progress? Is celebrations of success on learning goals focused on how success was achieved more than that is was obtained?

Note: Beginning in the 2012-13 school year, professional learning about learning goals and sample learning goals may be explored at www.floridastandards.org, www.floridaschoolleaders.org, and www.startwithsuccess.org.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
Recurring leadership	Clearly stated learning goals	Specific and measurable	Clearly stated priority
involvement in the	accompanied by a scale or	learning goals with progress	learning goals accompanied

improvement in quality of daily classroom practice is evident and is focused on student progress on priority learning goals.

Routine and recurring practices are evident that support celebration of student success in accomplishing priority learning goals and such celebrations focus on how the success was obtained.

The leader routinely shares examples of effective learning goals that are associated with improved student achievement.

Other leaders credit this leader with sharing ideas, coaching, and providing technical assistance to implement successful use of leaning goals in standards-based instruction.

rubric that describes measurable levels of performance, aligned to the state's adopted student academic standards, is an instructional strategy in routine use in courses school wide.

Standards-based instruction is an evident priority in the school and student results on incremental measures of success, like progress on learning goals, are routinely monitored and acknowledged.

The formats or templates used to express learning goals and scales are adapted to support the complexity of the expectations and the learning needs of the students.

Clearly stated learning goals aligned to state or district initiatives in support of student reading skills are in use school wide. scales, aligned to the state's adopted student academic standards in the course description, are in use in some but not most of the courses.

Learning goals are posted/provided in some classes are not current, do not relate to the students current assignments and/or activities, or are not recognized by the students as priorities for their own effort.

Learning goals tend to be expressed at levels of text complexity not accessible by the targeted students and/or at levels of complexity too simplified to promote mastery of the associated standards.

Processes that enable students and teachers to track progress toward mastery of priority learning goals are not widely implemented throughout the school.

by a scale or rubric that describes levels of performance relative to the learning goal are <u>not</u> systematically provided across the curriculum to guide student learning, <u>or</u> learning goals, where provided, are <u>not</u> aligned to state standards in the course description.

The leader engages in minimal to non-existent monitoring and feedback practices on the quality and timeliness of information provided to students on what they are expected to know and be able to do (i.e. no alignment of learning goals with state standards for the course).

There are minimal or no leadership practices to monitor faculty practices on tracking student progress on priority learning goals.

**Leadership Evidence** of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Agendas, meeting minutes, and memoranda to the faculty make evident a focus on importance of learning goals with scales to engage students in focusing on what they are to understand and be able to do.
- The leader's practices on teacher observation and feedback routinely address learning goals and tracking student progress.
- The leader provides coaching or other assistance to teachers struggling with use of the learning goals strategy.
- Procedures are in place to monitor and promote faculty collegial discussion on the implementation levels of learning goals to promote alignment with the implementation level of the associated state standards.
- Leader's communications to students provide evidence of support of students making progress on learning goals.
- Progress monitoring of adult and student performance on targeted priority learning goals is documented, charted, and posted in high traffic areas of the school.
- Evidence of the leader's intervention(s) with teachers who do not provide learning goals that increase students' opportunities for success.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Clearly stated learning goals accompanied by a scale or rubric that describes levels of performance relative to the learning goal are posted or easily assessable to students.
- Teams or departments meet regularly to discuss the quality of learning goals with scales being employed and adapt them based on student success rates.
- Teacher lesson plans provide evidence of the connection of planned activities and assignments to learning goals.
- Teacher documents prepared for parent information make clear the targeted learning goals for the students.
- Students are able to express their learning goals during walkthroughs or classroom observations.
- Students are able to explain the relationship between current activities and assignments and priory learning goals.
- Lesson study groups and other collegial learning teams routinely discuss learning goals and scales for progression
- Methods of both teachers and students tracking student progress toward learning goals are evident.
- Celebrations of student success include reflections by teachers and students on the reasons for the success

		high levels of student learn	earning goals that result in the ing. oroficiency on this indicator
Scale Levels: (choose one)	Where there is sufficie	ent evidence to rate current proj	ficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level b	y checking one of the f	four proficiency levels below. If I	not being rated at this
time, leave blank:			
[] Highly Effective	[ ] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically,	what has been observ	ed that reflects current proficie	ency on this indicator?
The examples above are ill	ustrative and do not re	eflect an exclusive list of what is	s expected):
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 3.3**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What specific strategies	What system supports are	To what extent do learning	What have I done to deepen my
have you employed to	in place to ensure that the	goals presented to the	understanding of the
measure improvements in	best ideas and thinking on	students reflect a clear	connection between the
teaching and innovations in use of learning goals and how can you use such measures as predictors of	learning goals are shared with colleagues and are a priority of collegial professional learning?	relationship between the course standards and the assignments and activities students are given?	instructional strategies of learning goals and tracking student progress?
improved student achievement?	professional learning:	students are given:	

Indicator 3.4 – Curriculum Alignments: Systemic processes are implemented to ensure alignment of curriculum resources with state standards for the courses taught.

Narrative: Academic standards are determined at the state level and the curriculum used to enable students to master those standards is determined at the district and school level. Curriculum must be aligned with the standards if it is to support standards-based instruction. Curriculum resources may or may not be fully aligned with the standards assigned to a specific course. The learning needs of students in specific classes may require additional or adapted curriculum materials to address issues of rigor, cultural relevance, or support for needed learning goals. School leaders maintain processes to monitor the appropriateness and alignment of curriculum to standards and intervene to make adjustments as needed to enable students to access curriculum that supports the standards.

Note: Where gaps or misalignments are noted by the processes addressed in this indicator, the leader's actions relevant to Indicator 8.2 (Strategic Instructional Resourcing) should be addressed.

#### **Rating Rubric**

Effective: Leader's actions or Highly Effective: Leader's **Needs Improvement:** actions or impact of leader's impact of leader's actions Leader's actions or impact of actions relevant to this indicator relevant to this indicator are leader's actions relevant to this exceed effective levels and sufficient and appropriate indicator are evident but are reflections of quality work with constitute models of proficiency inconsistent or of insufficient for other leaders. only normal variations. scope or proficiency. The leader routinely engages Specific and recurring Processes to monitor faculty in processes to procedures are in place to alignment of curriculum improve the quality of monitor the quality of resources with standards in curriculum resources in alignment between the course descriptions are regard to their alignment curriculum resources and untimely or not with standards and impact on standards. comprehensive across the student achievement and curriculum. supports replacing resources Procedures under the control Efforts to align curriculum as more effective ones are of the leader for acquiring with standards are emerging available. new curriculum resources but have not yet resulted in include assessment of improved student The leader is proactive in alignment with standards.

engaging other school leaders in sharing feedback on identification and effective use of curriculum resources that are associated resource with improved student achievement.

Parents and community members credit this leader with sharing ideas or curriculum supports that enable home and community to support student mastery of priority standards.

Curriculum resources aligned to state standards by publishers/developers are used school wide to focus instruction on state standards, and state, district, or school supplementary materials are routinely used that identify and fill gaps, and align instruction with the implementation level of the standards.

achievement.

Curriculum resources aligned to state standards by text publishers/developers are used school wide to focus instruction on state standards, but there is no to minimal use of state, district, or school supplementary materials that identify and fill gaps, and align instruction with the implementation level of the standards.

Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.

There are no or minimal processes managed by the leader to verify that curriculum resources are aligned with the standards in the course descriptions.

Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Curriculum is presented to faculty and students as the content reflected in course descriptions rather than the content in a textbook.
- School procedures for acquisition of instructional materials include assessment of their usefulness in helping students' master state standards and include processes to address gaps or misalignments.
- Course descriptions play a larger role in focusing course content than do test item specification documents.
- Agendas, meeting minutes, and memoranda to the faculty make evident a focus on importance of curriculum being a vehicle for enabling students to master standards in the course description.
- Media center acquisitions reflect a systematic effort to build curriculum supports that support student mastery of content standards at various levels of implementation.
- NGSSS and Common Core standards are routinely used to frame discussions on the quality and sufficiency of curriculum support materials.

**Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Teachers can describe the strengths and weaknesses of primary texts in regard to alignment with standards in the state course description.
- Students are able to characterize text books and other school provided resources tools as aids in student mastery of course standards.
- Pacing guides focus assignments and activities planned for students on learning goals and state standards rather than coverage of chapters in a text.
- Documents can be presented that inform of the alignment between curriculum resources and standards for the course.
- Teachers can identify supplementary material used to deepen student mastery of standards.
- Parent feedback/questionnaire results indicate recognition that the school is focused on standardsbased instruction rather than covering topics or chapters.
- Student feedback/questionnaire results indicate recognition that the curriculum is focused on what students are to understand and be able to do.

indicator.	<ul> <li>Results on student growth fleasures show steady improvements in student learning.</li> <li>Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>				
Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient e	• • • •				
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four time, leave blank:	proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this				
[ ] Highly Effective [ ] Effective [	] Needs Improvement [ ] Unsatisfactory				
<b>Evidence Log</b> (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):					
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 3.4**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What system is in place to ensure that your best ideas and thinking on using curriculum to enable students to master standards are shared with	What specific school improvement strategies have you employed to measure improvements in teaching and innovations in curriculum that serve as	How can you monitor whether the activities and assignments student get that involve use of curriculum resources are aligned with learning goals and standards?	Do you know which standards are addressed in your curriculum?
colleagues, particularly when there is evidence at your school of improved student achievement?	predictors of improved student achievement?	anu stanuarus:	

# Indicator 3.5 – Quality Assessments: The leader ensures the appropriate use of high quality formative and interim assessments aligned with the adopted standards and curricula.

Narrative: How do we know what our students already know, what they need to know, and how they are doing as we move forward with instruction? The school leader needs "assessment literacy" to address these questions. Where indicator 1.2 addresses the leader's proficiency in use of student performance data, this indicator focuses on actions taken at the school site to generate interim assessment data and make sure faculty use formative assessment practices to monitor and adjust instruction. Assessment of student progress toward academic standards is an important aspect of tracking student progress. Leaders need to make use of data on interim and formative assessments to guide goal setting and progress monitoring. They need to provide teachers access to quality assessments and promote teacher use of formative assessments as a routine strategy. The leader needs on-going assessment data to inform a variety of decisions regarding such issues as resource allocations, student and teacher schedules, professional learning impacts, and adjustments in plans.

#### **Rating Rubric**

time, leave blank:

[] Highly Effective

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**Scale Levels:** (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this

[] Needs Improvement

[] Unsatisfactory

[] Effective

Indicator 3.6 – Faculty Effectiveness: The leader monitors the effectiveness of classroom teachers and uses contemporary research and the district's instructional evaluation system criteria and procedures to improve student achievement and faculty proficiency on the FEAPs.

**Evidence Log** (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):

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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 3.5**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How might you engage other school leaders in sharing quality examples of formative assessment and use of interim assessment data?  What procedures might you establish to increase your ability to help your colleagues provide professional learning for individual and collegial groups within the district focused on applying the knowledge and skills of assessment literacy, data analysis, and the use of state, district, school, and classroom assessment data to improve student achievement?	How might you engage teacher leaders in sharing quality examples of formative assessment practices with other faculty?  How can you provide ongoing professional learning for individual and collegial groups within the district focused on applying the knowledge and skills of assessment literacy, data analysis, and the use of state, district, school, and classroom assessment data to improve student achievement?	How are you systematically seeking, synthesizing, and applying knowledge and skills of assessment literacy and data analysis? In what ways are you sharing your knowledge with staff to increase all students' achievement?  In what ways are you using state, district, school, and classroom assessment data to make specific and observable changes in teaching, curriculum, and leadership decisions to increase student achievement?	How are you expanding your knowledge and/or skills of assessment literacy and data analysis?  What strategies have you considered that would increase your interaction with staff concerning assessments?  How are you using your knowledge and skills of assessment literacy to change schedules, instruction, and curriculum or leadership practices to increase student achievement?

Narrative: School leaders are responsible for monitoring the effectiveness of classroom teachers. This indicator addresses the proficiency and focus of the leader's monitoring processes to maintain awareness of faculty effectiveness and the use of monitoring data to improve student and faculty performance. The focus here is on monitoring teacher use of strategies supported by contemporary research, teacher proficiency on issues contained in the district's teacher evaluation system, what teachers do to improve student achievement, and faculty proficiency on the FEAPs.

Note: Indicator 3.1 is focused on the leader's grasp of the FEAPs whereas this indicator focuses on monitoring the faculties' grasp of the FEAPs. Indicator 4.2 is focused on the leader's use of monitoring data to provide timely feedback.

#### **Rubric**

[] Highly Effective

[] Effective

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The leader's monitoring process generates a shared vision with the faculty of high expectations for faculty proficiency in the FEAPs, research-based instructional strategies, and the indicators in the teacher evaluation system.  The leader shares productive monitoring methods with other school leaders to support district wide improvements.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations  The leader's effectiveness monitoring process provides the leader and leadership team with a realistic overview of the current reality of faculty effectiveness on the FEAPs, the indicators in the teacher evaluation system, and research-based instructional strategies.  The leader's monitoring practices are consistently implemented in a supportive and constructive manner.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency  The district teacher evaluation system is being implemented but the process is focused on procedural compliance rather than improving faculty proficiency on instructional strategies that impact student achievement.  The manner in which monitoring is conducted is not generally perceived by faculty as supportive of their professional improvement.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  Monitoring does not comply with the minimum requirements of the district teacher evaluation system.  Monitoring is not focused on teacher proficiency in research-based strategies and the FEAPs.
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monitoring of faculty.  Records or notes indice and informal observations of the process of the	cate the frequency of formal tions.  walkthroughs is focused on rigies and other FEAPs  dum from follow-up gededback on formal or so reflect attention to FEAPs reased practices.  so address faculty proficiency elemonitoring process.  In teachers to provide feedback officiency on instructional reason memoranda focused on conitoring.  Illocation actions are adjusted data.  Jence of proficiency on this	<ul> <li>The teachers document that the leader initiated professional development focused on issues aris from faculty effectiveness monitoring.</li> <li>Teacher-leader meeting agendas or memoranda reflect follow-up actions based on feedback from leadership monitoring on FEAPs, teacher evaluat indicators, or research-based strategies.</li> <li>Lesson study, PLC, or teacher team work is initiat to address issues arising from monitoring proces</li> <li>Teachers can describe the high-effect size instructional strategies employed across the grad and curriculum and how they are adapted in the teacher's classroom to meet student needs.</li> <li>Data and feedback from school leader(s) generat from walkthroughs and observations are used by teachers to revise instructional practices.</li> <li>Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>	
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[] Needs Improvement

[] Unsatisfactory

<b>Evidence Log</b> (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 3.6**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How do you convey to	How do you improve your	How do you restructure your	How do you improve your own
highly effective teachers	conferencing skills so your	use of time so that you spend	grasp of what the FEAPs require
specific feedback that	feedback to teachers is	enough time on monitoring	so that your monitoring has a
would move them toward	both specific enough to be	the proficiency of instructional	useful focus?
even higher levels of	helpful and perceived as	practices and giving feedback	
proficiency?	support rather than	to be an effective support for	
	negative criticism?	the faculty?	
How do you engage highly			
effective teachers in sharing			
a vision of high quality			
teaching with their			
colleagues so that there is			
no plateau of "good			
enough"?			

Proficiency Area 4: <u>Faculty Development</u>: Effective school leaders recruit, retain, and develop an effective and diverse faculty and staff; focus on evidence, research, and classroom realities faced by teachers; link professional practice with student achievement to demonstrate the cause and effect relationship; facilitate effective professional development; monitor implementation of critical initiatives; and provide timely feedback to teachers so that feedback can be used to increase teacher professional practice.

Narrative: This proficiency area is aligned with FPLS standard 4. It moves the focus from "what is the current reality" of faculty proficiency to continuous progress toward what the faculty can achieve with effort and focus.

Indicator 4.1 – Recruitment and Retention: The leader employs a faculty with the instructional proficiencies needed for the school population served.

Narrative: The focus of this indicator is on the leader's actions to staff the school with the best faculty possible for the needs of the school population. It addresses actions taken to anticipate staffing needs, seek out quality applicants, and efforts to retain quality staff once on the faculty.

# **Rating Rubric**

indicator.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
The leader tracks the success of her or his recruitment and hiring strategies, learns from past experience, and revisits the process annually to continually improve the process.  The leader engages in a variety of traditional and non-traditional recruitment strategies and then prioritizes based on where they find their most effective teachers.  Effective recruiting and hiring practices are frequently shared with other administrators and colleagues throughout the system.	The leader works collaboratively with the staff in the human resources office to define the ideal teacher based upon the school population served.  The leader is sensitive to the various legal guidelines about the kind of data that can be sought in interviews.  A hiring selection tool that helps interviewers focus on key instructional proficiencies that are aligned with the teacher evaluation criteria is developed and effectively utilized.  A hiring process is clearly communicated including how	The leader relies on the district office to post notices of vacancies and identify potential applicants.  Efforts to identify replacements tend to be slow and come after other schools have made selections.  Interview processes are disorganized, not focused on the schools needs, and do not improve from year to year.	The leader approaches the recruitment and hiring process from a reactive rather than a proactive standpoint. Consequently, the process may not be well thought out, is disjointed, and not aligned with key success criteria embedded within the teacher evaluation documents essential to organizational success.  No coherent plan or process is employed to encourage quality staff to remain on the faculty.
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Illustrative examples of such	evidence may include, but	Illustrative examples of such	evidence may include, but
are not limited to the follow	ing:	are not limited to the follow	ring:
highly desirable instruction teacher applicants.  Documentation that the resis subjected to an in-depth continuous improvement proceedings of the leader has an establish effective and highly effective and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires and reviews that proceedings of the leader has a systematic hires.	eded to improve faculty it assessment in filling  Ints (e.g., posting notices, pok/listen fors) that identify nal proficiencies needed in  Ecruitment and select process is review and evaluation for purposes. Ined record of retaining ive teachers on the staff. It is process for selecting new it is impact on faculty Insfer teachers that promote culture and instructional	<ul> <li>a specific focus on essentineeded for the school pop</li> <li>Teachers confirm that a crincludes an evaluation of tiprocess.</li> <li>Teacher leaders are involviand providing input to the</li> <li>Teachers new to the school induction processes that hip adjustment to the school.</li> <li>Teacher leaders (e.g. departable)</li> <li>Teacher leaders to fill value finding candidates to fill value.</li> </ul>	itical part of the hiring process the effectiveness of the  ed in monitoring staffing needs leader. of can describe effective and a positive impact on their  ertment heads, team leaders) anal capacities needed in
	nistrators and colleagues within		

Scale Levels: (choose one) W	here there is sufficion	ent evidence to rate current pro	ficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by a	checking one of the	four proficiency levels below. If	not being rated at this
time, leave blank:			_
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Evidence Log (Specifically, w	hat has been observ	ved that reflects current proficion	ency on this indicator?
The examples above are illus	trative and do not r	eflect an exclusive list of what i	s expected):
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# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 4.1**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What can be done to	What connections do you	Have you gathered data about	At what point in the school year
encourage quality teachers	have to reach potential	why teachers choose to leave	do you check on staff retention
to stay with your school and	applicants other that the	your faculty?	and estimate future staffing
quality applicants to seek to	districts personnel office?	What strategies have you	needs?
join the faculty?		employed to meet the	In what ways are professional
		learning needs of your faculty,	learning opportunities linked to
		from novice to veteran to	individual faculty needs?
		expert?	

Indicator 4.2 – Feedback Practices: The leader monitors, evaluates proficiency, and provides timely and actionable feedback to faculty on the effectiveness of instruction on priority instructional goals and the cause and effect relationships between professional practice and student achievement on those goals.

Narrative: Where indicator 3.6 focuses on monitoring to maintain awareness of faculty effectiveness, this indicator focuses on the use of the monitoring process to provide quality and timely feedback to teachers. The feedback processes need to deepen teacher understanding of the impact of their practices on student learning.

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Highly Effective: Leader's	<b>Effective:</b> Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's	
actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator	impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are	Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this	actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator	
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,	
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.	
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.		
The leader uses a variety of	The leader provides formal	The leader adheres to the	There is no or only minimal	
creative ways to provide	feedback consistent with the	personnel policies in	monitoring that results in	
positive and corrective	district personnel policies,	providing formal feedback,	feedback on proficiency.	
feedback. The entire	and provides informal	although the feedback is just	Formal feedback, when	
organization reflects the	feedback to reinforce	beginning to provide details	provided, is nonspecific.	
leader's focus on accurate,	proficient performance and	that improve teaching or	provided, is nonspecific.	
timely, and specific	highlight the strengths of	organizational performance,	Informal feedback is rare,	
recognition of proficiency	colleagues and staff.	or there are faculty to whom	nonspecific, and not	
and improvement in	The leader has effectively	feedback Is not timely or not	constructive.	
proficiency.	implemented a system for	focused on priority		
The focus and specificity of	collecting feedback from	improvement needs.		
feedback creates a clear	teachers as to what they	The lead on ton de ton Servi		
vision of what the priority	know, what they understand,	The leader tends to view		
instructional goals are for the	where they make errors, and	feedback as a linear process;		
school and the cause and	when they have	something they provide teachers rather than a		
effective relationship	misconceptions about use of	collegial exchange of		
between practice and	instructional practices.	perspectives on proficiency.		
student achievement on	Corrective and nesitive	perspectives on proficiency.		
those priority goals.	Corrective and positive feedback is linked to			
The leader balances	organizational goals and both			
individual recognition with	the leader and employees			
team and organization-wide	can cite examples of where			
recognition.	feedback is used to improve			
recognition.	individual and organizational			
	performance.			
	performance.			
<b>Leadership Evidence</b> of prof	ficiency on this indicator	Impact Evidence of leadersh	nip proficiency may be seen	
may be seen in the leader's	behaviors or actions.	in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.		
Illustrative examples of such	evidence may include, but	Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but		
are not limited to the follow	ring:	are not limited to the following:		
Rubrics that distinguish ar		Teachers can attest to regularly scheduled formal and		
	evaluation indicators are used by the leader to focus		informal observations.	
	feedback needed improvements in instructional practice.		on as team members and as	
Samples of written feedba	ick provided teachers regarding	individuals.		
prioritized instructional pr	prioritized instructional practices.		Teachers describe feedback from the leader in terms of	
	ructional monitoring schedule	recognizing instructional strengths and suggestions to		
	tructional monitoring by the	take their teaching to a ne		
school's administrative sta				
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- The leader implements a schedule that results in frequent walkthroughs and observation of teaching and learning
- School improvement plan reflects monitoring data analyses.
- Evidence the leader has a system for securing feedback from teachers specific to prioritized instructional practices.
- The leader's use of time results in at least 2 work days a
  week spent on monitoring instructional issues (i.e.
  "watching the game") and providing specific and
  actionable feedback on instructional practices.
- The leader provides feedback that describes ways to enhance performance and reach the next level of proficiency.
- Feedback reflects judgment on proficiency, not just a "yes-no" checklist approach.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- Teachers report that leader uses a combination of classroom observation and teacher-self assessment data as part of the feedback.
- Feedback to teachers, over the course of the year, is based on multiple sources of information (e.g. observations, walkthroughs, videos, self-reflections, lesson studies, PLCs, assessment data,) and from more than one person.
- Teacher leaders have opportunities to observe colleagues teaching practices and provide feedback.
- Feedback and evaluation data is used by teachers to formulate growth plans.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

indicator.			
Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,			
assign a proficiency level by che	ecking one of the four	proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this
time, leave blank:			
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Evidence Log (Specifically, wha	t has been observed t	that reflects current proficier	ncy on this indicator?
The examples above are illustra	ative and do not refle	ct an exclusive list of what is	expected):
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# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 4.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How frequently do teachers recognize that your feedback is directly linked to improving both their personal performance and that of the school?  What might you do to ensure that they see this important connection?	What are some examples of focused, constructive, and meaningful feedback that you provide to your staff? How does this support their learning?	In what ways do you currently recognize faculty in providing feedback and affirmation to them?  To what extent do you acknowledge the efforts of teams, as well as that of individuals?	How can frequent, focused, and constructive feedback support teachers in improving their instructional practice?

# Indicator 4.3 – High effect size strategies: Instructional personnel receive recurring feedback on their proficiency on high effect size strategies.

Narrative: Teaching

is a complex process. The "right thing to do" varies with conditions in the classroom. However, teachers need proficiency on a core repertoire of high importance strategies. These are strategies all teachers are expected to be able to use effectively. This indicator is focused on the leader's proficiency in focusing faculty attention on improvement of those "high effect size" strategies – those with higher probabilities of causing student growth when done correctly and in appropriate circumstances.

Note: Department lists of high-effect size strategies are posted at <a href="www.fldoe.org">www.fldoe.org</a> and <a href="www.floridaschoolleaders.org">www.floridaschoolleaders.org</a>

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's	
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's	
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator	
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,	
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.	
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	<del></del>	
The leader uses a variety of	In addition to the formal	The leader adheres to the	The leader is not aware of	
creative ways to provide	feedback consistent with the	district evaluation system	the high effect size strategies	
positive and corrective	district evaluation system	requirements for providing	expected to be used in	
feedback on the	indictors, the leader provides	formal feedback on high	district schools or fails to	
implementation of high	recurring informal feedback	effect size strategies, but the	communicate them to	
effect size strategies. As a	on high effect size strategies	feedback is general rather	faculty.	
result, the correct and	to reinforce proficient	than providing details that	Feedback on high effect size	
appropriate implementation	performance and highlight	improve teaching or	strategies is rare, nonspecific,	
of high effect size	the strengths of colleagues	organizational performance	and not constructive.	
instructional strategies across	and staff.	related to high effect size	and not constructive.	
the curriculum and grades is	The leader has effectively	strategies.		
a routine part of the learning	implemented a system for			
environment for all students.	collecting feedback from	The leader tends to view		
The entire ergenization	teachers as to what they	feedback as a linear process;		
The entire organization reflects the leader's focus on	know, what they understand,	something they provide		
		teachers rather than two way		
accurate, timely, and specific	where they make errors, and	communications where the		
recognition of correct and	when they have	leader also learns from the		
appropriate implementation	misconceptions about use of	teachers' expertise.		
of high effect size strategies.	high effect size strategies.			
The leader balances	Corrective and positive			
individual recognition on high	feedback on high effect size			
effect size strategies with	strategies is linked to			
team and organization-wide	organizational goals.			
recognition.	Both the leader and			
	employees can cite examples			
	of where feedback on high			
	effect size strategies is used			
	to improve individual and			
	organizational performance.			
Leadership Evidence of pro	ficiency on this indicator	Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen		
may be seen in the leader's	behaviors or actions.	in the behaviors or status of	the faculty and staff.	
Illustrative examples of such		Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but		
are not limited to the follow	are not limited to the following:		are not limited to the following:	

- Professional learning supports on the high effective size strategies are readily available to faculty.
- Samples of written feedback provided teachers high effect size instructional strategies.
- Walkthrough and observation practices are designed to emphasize feedback on use of high effective size strategies.
- School improvement plan includes actions to improve proficiency in high effect size strategies.
- Evidence the leader has a system for securing specific feedback from teachers on their implementation of high effect size strategies correctly and in appropriate circumstances.
- Documentation of an instructional monitoring schedule that supports frequent (every other week) instructional monitoring of high effect size strategies.
- The leader provides feedback that describes ways to enhance performance on high effect size strategies and reach the next level on same.
- The leader manages schedules that enable teachers to make observational rounds or view video examples of other teachers using the high effect size strategies.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- Teachers can attest to regularly scheduled formal and informal observations with feedback on high effect strategies.
- Teachers report recognition as team members and as individuals for quality work on high effect strategies.
- Teachers describe feedback from the leader in terms of recognizing instructional strengths and suggestions to take their teaching to a new level.
- Teachers report that leader uses a combination of classroom observation and teacher-self assessment data as part of the feedback on high effect size strategies.
- High effect size strategies provided through various state and district initiatives are employed by teachers to whom the initiatives apply.
- Departments routinely discuss their capacity to implement the high effect strategies applicable to their subject area.
- Teachers are afforded opportunities to observe mentor teachers using the high effect size strategies.
- Lesson study teams use the process to improve application of high effect strategies to the content of targeted lessons.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Wh	nere there is sufficien	nt evidence to rate current profi	ciency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by cl	hecking one of the fo	our proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this
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Evidence Log (Specifically, wh	at has been observe	ed that reflects current proficier	icy on this indicator?
The examples above are illust	rative and do not re	flect an exclusive list of what is	expected):
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 4.3**

Reflection Questions				
Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory	
How frequently do teachers recognize that your feedback is directly linked to improving both their personal performance on high effect size strategies and as well as the organizational performance?  What might you do to ensure that they see this important	What are some examples of focused, constructive, and meaningful feedback on high effect size strategies that you provide to your staff? How does this support their learning?	In what ways do you currently recognize faculty in providing feedback and affirmation to them on high effect size strategies?  To what extent do you acknowledge the efforts of teams, as well as that of individuals?	How can frequent, focused, and constructive feedback support teachers in improving their instructional practice?	

Indicator 4.4 - <u>Instructional Initiatives</u>: District supported state initiatives focused on student growth are supported by the leader with specific and observable actions including monitoring of implementation and measurement of progress toward initiative goals and professional learning to improve faculty capacity to implement the initiatives.

Narrative: The Department of Education and/or district-supported initiatives focused on improving student performance require school leader support to be successful at the school site. This indicator addresses the leader's proficiency in supporting such initiatives. Indicator 4.4 also focuses on professional learning needed to implement priority initiatives.

Note: District and FLDOE websites provide support and information about priority initiatives.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  All initiatives are implemented across the grades and subjects as appropriate with full fidelity to the components of each	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  Most of the district and state initiatives are implemented across the grades and subjects as appropriate with full fidelity to the	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  Some initiatives are implemented across the some of the grades and subjects as appropriate with work in progress to	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  District and state supported initiatives are not supported by the leader with any specific plans, actions, feedback or monitoring.
initiative.  The leader monitors teachers' implementation of the initiative, tracks the impact of the initiative on student growth, and shares effective practices and impacts with other school leaders.	components of each initiative.  The leader is conversant with the impact the initiative is expected to have and monitors teacher and student implementation of the elements of the initiative.	implement the components of each initiative.  The leader relies on teachers to implement the initiatives and is seldom involved in monitoring or providing feedback on the impact of the initiative's implementation on student growth.	The leader is unaware of what state and district initiatives are expected to be implemented at the school.
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<ul> <li>access to supporting resou</li> <li>Leader's agendas, memora to faculty on the targeted i</li> <li>A Multi-tiered System of St to Intervention (Rti) is fully monitors regularly to susta</li> <li>The leader monitors practi</li> </ul>	anda, etc. reflect presentations initiatives. supports (MTSS) and Response implemented and the leader in implementation. ces in areas where subject ected and provides feedback in strategies (e.g. ESOL est Read, Florida! are	various initiatives.  Video exemplars that support implementing the initiatives are routinely used by faculty.  Online resources and technology supports that deepene understanding of the initiatives are used by faculty.  State or district web-based resources aligned with the initiatives are regularly accessed by faculty,  Teachers have participated in professional development associated with the initiative and implemented the strategies learned.  Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.	

<ul> <li>Other leadership evidence of indicator.</li> </ul>	of proficiency on this				
Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,					
assign a proficiency level b	y checking one of the f	our proficiency levels below. If	not being rated at this		
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[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[ ] Unsatisfactory		
Evidence Log (Specifically,	what has been observe	ed that reflects current profici	ency on this indicator?		
The examples above are ill	ustrative and do not re	flect an exclusive list of what	is expected):		
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 4.4**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How do you engage your faculty in communities of practice where practices related to the initiatives are shared with faculty in other schools or districts?	How do you use monitoring of these initiatives to identify faculty professional development needs that, if addressed, would improve the quality of implementation?	How do you communicate with district and state resources to learn more about what these initiatives can contribute to my school?	How do you find out what initiatives should be implemented?

Indicator 4.5 – Facilitating and Leading Professional Learning: The leader manages the organization, operations, and facilities to provide the faculty with quality resources and time for professional learning and promotes, participates in, and engages faculty in effective individual and collaborative learning on priority professional goals throughout the school year.

Narrative: Indicator 4.5 is focused on what the leader does to engage faculty in meaningful professional learning (which includes being involved in what the faculty is learning). Professional learning on-the-job is an essential aspect of effective schools. School leaders who manage the school in ways that support both individual and collegial professional learning get better outcomes than those who do not. The leader's personal participation in professional learning plays a major role in making professional learning efforts pay off. This indicator addresses the leader's role as a leader in professional development.

Н	lighly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
ad	ctions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
ad	ctions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
ex	ceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
cc	onstitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
fc	or other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	

The leader uses a variety of creative ways to provide professional learning for individual and collegial groups focused on deepening subject matter knowledge and proficiency at high effect size strategies.

The leader is personally involved in the learning activities of the faculty in way s that both show support and deepen understanding of what to monitor.

The entire organization reflects the leader's focus on accurate, timely, and specific professional learning that targets improved instruction and student learning on the standards in the course descriptions.

Leadership monitoring of professional learning is focused on the impact of instructional proficiency on student learning.

The leader provides recurring opportunities for professional learning for individual and collegial groups focused on issues directly related to faculty proficiency at high effect size strategies and student learning needs.

The leader removes barriers to time for professional learning and provides needed resources as a priority.

Participation in specific professional learning that target improved instruction and student learning is recognized by the faculty as a school priority.

Leadership monitoring of professional learning is focused on the impact of instructional proficiency on student learning.

Less than a majority of the faculty can verify participation in professional learning focused on student needs or faculty proficiency at high effect size strategies.

Time for professional learning is provided but is not a consistent priority.

Minimal effort expended to assess the impact of professional learning on instructional proficiency.

Leadership monitoring of professional learning is focused primarily participation with minimal attention given to the impact of instructional proficiency on student learning.

Focused professional development on priority learning needs is not operational.

Few faculty members have opportunities to engage in collegial professional development processes on the campus.

Individual professional learning is not monitored and is not connected to the school improvement plan or student learning needs.

**Leadership Evidence** of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Documents generated by or at the direction of the leader establish a clear pattern of attention to individual professional development.
- Documents generated by or at the direction of the leader establish a clear pattern of attention to collegial professional development.
- Schedules provide evidence of recurring time allocated for professional learning.
- Technology is used to provide easy and recurring access to professional learning.
- Budget records verify resources allocated to support prioritized professional learning.
- Documents generated provide evidence that administrators are monitoring faculty participation in professional learning.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.

Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Faculty members describe an organizational climate supportive of professional learning and can provide examples of personal involvement.
- Minutes and/or summary records of lesson study teams, book study groups, and/or PLCs provide evidence that these collegial opportunities are active on the campus.
- Agendas, documents, or anecdotal records of teams and/or department meetings reflect recurring engagement in professional learning.
- Information on the availability of professional learning is easily accessible for faculty.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Scale Levels:** (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this time, leave blank:

[ ] Highly Effective

[ ] Effective

[] Needs Improvement

[] Unsatisfactory

**Evidence Log** (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):

Indicator 4.6 – Faculty Development Alignments: The leader implements professional learning processes that enable faculty to deliver culturally relevant and differentiated instruction by:

- generating a focus on student and professional learning in the school that is clearly linked to the system-wide objectives and the school improvement plan,
- identifying faculty instructional proficiency needs (including standards-based content, research-based pedagogy, data analysis for instructional planning and improvement),
- aligning faculty development practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals,
- and using instructional technology as a learning tool for students and faculty.

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### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 4.5**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What strategies have you	What might be some creative	As you think about your	How would you describe your
implemented so that you	ways to provide professional	leadership in providing	efforts to make certain that
spread your learning about	learning for individual and	professional learning, what	your professional learning is
providing professional	collegial groups focused on	are key strategies for you to	focused on student needs or
learning for individual and	deepening subject matter	consider that would help you	faculty proficiency at high
collegial groups within your	knowledge and proficiency at	provide recurring	effect size strategies?
school to your colleagues	high effect size strategies?	opportunities for	
across the school system?		professional learning for	
		individual and collegial	
		groups focused on issues	
		directly related to faculty	
		proficiency at high effect size	
		strategies and student	
		learning needs?	

Narrative: Faculty development has many aspects. This indicator addresses the leader's proficiency at developing faculty capacity to implement culturally relevant differentiated instruction by <u>aligning</u> the various faculty developments processes and practices with certain key issues (Standards-based content, research-based methods, data for planning, etc. as specified in the text of the standard.)

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	

The leader has demonstrated a record of differentiated professional learning for faculty based on student needs.

The leader has developed a system of job-embedded professional learning that differentiates training and implementation of instructional priorities based on teacher needs, which help retain proficient and highly exemplary staff.

The leader routinely shares professional learning opportunities with other schools, departments, districts, and organizations.

Professional learning includes a plan for the implementation of the prioritized instructional needs (e.g., research-based instruction, data analysis, instructional technology, culturally relevant) aligned to school improvement plan and some effort has been made to differentiate (coaching, mentoring, collaborative teams, coaching) and embed professional development to meet the needs of all faculty members. The leader is able to use data from evaluation of instructional personnel to assess proficiencies and identify priority needs to support and retain proficient and exemplary faculty members.

The leader attempts to implement all of the priority instructional needs without a plan for doing so.

The leader is aware of the differentiated needs of faculty and staff members, but professional development is only embedded in faculty meetings at this time, rather than incorporating the use of collaboration, study teams, etc. in order to meet the unique needs of staff.

Professional learning is typically "one size fits all," and there is little or no evidence of recognition of individual faculty needs or matching of faculty needs to student achievement needs. Consequently, retaining proficient and exemplary staff is problematic.

**Leadership Evidence** of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Documentation that professional learning is determined on the basis of student achievement and teacher competency data.
- Evidence that professional learning includes culturally relevant instructional practices.
- Faculty meetings focus on professional learning related to the schools instructional priorities.
- The leader examines data on teacher proficiencies and identifies needs that are subsequently addressed by professional learning.
- Technology resources are provided to maximize faculty access to online learning and sharing video exemplars for quality instructional practices.
- Individualized professional development plans approved by the principal are clearly aligned with school improvement priorities.
- Meeting agendas and memorandum to faculty provide evidence of on-going monitoring of the implementation of critical initiatives (e.g., data analysis, text complexity), standards-based instructional program, multi-tiered system of supports, and differentiated instruction.
- The leader's documents and agendas provide evidence of guiding faculty toward deeper understanding of the cultures of students in the school and how instruction is adapted to improve student engagement in learning.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff. <u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Staff describes ways that professional learning is culturally relevant to the population served and differentiated to meet their unique instructional needs.
- Lesson study groups and PLCs have explicitly stated goals and a focus for their collegial learning.
- Teachers can articulate a process that helps them develop individualized learning plans.
- Faculty requests for professional learning are filtered to ensure that they relate to identified needs within the school improvement plan.
- Teachers can identify their learning needs as they relate to student learning needs.
- Faculty can demonstrate their use of course descriptions as the source of learning goals and objectives.
- Faculty can provide evidence of culturally relevant and differentiated instruction.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Scale Levels:** (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this time, leave blank:

[] Highly Effective [] Effective [] Needs Improvement [] Unsatisfactory

Indicator 4.7 – Actual Improvement: The leader improves the percentage of effective and highly effective teachers on the faculty.

Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):

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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 4.6**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What procedures have you	What system do you use to	What strategies have you	In what ways are professional
established to increase	prioritize learning needs and	employed to meet the	learning opportunities linked
professional knowledge	empower faculty to create	learning needs of your	to individual faculty needs?
opportunities for colleagues	individual learning plans?	faculty, from novice to	
across the school system?		veteran to expert?	

Narrative: An indicator required by 1012.34 F.S., the focus is on whether the accumulated impact of the leader's actions result in positive trend lines on teacher effectiveness. Evidence gathered from proficiency area #3 provide a base line that, along with teacher rating in the district's teacher evaluation system and student growth measures, enable assessment of whether actual improvement in teacher's proficiency is occurring.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
The percentage of teachers rated effective or highly effective increases while the percentage rated needs improvement for two consecutive years declines.  Student growth measure and instructional practice ratings are in substantial agreement for at least 75 percent of the faculty.	The percentage of teachers rated effective or highly effective increases or remains stable within five percentage points of the prior year, but there is evidence of specific improvements in student growth measures or proficiency in high effect size strategies.	There is no evidence of improvement in student growth measures for the majority of the teachers rated as effective, needs improvement, or unsatisfactory.  There is significant variation between teachers' student growth measures and principal's assessment of instructional practices.	The percentage of teachers rated effective or highly effective declines and cannot be explained by changes in staff membership.  There is no evidence of improvement in student growth measures for the majority of the teachers rated as needs improvement or unsatisfactory.

Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- Documents generated by or at the direction of the leader establish that the leader tracks the progress of faculty members on student growth measures and identifies those making demonstrable progress.
- Documents generated by or at the direction of the leader establish that the leader tracks the progress of faculty members on high effect size strategies and identifies those making demonstrable progress.
- Documents generated by or at the direction of the leader establish that the leader tracks the progress of faculty members rated as needs improvement or unsatisfactory and can identify specific areas of improvement.
- The leader tracks student growth data and teacher assessment data aligned to learning goals to track actual improvement in teacher performance and maintains records of the percentage of staff showing growth over
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:

- The percentage of teachers rated highly effective increases.
- The percentage of teachers rated effective increases.
- The percentage of teachers previously rated as needing improvement (developing) or unsatisfactory decreases.
- The percentage of teachers ranking at or above the district average on student growth measures increases.
- The percentage of teachers with highly effective rating on high effect size instructional strategies increases.
- Lesson studies produce revised lessons with improved student outcomes.
- Tracking of learning goals produces data and trend lines showing improvement in teacher effectiveness.
- State and district tests show improved student performance.
- VAM scores in teacher assessment show improvement and trend lines show improvement in percentage of results based on VAM scores.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this
time, leave blank:

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time, leave blank:			
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Evidence Log (Specifically, v	what has been observe	ed that reflects current proficier	ncy on this indicator?
The examples above are illu	ustrative and do not re	flect an exclusive list of what is	expected):
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 4.7**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How well aligned are your	How would you describe your	How would you describe your	How are you making a
assessments of instructional	efforts to improve	efforts to understand what	difference in the quality of
practice with the results of	instruction?	instructional improvements	teaching in your school?
student growth measures?		are needed and then	
	In what ways are you	communicate that in useful	What are some of the
In what ways are you	providing feedback on	ways?	strategies you are employing
assisting the better	instructional practice that		that help you be aware of
performing teachers to	result in improved student	What information are you	where the greatest problems
improve as much as you are	learning for those teachers	collecting to help you know	are in terms of instructional
assisting the lower	most in need of growth?	what is or is not happening in	proficiency?
performers?		the classrooms where	
		teachers need improvement?	

Proficiency Area 5: <u>Learning Environment</u>: Effective school leaders structure and monitor a school learning environment that improves learning for all of Florida's diverse student population.

Narrative: This proficiency area is aligned with FPLS standard 5. Much of what student's experience in school is a result of decisions and actions by the adults in the school. Learning environments that are success oriented, student centered, treat diversity as an asset, and focus on eliminating achievement gaps support students preparation for fulfilling lives.

Indicator 5.1 – Student Centered: The leader maintains a safe, respectful and inclusive student-centered learning environment that is focused on equitable opportunities for learning and building a foundation for a fulfilling life in a democratic society and global economy by providing recurring monitoring and feedback on the quality of the learning environment and aligning learning environment practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals.

Narrative: School leaders who monitor what students experience by being enrolled in the leader's school have better insights on how to make the system work than those who do not monitor impact of policies and practices on students. It is the leader's responsibility to know whether student life is equitable, respectful, and supportive of engagement in learning.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The leader provides clear, convincing, and consistent evidence that they ensure the creation and maintenance of a learning environment conducive to successful teaching and learning for all and shares these practices with others throughout the district.  Involves the school and community to collect data on curricular and extracurricular student involvement to assure equal opportunity for student participation.	impact of leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader provides clear evidence that they create and maintain a learning environment that is generally conducive to ensuring effective teaching practices and learning, although there may be some exceptions.  Collects data on curricular and extra-curricular student involvement to assure equal opportunity for student participation.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader provides limited evidence that they create a safe school either in planning or actions.  Collects data on curricular and extra-curricular student involvement.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader provides little to no evidence that s/he make plans for a safe and respectful environment to ensure successful teaching and learning or addresses safety concerns as they arise.  Does not collect data on curricular and extracurricular student involvement.
Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:		Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:	

- Documents that establish safe, respectful, and inclusive school-wide common expectations for students and staff.
- Agendas, meeting minutes, etc., show recurring attention to student needs.
- The leader's documents reveal a pattern of examining student opportunities for achieving success
- Leader has procedures for students to express needs and concerns direct to the leader.
- The leader provides programs and supports for student not making adequate progress.
- School policies, practices, procedures are designed to address student needs.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- Teachers can describe a specific policies, practices, and procedures that result in a safe, respectful, and inclusive student-centered learning environment.
- Student questionnaire results reflect satisfaction with school attention to student needs and interests.
- Counseling services and safe school programs (e.g. antibullying") are implemented.
- Tutorial processes are provided and easily accessible by students.
- Teachers receive training on adapting instruction to student needs.
- Extended day or weekend programs focused on student academic needs are operational and monitored
- Parent questionnaire results reflect satisfaction with schools attention to student needs and interests.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

**Scale Levels:** (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this time, leave blank:

time, leave blank:			
[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically,	what has been observe	ed that reflects current profici	ency on this indicator?
The examples above are illu	ustrative and do not re	flect an exclusive list of what i	s expected):
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 5.1**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What practices have you	What evidence would you	How would you describe your	What strategies are you
engaged in to increase professional knowledge opportunities for colleagues across the school system regarding your efforts to ensure the creation and maintenance of a learning environment conducive to successful teaching and learning for all?	accept you were ensuring the creation and maintenance of a learning environment conducive to successful teaching and learning for all?	efforts to provide clear evidence that you create and maintain a learning environment that is generally conducive to ensure effective teaching and learning, although there may be some exceptions?	intentionally implementing to create and maintain a safe and respectful environment to ensure successful teaching and learning or addresses safety concerns as they arise?

Indicator 5.2 - Success Oriented: Initiates and supports continuous improvement processes and a multi-tiered system of supports focused on the students' opportunities for success and well-being.

Narrative: The issues in 5.1 focus on monitoring how school policy and practice affect the quality of student lives. This indicator shifts focus from those broad issues to what happens at the school that creates opportunities for student success and students' perceptions that school life is organized to do something good for them. School should be rigorous and demanding but also implemented in ways that create recurring opportunities for success.

Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator **Impact Evidence** of leadership proficiency may be seen may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions. in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but and/or community. Illustrative examples of such are not limited to the following: evidence may include, but are not limited to the following: Agendas, memorandum, and other documents provide Teachers' records reveal data-based interventions and direction on implementation of MTSS. progress monitoring. Agendas, memorandum, and other documents reflect Teacher-directed celebrations of student success identify recurring discussion with faculty on continuous progress causes of success. Supplemental supports are provided in classes. monitoring practices. The leader recognizes the accomplishments of individual Faculty and student describe the leader as one who is teachers, student, groups and the whole school via genuinely committed to student success in school and newsletters, announcements, websites, social media and face-to-face exchanges) Faculty teams, departments, grade levels or collegial Leader solicits student input on processes that support or learning teams who have worked together on student hamper their success. success are recognized. Leader does surveys and other data collections that Teacher and student tracking of progress results in data assess school conditions that impact student well-being. on student success. Data collection processes are employed to collect Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator. student, parent, and stakeholder perception data on the school supports for student success. Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator. Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this time, leave blank: [] Highly Effective [] Needs Improvement [ ] Effective [] Unsatisfactory Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected): Enter data here:

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 5.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What supports do you need	How do you enable	How do you monitor	How do you obtain training on
to provide to deepen the	teachers proficient at MTSS	instructional practice to assess	what the MTSS model requires
faculty's capacity to provide	to share the process with	the quality of implementation	and how do you convey the
intensive individual	other teachers?	of MTSS?	expectations inherent in the
supports?			model to your faculty?
	What continuous progress	How do you monitor the	
How do you share effective	practices should be shared	impact of targeted	
continuous progress	with the entire faculty?	supplemental supports?	
practices with oth4r school			
leaders?			

	What barriers to student	
	success are not being	
	addressed in your school?	

Indicator 5.3 – <u>Diversity</u>: To align diversity practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals, the leader recognizes and uses diversity as an asset in the development and implementation of procedures and practices that motivate all students and improve student learning, and promotes school and classroom practices that validate and value similarities and differences among students.

Narrative: "Diversity practices" refers to the capacity of teachers and school leaders to recognize the many variations in students that impact learning growth (e.g. learning processes, prior learning experiences, family and cultural backgrounds); implement practices that respect diversity in learning needs (e.g. multi-tiered system of supports) and make adjustments at the classroom level that make use of student strengths and promote growth needs.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The leader shares with others throughout the district strategies that help them put into action their belief that all students can learn at high levels by leading curriculum, instruction, and assessment that reflect and respect the diversity of students and staff.  The leader provides an instructional program where recurring adaptations in instructional to address variations in student learning needs, styles, and learning strengths are routine events in all classes.	impact of leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader systematically acts on the belief that all students can learn at high levels by leading curriculum, instruction, and assessment that reflect and respect the diversity of students and staff.  Classroom practices consistently reflect appropriate adjustments based on cultural, racial, ethnic backgrounds of students.  The leader's expectations that teachers adapt instructional strategies to meet individual student needs are an accepted part of the shared vision of the leader and faculty.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader inconsistently acts on the belief that all students can learn at high levels by sometimes leading curriculum, instruction, and assessment that reflect and respect the diversity of students and staff.  The leader has taken some actions that set expectations for teachers adapting instructional strategies to meet individual student needs and such individualization is evident in some but not most classes.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader limits opportunities for all students to meet high expectations by allowing or ignoring practices in curriculum, instruction, and assessment that are culturally, racially, or ethnically insensitive and/or inappropriate.  Takes no actions that set expectations for teachers adapting instructional strategies to meet individual student needs.
Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  Documents that support the use of diversity as an asset in the development and implementation of procedures and practices.  Agendas, memorandum, etc., reflecting recurring attention at faculty meetings to capacity to recognize diversity issues and adapt instruction accordingly.		procedures that validate a differences among studen	the faculty and staff. n evidence may include, but ring: pecific policies, practices, and and value similarities and ts. opportunities are provided for

- Leader's actions in providing professional learning for faculty that deepens understanding of a range of diversity issues and evidence of monitoring for implementation in the classroom of appropriate diversity practices.
- School policies, practices, procedures that validate and value similarities and differences among students.
- The school leader collects and reviews agenda and minutes from departmental or team meetings to monitor attention to diversity issues in pursuit of student learning growth.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- address diversity issues in the student body and community.
- Student questionnaire results reflect belief that their individual characteristics are respected by school leader and faculty.
- Parent questionnaire results reflect belief that their individual characteristics are respected by school leader and faculty.
- A multi-tiered system of supports (MTSS) is implemented in the classrooms in ways that respect and make adjustments for diversity factors.
- The school provides an interactive website for students, parents, and the community designed to be "user friendly" and sensitive to diversity issues in the community, providing information of interest to various segments of the school community
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) V	Vhere there is sufficier	nt evidence to rate current profic	ciency on this indicator,		
assign a proficiency level by	checking one of the fo	our proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this		
time, leave blank:					
[ ] Highly Effective [ ] Effective [ ] Needs Improvement [ ] Unsatisfactory					
<b>Evidence Log</b> (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator?					

The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):

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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 5.3**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What procedures might you	What strategies might you	How might you increase the	How might you expand the
establish to increase your	employ so that you could	consistency with which you	opportunities for all students
ability to help your	share with others throughout	act on the belief that all	to meet high expectations by
colleagues develop	the district practices that	students can learn at high	leading curriculum,
curriculum, instruction, and	help them put into action	levels by sometimes leading	instruction, and assessment
assessment that reflect and	your belief that all students	curriculum, instruction, and	that reflect and respect the
respect the diversity of	can learn at high levels by	assessment that reflect and	diversity of students and
students and staff?	leading curriculum,	respect the diversity of	staff?
	instruction, and assessment	students and staff?	
	that reflect and respect the		
	diversity of students and		
	staff?		

Indicator 5.4 – Achievement Gaps: The leader engages faculty in recognizing and understanding cultural and developmental issues related to student learning by identifying and addressing strategies to minimize and/or eliminate achievement gaps associated with student subgroups within the school.

Narrative: Where indicator 5.3 is focused on the

broad array of diversity factors that impact success of individual students and student sub-groups, indicator 5.4 focuses on <u>academic growth</u> of specific sub-groups whose academic performance lags behind what they are capable of achieving. The leader is expected to prepare the faculty to do what is needed to meet the academic improvement needs of the sub-group(s).

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator	<b>Effective:</b> Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or inpact of leader's actions relevant to this	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
The leader has created a self-regulating system based on data that guarantees regular and predictable success of all sub-groups, even if conditions change from one year to another.  Achievements gaps have been eliminated or substantially minimized with trend lines consistently moving toward elimination of such gaps.	Processes to minimize achievement gaps within all impacted subs-groups are employed for all sub-groups with positive trend lines showing reduction of gaps for all subgroups.  The leader consistently applies the process of inquiry and/or has enabled development of processes that generate greater understanding of the school's current systems and their impact on sub-group academic achievement.	Sub-groups within the school and associated with achievement gaps have been identified and some processes are underway to understand root causes.  Some actions to minimize the gaps have been implemented but either do not reach all sub-group students or have inconsistent or minimal results.  The leader inconsistently applies the process of inquiry and/or has enabled only limited efforts to develop of processes that generate greater understanding of the school's current systems and their impact on sub-group academic achievement.	The leader does not identify nor implement strategies to understand the causes of sub-group achievement gaps.  No changes in practices or processes have been implemented under the leader's direction that is designed to address achievement gaps.  The leader does not apply the process of inquiry and/or develop processes that generate greater understanding of the school's current systems and their impact on sub-group academic achievement.
Leadership Evidence of prof		Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen	
may be seen in the leader's		in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.	
Illustrative examples of such are not limited to the follow		Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:	
<ul> <li>The leader uses statistical needs of sub-group memb</li> <li>Written goals are developed focus on reducing or eliming students in under-perform students with disabilities.</li> <li>Documents reflecting the language of country understanding of country or statistical process.</li> </ul>	analyses identifying academic ers. ed and provided to faculty that nating achievement gaps for	<ul> <li>Faculty and staff can describe the school-wide achievement goals focused on narrowing achievement gaps and relate how that implement those goals to impact individual students.</li> <li>Under-achieving sub-group students are enrolled in advanced classes and presented with high expectations.</li> <li>Teachers can describe specific policies, practices, and procedures that help them use culture and</li> </ul>	

- The leader develops school policies, practices, procedures that validate and value similarities and differences among students.
- Leader's actions in support of engaging sub-group students in self-help processes and goal setting related to academic achievement.
- The leader personally engages students in underperforming sub-groups with support, encouragement, and high expectations.
- Leader's take actions in aligning parent and community resources with efforts to reduce achievement gaps.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- Faculty and staff can explain how goals eliminate differences in achievement for students at different socioeconomic levels.
- English language learners, and students with disabilities
- Teacher records reflecting tracking sub-group student progress on targeted learning goals related to academic achievement.
- Student questionnaire results (from sub-group students) reflecting recognition of school efforts to improve their academic performance.
- Parent questionnaire results from sub-group parents reflecting recognition of school efforts to improve student achievement.
- Lesson study groups focused on improving lessons to impact achievement gap.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

<b>Scale Levels:</b> (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this
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The examples above are illust	rative and do not re	flect an exclusive list of what is $\epsilon$	expected):		
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 5.4**

Reflection Questions			
Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What strategies might you employ to increase your ability to help your colleagues understand how the elements of culture are impacted by the current systems (e.g., curriculum, instruction, assessment, etc.) in order to improve student achievement?	What are one or two critical steps you could take that would shift your examination of culture to a point that they become a self-regulating system based on data that guarantees regular and predictable success even if conditions change?	How might you systematically apply the process of inquiry to develop methods of generating greater understanding of the cultures of individuals within the building and how the elements of culture are impacted by the current systems (e.g., curriculum, instruction, assessment) to improve student achievement?	Why do sub-groups students like those in your school not perform as well as similar groups in other schools?  In what ways might you demonstrate greater understanding of cultures and their impact on the current systems in your school to improve student learning?

# **Domain 3: Organizational Leadership**

Narrative: This domain addresses proficiencies that impact the quality of a broad array of school operations. The focus is applying these proficiencies to improve student achievement, instructional leadership, and professional conduct.

Narrative: This proficiency area is aligned to FPLS standard #6. How decisions are made can be as important as what decisions are made. The leader's proficiency at balancing the various aspects of decision-making is the focus of this area.

Indicator 6.1 – Prioritization Practices: The leader gives priority attention to decisions that impact the quality of student learning and teacher proficiency, gathering and analyzing facts and data, and assessing alignment of decisions with school vision, mission, and improvement priorities.

Narrative: Leaders make many decisions. Those that impact student learning and teacher proficiency require priority attention. The focus is the leader's ability to make sure that decisions on student learning and faculty proficiency are not lost among the lower priority issues or given inadequate attention because of all the other things leaders do.

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actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
The leader produces clear,	The leader's decisions	The leader provides limited	The leader provides little or
convincing, and consistent	consistently demonstrate an	evidence that demonstrates	no evidence that
evidence that demonstrates	understanding of learning,	understanding of learning,	demonstrate awareness of
an understanding of learning,	teaching, and student	teaching, and student	learning, teaching, and
teaching, and student	development.	development to inform	student development to
development to inform all		decisions or is inconsistent in	inform decisions.
decisions and continuously	The leader produces clear	using this information to	
uses this information to	evidence of making most	enhance decisions about	The leader produces little to
enhance teaching and	decisions in a way that	teaching and learning.	no evidence of making
learning.	supports the school's vision	teaching and rearring.	decisions that are linked to
icarriing.	and mission regarding	The leader produces limited	the school's vision and
The leader produces clear,	student learning and faculty	evidence that the school's	mission.
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convincing, and consistent	proficiency.	vision and mission impacts	
evidence that, on an ongoing		decision making.	Decisions adverse to student
basis, all decisions are made			growth and/or faculty
in a way that promotes the			development are made.
school's vision and mission.			
Effective decision-making			
practices are frequently			
shared with other			
administrators and			
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colleagues throughout the system.  Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:	Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:
<ul> <li>The school's vision and mission statement developed under this leader is focused on student growth and improving faculty proficiency.</li> <li>Staff evaluations and professional development documents emphasize student learning or faculty proficiency growth.</li> <li>Documents showing the development and modification of teacher and student schedules are based on data about student needs.</li> <li>Leader's meeting schedules reflect recurring attention to student learning and faculty proficiency issues.</li> <li>Artifacts substantiating school improvement and curriculum review/revision are based on student learning needs or assessments of teacher proficiency.</li> <li>Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teachers can describe a decision-making process that reflects an emphasis on vision, mission, student learning, and teacher proficiency requirements.</li> <li>Teachers can recall decisions that were made resulting in changes to their teaching schedule to support student learning.</li> <li>Team and department meeting minutes reflect student learning and faculty proficiency as priority issues.</li> <li>Sub-ordinate leaders give priority attention to issues impacting student learning and teacher proficiency.</li> <li>Principal's secretary prioritizes mail based on relation to student learning and faculty growth.</li> <li>Office staff handles routine events to protect leader's time for instructional and faculty development issues.</li> <li>Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>
Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient to assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four time, leave blank:  [] Highly Effective  [] Effective  [] Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed to the examples above are illustrative and do not reflective.	proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this  [] Needs Improvement [] Unsatisfactory that reflects current proficiency on this indicator?

# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 6.1**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What procedures have you	What system do you use to	What strategies have you	How should your awareness of
established to increase	prioritize learning needs	employed to meet the	learning, teaching, and student
professional knowledge	and empower faculty to	learning needs of your faculty,	development inform decisions?
opportunities for colleagues	create individual learning	from novice to veteran to	
across the school system?	plans?	expert?	How might you better align
			your decisions with the vision
How do you promote and	How might you reinforce	Why is it necessary to	and mission of your school?
foster continuous	and establish your efforts	explicitly reference your vision	
improvement with new	so that direct reports and	and mission, even though they	
staff? What changes might	your entire school	are visibly posted in high	
you make to your decision-	community understand the	traffic areas of your school?	
making process for further	link between decisions and		
improvement?	your priorities?		

Indicator 6.2 – Problem Solving: The leader uses critical thinking and data-based problem solving techniques to define problems and identify solutions.

Narrative: Problem

solving is an essential support to decision making. The leader's skill in using thinking skills and data to define problems and identify solutions is the focus here.

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Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader demonstrates the ability to construct a problem statement with evidence of most relevant contextual factors and the problem statement is adequately detailed.  The leader identifies multiple approaches for solving a problem.  The leader's solutions are sensitive to contextual factors as well as at least one of the following: ethical, logical, or cultural dimensions of the problem.  Evaluation of solutions is adequate and includes: history of the problem, reviews logic and reasoning, examines feasibility of solution, and weighs impact.  The solution is implemented and the results reviewed with some consideration for further work.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader is beginning to demonstrate the ability to construct a problem statement with evidence of most relevant contextual factors, but the problem statements are superficial or inconsistent in quality.  Typically, a single "off the shelf" solution is identified rather than designing a solution to address the contextual factors.  The solution is implemented in a manner that addresses the problem statement but ignores relevant factors. Results are reviewed with little, if any, consideration for further work.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader demonstrates a limited ability to identify a problem statement or related contextual factors.  Solutions are vague or only indirectly address the problem statement.  Solutions are implemented in a manner that does not directly address the problem statement and are reviewed superficially with no consideration for further work.
Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  • Samples of problem statements, contextual factors,		of the faculty, staff, students ive examples of such
	relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader demonstrates the ability to construct a problem statement with evidence of most relevant contextual factors and the problem statement is adequately detailed.  The leader identifies multiple approaches for solving a problem.  The leader's solutions are sensitive to contextual factors as well as at least one of the following: ethical, logical, or cultural dimensions of the problem.  Evaluation of solutions is adequate and includes: history of the problem, reviews logic and reasoning, examines feasibility of solution, and weighs impact.  The solution is implemented and the results reviewed with some consideration for further work.	relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader demonstrates the ability to construct a problem statement with evidence of most relevant contextual factors and the problem statement is adequately detailed.  The leader identifies multiple approaches for solving a problem.  The leader's solutions are sensitive to contextual factors as well as at least one of the following: ethical, logical, or cultural dimensions of the problem.  Evaluation of solutions is adequate and includes: history of the problem, reviews logic and reasoning, examines feasibility of solution, and weighs impact.  The solution is implemented and the results reviewed with some consideration for further work.  Impact Evidence of leaders indicator accounts with evidence of inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader is beginning to demonstrate the ability to construct a problem statement with evidence of most relevant contextual factors, but the problem statements are superficial or inconsistent in quality.  Typically, a single "off the shelf" solution is identified rather than designing a solution to address the contextual factors.  The solution is implemented in a manner that addresses the problem statement but ignores relevant factors.  Results are reviewed with little, if any, consideration for further work.  Impact Evidence of leaders in the behaviors or actions of and/or community. Illustrate evidence may include, but a following:  Impact Evidence of leaders in in the behaviors or actions of and/or community. Illustrate evidence may include, but a following:

- evaluation, and review with consideration for further work are presented.
- A well-established problem-solving process can be described by the leader.
- Data records reveal the range of problems addressed and after-implementation data collections.
- Reports and newsletters to stakeholders inform of problems addressed and the impact of solutions implemented.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- Teachers report a high degree of satisfaction with the problem-solving process established by the leader.
- Teacher and/or students describe participating in problem solving led by the school leader.
- Multi-tiered System of Supports (MTSS) is fully operational in classrooms.
- Sub-ordinate leaders are engaged in data-based problem
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this
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Evidence Log (Specifically, v	vhat has been observe	d that reflects current proficier	ncy on this indicator?
The examples above are illu	strative and do not ref	flect an exclusive list of what is	expected):

## **Reflection Questions for Indicator 6.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What might be some of the things you learned about	What can you do to enable your sub-ordinate leaders to	What are some specific recollections (data) that	How would you describe your problem solving process?
problem solving that will influence your leadership practice in the future?	be more effective in problem solving?	come to mind that define your thinking about effective problem solving?	p. 65.6.1. 65.1.1.18 p. 666661

Indicator 6.3 – Quality Control: The leader maintains recurring processes for evaluating decisions for effectiveness, equity, intended and actual outcome(s); implements follow-up actions revealed as appropriate by feedback and monitoring; and revises decisions or implementing actions as needed.

Narrative: Decisions are

made....but there is a follow-up process. What was the impact of the decisions? The focus here is the leader's follow-up on decisions and capacity to make revisions where needed.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
The leader can provide clear	The leader has a record of	The leader has some	There is little or no evidence
and consistent evidence of	evaluating and revising	processes for acquiring new	of reflection and reevaluation
decisions that have been	decisions based on new data.	information on impact of	of previous decisions.
changed based on new data.		decisions and appears to be	
The leader has a regular pattern of decision reviews and "sunsetting" in which	Review of decision and follow-up actions are consistently timely.	willing to reconsider previous decisions, but does not have a clear or consistent record of making changes where	Sub-ordinate leaders are not encouraged to evaluate prior decisions.
previous decisions are reevaluated in light of the most current data.		needed or as soon as needed.	
There is a culture of open acknowledgement of undesired outcomes in which			
the leader and everyone in			
the organization can discuss			
what is not working without			
fear of embarrassment or			
reprisal.			
Leadership Evidence of prof		Impact Evidence of leadersh	
may be seen in the leader's		in the behaviors or actions of	**
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are not limited to the follow	ring:	evidence may include, but a	re not limited to the
		following:	
<ul> <li>Examples of documents related to previous decisions that indicate re-evaluation in light of emerging data or trends.</li> </ul>		Teachers can attest to have evaluation of a decision bad data.	ing participated in a re- ased on emerging trends and
Evidence that re-evaluation	ons in light of emerging data or so or adjustments in actions.	Teachers report confidence     by the leader.	e in the decisions being made
<ul> <li>A well-articulated problen produced.</li> </ul>	n-solving process can be	gathering data and followi	
-	reflects time for monitoring the	implementation of leader'	
implementation of priority			ords reveal time committed to
Other leadership evidence	e of proficiency on this	gathering data and following up on impact and	
indicator.		•	p-ordinate leaders' decisions. proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Whe	re there is sufficient e	vidence to rate current profi	ciency on this indicator,	
assign a proficiency level by che	cking one of the four	proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this	
time, leave blank:				
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Evidence Log (Specifically, what	t has been observed t	hat reflects current proficier	icy on this indicator?	
The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):				

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 6.3**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How do you continue to clarify the decision-making process in a dynamic, changing environment?	Why is it necessary for you as a school leader to reevaluate prior decisions and programs in light of emerging research, personal experience, and changing situations?	What will you do from now on to ensure previous decisions and programs are revisited and evaluated on a routine basis?	When do you take time with your leadership team to reflect on decisions that have been made? In what ways do you evaluate decisions on the basis of student achievement?

Indicator 6.4 – Distributive Leadership: The leader empowers others and distributes leadership when appropriate.

Narrative: A school is too complex for one person to make all decisions. Some of the functions of leadership must be shared with others. Developing capacity for success in a workforce requires enabling other people to be responsible for meaningful decisions. The leader's capacity to share the "right stuff" and distribute decision making among other appropriate staff is the focus here.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
Innovation and improvement in instructional processes, faculty development, or school operations have resulted from distributive leadership.	The leader creates opportunities for staff to demonstrate leadership skills by allowing them to assume leadership and decisionmaking roles.	Some well-understood leadership roles other than the school principal are functioning and contributing to effective and timely decisions on some school priorities, but there are	There is no or only minimal evidence that anyone other than the principal has a meaningful role in making timely decisions.  The leader rarely seeks input
The leader encourages staff members to accept leadership responsibilities outside of the school building.	The leader supports the decisions made as part of the collective decision-making process.  Decision-making delegations are clear: Sub-ordinates	recurring delays in reaching decisions on other issues.  Decisions are often rushed or made without appropriate input due to lack of planning and implementation of	on significant issues from a variety of stakeholder groups (e.g. faculty leaders, teachers, student, parents, community, or business leaders).

The leader incorporates teacher and support staff into leadership and decision-making roles in the school in ways that foster the career development of participating teachers.	know what decisions are made by the leader, which by the leader after input from others, and which are delegated to sub-ordinates to decide.	development activities by staff members.	
Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:		Impact Evidence of leadersh in the behaviors or actions of and/or community. Illustrati evidence may include, but a following:	of the faculty, staff, students ve examples of such
<ul> <li>Organizational charts or other documents reveal how leadership is distributed and informs who is involved in what.</li> <li>School improvement plan process reflects involvement by a variety of parties.</li> <li>Evidence of shared decision-making and distributed leadership is present in leader's memorandums, e-mails, and other communications.</li> <li>Leader's communication to faculty and stakeholders recognizes the role of those to whom leadership functions were distributed.</li> <li>Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Sub-ordinate leaders and teacher leaders report meaningful roles in decision making.</li> <li>Minutes, agendas, and other records of meetings held by sub-ordinate leaders reflect their involvement in significant decision making.</li> <li>Teachers are able to identify which colleagues have a leadership or decision making role in any given issue.</li> <li>Teacher and or parent surveys reflect satisfaction with access to sub-ordinate and teacher leaders rather than requiring access only to the principal.</li> <li>Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>	
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# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 6.4**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
To what extent do you have a	How might you increase the	Under what circumstances	What factors prevent you
systematic process in place	range and scope of tasks and	would you be willing to	from releasing
for delegating authority to	responsibilities you delegate	release increased decision-	responsibilities to staff?
subordinates?	to key individuals or teams?	making authority to your	
		staff and faculty?	
	In what areas do faculty and		
	staff bring expertise that will	How might you use the	
	improve the quality of	function of delegation to	
	decisions at your school?	empower staff and faculty at	
		your school?	

Indicator 6.5 – Technology Integration: The leader employs effective technology integration to enhance decision making and efficiency throughout the school. The leader processes changes and captures opportunities available through social networking tools, accesses and processes information through a variety of online resources, incorporates data-driven decision making with effective technology integration to analyze school results, and develops strategies for coaching staff as they integrate technology into teaching, learning, and assessment processes.

Narrative: Technology was a separate standard in the 2005 Florida Principal Leadership Standards (FPLS). By 2011 the state had made great strides toward accepting technology into the schools. In the 2011 FPLS, technology moved from a separate general "pro-technology" standard to focused <u>applications</u> of technology embedded in several standards. This indicator focuses on technology integration and the leader's use of technology to improve decision-making processes in several priority areas.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The leader mentors other school leaders on effective means of acquiring technology and integrating it into the decision- making process.  The leader provides direct mentoring and coaching supports so that new staff and new sub-ordinate leaders are quickly engaged in effective use of technology supports needed to enhance decision-making quality.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  Technology support for decision- making processes is provided for all of the staff involved in decision making on school instructional and faculty improvement efforts.  Technology integration supports all of the following processes: decision-making prioritization, problem solving, decision evaluation and distributed leadership.  Engages sub-ordinate leaders in developing strategies for coaching staff on integration of technology.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  Technology support for decision- making processes is provided for some, but not all of the staff involved in decision making on school instructional and faculty improvement efforts.  Technology integration supports some, but not all of the following processes: decision-making prioritization, problem solving, decision evaluation and distributed leadership.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  There is no or only minimal evidence that decisionmaking prioritization, problem solving, decision evaluation or distributed leadership processes are supported by technology integration.  Decision making is not supported by a well-understood system of procedures to identify problems and generate solutions.  Technology integration does not support data exchanges, project management, and feedback processes.
Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:		Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:	
<ul> <li>School improvement plan reflects technology integration as a support in improvement plans.</li> <li>Leader has a technology integration plan used to provide technology supports to the degree possible with available resources.</li> <li>School website provides stakeholders with information about and access to the leader.</li> </ul>		work functions and use te process.	grate technology into their chnology to streamline the ports decision making and sions are shared via

- Technology tools are used to aid in data collection and analyses and distribution of data findings.
- Evidence that shared decision -making and distributed leadership is supported by technology.
- Technology used to enhance coaching and mentoring functions.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this
- PowerPoint presentations, e-mails, and web pages of faculty members support involvement in decision making and dissemination of decisions made.
- Faculty use social network methods to involve students and parents in data collection that supports decision making and to inform stakeholders of decisions made.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

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Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator				
assign a proficiency level by ch	าecking one of the four	proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this	
time, leave blank:				
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Evidence Log (Specifically, wh	at has been observed t	that reflects current proficier	ncy on this indicator?	
The examples above are illusti	rative and do not refle	ct an exclusive list of what is	expected):	

### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 6.5**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
To what extent do you have a	How might you increase the	Under what circumstances	What factors prevent you
systematic process in place	range and scope of	would you be willing to	from supporting technology
for integrating new	technology integration to	support increased use of	integration?
technology so that faculty	support communications and	technology to support	
and students are keeping	information acquisition	efficiency in communication	
pace with the	processes used by faculty and	and decision-making	
communications and thinking	staff?	processes?	
supports used in the			
emerging global economy?	How might the technology	How might you use the	
	improve the quality of	function of delegation to	
	decisions at your school?	empower staff and faculty at	
		your school to make more	
		proficient use of technology	
		integration?	

Proficiency Area 7. <u>Leadership Development</u>: Effective school leaders actively cultivate, support, and develop other leaders within the organization, modeling trust, competency, and integrity in ways that positively impact and inspire growth in other potential leaders.

Narrative: This proficiency area aligns to Standard 7. Leaders are developed by other leaders. This is a process critical to an organization's capacity to improve over time and sustain quality processes. This proficiency area focuses on what leaders do to develop leadership in others.

Indicator 7.1 – Leadership Team: The leader identifies and cultivates potential and emerging leaders, promotes teacher-leadership functions focused on instructional proficiency and student learning, and aligns leadership development practices with system objectives, improvement planning, leadership proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals.

Narrative: The FPLS are based on a presumption that the school leader works with and through a team of other people to insure coordination and focus of school operations and improvements. Leadership teams get things done!

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The participants in the school's leadership team function independently with	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  Those who are assigned or have accepted leadership functions have consistent	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency. The leader has identified staff for leadership functions, follows district personnel	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader does not recognize the need for leadership by other people.
clear and efficient implementation of their role(s) and work in a collegial partnership with other leadership team participants to coordinate operations on student growth and faculty development.	support from the school leader in focusing their efforts on instructional improvement and faculty development.  The leader has specifically identified and cultivated potential and emerging	guidelines for accepting applications for new leaders, but has not implemented any systemic process for identifying emergent leaders, or is inconsistent in application of such a process.  The leader provides some	Staff with leadership titles (e.g., department heads, team leaders, deans, assistant principals) has little or no involvement in processes that build leadership capacities. Persons under the leader's
Leadership development processes employed by the school leader are shared with other school leaders as a model for developing quality leadership teams.  The leader has specifically identified at least two emerging leaders in the past year, and has entered them into the ranks of leadership training or provided personal mentoring on site.  Other school leaders cite this	leaders for the major functions of the school.  The leader has personally mentored at least one emerging leader to assume leadership responsibility in instructional leadership or at an administrative level, with positive results.	training to some of the people assigned leadership functions, but does not involve staff other than those in the designated roles.	direction are unable or unwilling to assume added responsibilities.  There is no or only minimal evidence of effort to develop leadership potential in others.
Other school leaders cite this leader as a mentor in			

identifying and cultivating emergent leaders.  Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:	Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, students and/or community. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:
<ul> <li>Organizational charts identify the leadership roles and team members.</li> <li>The leader has a system for identifying and mentoring potential leaders.</li> <li>The leader can cite examples in which s/he coached several emerging leaders to assume greater levels of responsibility within the organization.</li> <li>Minutes, e-mails, and memorandums reflecting exchanges among leadership team members are focused on school improvement goals, student growth, and faculty development.</li> <li>The leader's communications to faculty and stakeholders reflect recognition of the leadership team.</li> <li>Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Teachers at the school can describe informal and formal opportunities to demonstrate and develop leadership competencies.</li> <li>Teachers at the school report that leadership development is supported and encouraged.</li> <li>Current leadership team members can describe training or mentoring they receive from the school leader regarding leadership.</li> <li>Teachers can describe processes that encourage them to be involved in school improvement and prepare for leadership roles.</li> <li>Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>
Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient eassign a proficiency level by checking one of the four time, leave blank:  [] Highly Effective  [] Effective	· ·
Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed to the examples above are illustrative and do not refle	that reflects current proficiency on this indicator?

# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 7.1**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How do you provide guidance and mentorship to emerging leaders outside of your personal job description and leadership responsibilities?  How would you describe the system you use to ensure that emerging leaders pursue job opportunities when they are available? How might you embed this preparation into their job duties, and what changes will you need to make to help build such leadership capacity at your school?	How have you designed the school improvement process to develop leadership capacity from existing faculty?  What strategies and lessons might you impart to your direct reports to better prepare them for expanded leadership opportunities?	What process do you employ to encourage participation in leadership development?  When do you release responsibility to your assistants to own key decisions? How do you leverage school improvement activities to build leadership capacity for assistants and emerging teacher leaders?	What process is available to you that help you screen and develop potential leaders? How might you spend time explicitly preparing your assistants to assume your role as principal? What steps would you take to spend more time in preparing your assistants to assume your role as principal?

Indicator 7.2 – Delegation: The leader establishes delegated areas of responsibility for sub-ordinate leaders and manages delegation and trust processes that enable such leaders to initiate projects or tasks, plan, implement, monitor, provide quality control, and bring projects and tasks to closure.

Narrative: Leadership teams engage other skilled people in the business of the school. However, involvement does not insure effective organizations. This indicator focuses on the distribution of responsibility and whether sub-ordinate leaders have been delegated all that is needed to succeed.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  Staff throughout the organization is empowered in formal and informal ways.  Faculty members participate in the facilitation of meetings and exercise leadership in committees and task forces; other employees, including noncertified staff, exercise appropriate authority and assume leadership roles where appropriate.  The climate of trust and delegation in this organization contributes directly to the identification	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  There is a clear pattern of delegated decisions, with authority to match responsibility at every level in the organization.  The relationship of authority and responsibility and delegation of authority is clear in personnel documents, such as evaluations, and also in the daily conduct of meetings and organizational business.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader sometimes delegates, but also maintains decision-making authority that could be delegated to others.  Clarity of the scope of delegated authority is inconsistent from one delegation to another.  Actions taken by those to who tasks are delegated are sometimes overruled without explanation.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader does not afford subordinates the opportunity or support to develop or to exercise independent judgment.  If delegation has occurred there is a lack of clarify on what was to be accomplished or what resources were available to carry out delegated tasks.
next generation of leadership.			
Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  A Responsibility Matrix or chart of "who does what" provides evidence that the leader trust others within the		Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  Teachers report that areas of delegated responsibility include authority to make decisions and take action	
<ul> <li>school by identifying how leadership responsibilities are delegated to other faculty members on his or her staff.</li> <li>The leader's processes keep people from performing redundant activities.</li> <li>The leader has crafted "job descriptions" for subordinate leaders' roles that clarify what they are to do and have the delegated authority to do.</li> <li>Communications to delegated leaders provide predetermined decision-making responsibility.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>within defined parameters.</li> <li>Faculty and staff can cite examples of delegation where the leader supported the staff member's decision.</li> <li>Faculty report that building leaders express high levels of confidence in their capacity to fulfill obligations relevant to the shared task of educating children.</li> <li>Staff to whom responsibility has been delegated in turn delegates appropriate aspects of their tasks to other staff thus expanding engagement.</li> </ul>	

	personal • Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.
responsibility for success at the beginning of the	e project.
Delegation and trust are evident in personnel	
evaluations.	
Delegation and trust are evident in the school	
improvement plan as a variety of school staff are	e
identified as being directly responsible for variou	us
components of the planning effort.	
<ul> <li>Meeting minutes provide evidence of delegation</li> </ul>	
trust being extended to select members of the fa	,
Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this	
indicator.	
<b>Scale Levels:</b> (choose one) Where there is su	ufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by checking one of	f the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this
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# **Reflection Questions for Indicator 7.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
To what extent do you have a systematic process in place for delegating authority to subordinates?	How might you increase the range and scope of tasks and responsibilities you delegate to key individuals or teams?	Under what circumstances would you be willing to release increased decisionmaking authority to your staff and faculty?	What factors prevent you from releasing responsibilities to staff?
	In what areas do faculty and staff bring expertise that will improve the quality of decisions at your school?	How might you use the function of delegation to empower staff and faculty at your school?	

Indicator 7.3 – Succession Planning: The leader plans for and implements succession management in key positions.

Narrative: When the leader is off campus – who is in charge? When the leader changes jobs or retires, who is prepared to take over? What about the school's subs-ordinate leaders? Who takes over for them? Succession planning is building relationships and preparation processes for involving others in ways that prepare them to move into key positions as they become vacant.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
In addition to the practices at the effective level, the leader systematically evaluates the success of the succession program, making adjustments as needed and engaging sub-ordinate leaders in succession management processes in their own areas of responsibility.  Central office personnel rely upon this leader to share highly successful succession planning practices with other leaders throughout the district.	The leader proficiently implements a plan for succession management in key positions that includes identification of key and hard-to-fill positions for which critical competencies have been identified.  In conjunction with central office staff, the leader identifies and evaluates applicant pools, collects information on competency levels of employees in identified applicant pools and identifies competency gaps.  Based on an analysis of these gaps, the leader develops and uses programs and strategies for smooth succession including temporary strategies for getting work done during vacancy periods.	Inasmuch as the leader understands the need to establish a plan for succession management, the plan remains simply that - a plan - as thoughts about the plan and its component parts have yet to be implemented.  The leader primarily relies on central office staff to identify and evaluate applicant pools, the competency levels of employees in identified applicant pools, and the competency gaps.  Little to no effort on the part of the leader is made to increase the competency level of the potential successor leaders within the faculty or such efforts are limited in scope.	The leader takes little or no actions to establish a plan for succession management.  Staff are hired to fill vacancies in key positions who do not possess the critical instructional capabilities required of the school, which compromises the school's efforts to increase student academic achievement, and no processes to remedy the trend are taken.
Leadership Evidence of prof	•	Impact Evidence of leadersh	
may be seen in the leader's	behaviors or actions.	in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.	
<u>Illustrative examples</u> of such evidence may include, but		Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but	
are not limited to the following:		are not limited to the follow	-
Documents generated by or at the direction of the leader		Select teachers can attest	to having been identified into
establish a clear pattern of attention to individual		applicant pools for leaders	ship in key and hard-to-fill
professional development that addresses succession		positions that may develo	
management priorities.			t the principal has identified
<ul> <li>The leader has processes t</li> </ul>	o monitor potential staff		needed for key or hard-to-fill
departures.		leadership positions.	, i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i i
•	t applicant pools to review	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
options as soon as district	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		
	processes permit.		

- Informal dialogues with faculty routinely explore their interests in expanded involvement and future leadership roles.
- Leader has documents or processes to inform potential leaders of the tasks and qualifications involved in moving into leadership roles.
- A succession management plan that identifies succession problems, key and hard-to-fill positions for which critical competencies have been identified, and key contacts within the school community.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- Select teachers describe providing the leader feedback as to gaps in their personal competency for which the leader has developed professional learning experiences.
- Teachers can describe transparent processes for being considered for leadership positions within the school.
- Sub-ordinate leaders engage other faculty in competency building tasks that prepare them for future leadership roles.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this
time. leave blank:

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[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically, w	hat has been observe	ed that reflects current proficien	cy on this indicator?
The examples above are illus	strative and do not re	flect an exclusive list of what is $\epsilon$	expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 7.3**

Reflection Questions			
Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
In what ways might you further extend your reach within the district to help others throughout the district benefit from your knowledge and skill in succession management practices?  What have you prepared to assist your successor when the time comes?	In what ways are you interacting with central office personal to share highly effective succession planning practices with other leaders throughout the district?  What are some of your strategies you have employed that help your school get work done during vacancy periods?	What are the key components of within your succession management plan?  What might be the one or two personal leadership practices to which you will pay particular attention as you implement your succession management plan?	In what ways would a plan for succession management be helpful to you as you move to replace key and hard-to-fill positions at your school?

Indicator 7.4 – Relationships: The leader develops sustainable and supportive relationships between school leaders, parents, community, higher education, and business leaders.

Narrative: This is a

fundamentally important skill set. Leaders get quality work done through other people. The skill set of relationship building, including networking and engaging others in a shared vision, are hallmarks of quality leaders.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
While maintaining on-site	The leader systematically	The leader is inconsistent in	The leader makes no attempt
work relationships with	(e.g., has a plan, with goals,	planning and taking action to	to or has difficulty working
faculty and students as a	measurable strategies, and a	network with stakeholder	with a diverse group of
priority, the leader finds	frequent-monthly-monitoring	groups (e.g., school leaders,	people. Consequently, the
ways to develop, support,	schedule) networks with all	parents, community	leader does not network with
and sustain key stakeholder	key stakeholder groups (e.g.,	members, higher education,	individuals and groups in
relationships with parent	school leaders, parents,	and business leaders) to	other organizations to build
organizations, community	community members, higher	support leadership	collaborative partnerships in
leaders, and businesses, and	education, and business	development.	support of leadership
mentors other school leaders	leaders) in order to cultivate,		development.
in quality relationship	support, and develop		
building.	potential and emerging	Relationship skills are	
	leaders.	employed inconsistently.	
The leader has effective		, ,	
relationships throughout all	Leader has effective collegial		
stakeholder groups and	relationships with most		
models effective relationship	faculty and subordinates.		
building for other school			
leaders.			
Leadership Evidence of prof	iciency on this indicator	Impact Evidence of leadersh	nin nroficiency may he seen
may be seen in the leader's	-	in the behaviors or status of	
		Illustrative examples of such	·-
Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but		· ·	· ·
are not limited to the follow		are not limited to the follow	
	ovided describing the leader's	I	ader has developed sustainable
=	ble strategies, and a frequent-	and supportive relations w	
-	lule—to develop sustainable	<ul> <li>potential and emerging leaders at the school.</li> <li>Community members report that the leader has</li> </ul>	
	and supportive relationships with key stakeholder groups		ort that the leader has
	<ul><li>in support of potential and emerging leaders.</li><li>Documentation can be provided as to the relationships</li></ul>		d supportive relations with
			ial and emerging leaders at the
_	s the leader has established in	school.	
support of potential and e	merging leaders within the		s within the area report that
school.		l	sustainable and supportive
Documentation can be provided as to the relationships			port of potential and emerging
with parents, community members, higher education,		leaders at the school.	
and business leaders the le		<ul> <li>Business leaders within th</li> </ul>	e area report that the leader
support of potential and e	support of potential and emerging leaders within the		and supportive relations with
school.		them in support of potent	ial and emerging leaders at the
Other leadership evidence	of proficiency on this	school.	
indicator.	Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.		6
mulcator.		<ul> <li>Other impact evidence of</li> </ul>	proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Who	ere there is sufficient	t evidence to rate current profic	ciency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by ch	ecking one of the fol	ur proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this
time, leave blank:			
[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically, what	at has been observed	that reflects current proficien	icy on this indicator?
The examples above are illustr	ative and do not refl	ect an exclusive list of what is	expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 7.4**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
In what ways might you further extend your reach within the district to help others throughout the district benefit from your knowledge and skill in establishing relationships among key stakeholder groups?	What strategies are you employing so you can share your experiences relative to establishing relationships with key stakeholders to support potential and emerging leaders?	In what ways are you working to establish networks with key stakeholder groups to cultivate and support potential and emerging leaders in your school?	How might your relationships with faculty and key stakeholder groups help to cultivate and support potential and emerging leaders in your school?

Proficiency Area 8. <u>School Management</u>: Effective school leaders manage the organization, operations, and facilities in ways that maximize the use of resources to promote a safe, efficient, legal, and effective learning environment; effectively manage and delegate tasks and consistently demonstrate fiscal efficiency; and understand the benefits of going deeper with fewer initiatives as opposed to superficial coverage of everything.

Narrative: This proficiency area aligns with Standard 8. A school is an "organization." School leaders manage implementation of many rules, regulations, and policies. However, the "organization" is the people working together to provide learning to students. What leaders do to manage those people and the environment in which they work is the focus of this area.

Indicator 8.1 – Organizational Skills: The leader organizes time, tasks, and projects effectively with clear objectives, coherent plans, and establishes appropriate deadlines for self, faculty, and staff.

Narrative: Time, tasks, and projects all need organization to have the desired impact. This indicator focuses on the key aspects of organization essential to school success.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
			or are having an adverse impact.

constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	inconsistent or of insufficient	
for other leaders. The leader uses project	Project management	scope or proficiency.  Project management	There is little or no evidence
management as a teaching	documents are revised and	methodologies are vague or	of time, task or project
device, helping others	updated as milestones are	it is unclear how proposed	management focused on
understand the	achieved or deadlines are	project management tools	goals, resources, timelines,
interrelationship of complex	changed.	will work together in order to	and results.
project milestones	The leader understands the	help keep tasks and projects	
throughout the organization.	impact of a change in a	on time and within budget.	
The leader uses complex	milestone or deadline on the	The impact of changes in an	
project management to build	entire project, and	action plan or deadline is	
system thinking throughout	communicates those changes	inconsistently documented	
the organization.  Project plans are visible in	to the appropriate people in the organization.	and communicated to people within the organization.	
heavily trafficked areas, so	Task and project		
that accomplishments are	management and tracking of		
publicly celebrated and	deadlines are routinely		
project challenges are open	monitored with an emphasis		
for input from a wide variety	of issues related to		
of sources.	instruction and faculty		
Successful project results can	development.		
be documented.			
Leadership Evidence of prof	iciency on this indicator	Impact Evidence of leadersh	nip proficiency may be seen
may be seen in the leader's		in the behaviors or status of	
Illustrative examples of such		Illustrative examples of such	•
are not limited to the follow		are not limited to the follow	
	have been adjusted based on		er input are submitted on time
the input from a variety of		and in compliance with ex	
	etion of learning environment		ords reveal specific levels of
improvement projects foci	_	fiscal support to projects d	•
efficiency, effectiveness, o	-		expenses are implemented.
	ects and timelines managed by	Random sampling (information)	al interviews) with teachers
	delegating time, resources,	reveals consistent capacity	y of staff to describe ongoing
and responsibilities.		projects and tasks.	
	implementation records reveal		al interviews) with teachers
planning of tasks with clea		reveals consistent capacity	
timelines to measure prog		dates.	s work in progress and due
<ul> <li>Leadership responsibility n management of tasks and</li> </ul>	natrix or chart describes how		and/or anecdotal information
reflects monitoring tasks.	projects are anocated and	from teachers reveal the p	
	on showing meeting deadlines		tives or purposes focused on
and procedures and proce		system instructional goal,	
	es budgeted to tasks. (Is there	improvement planning.	. 0,
	unds will run short or if there	School-wide teacher quest	tionnaire results related to
will be an excess which car	n be repurposed?)	school management issues	s reflect awareness of a
	nning tools" (e.g., tree diagram,		ation on school operations.
_	, PERT Chart, Gant Chart) are	Teachers are aware of time	
	used that display the chronological interdependence of		data to them.
<ul> <li>the project events that unfold over time.</li> <li>Tasks and reports for parties outside the school are</li> </ul>		Other impact evidence of	proficiency on this indicator.
monitored for timely comp			
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[] Needs Improvement

[] Unsatisfactory

[] Highly Effective

[] Effective

**Evidence Log** (Specifically, what has been observed that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an exclusive list of what is expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 8.1**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How much of your work on	To what extent are tasks	How do you ensure	What changes in your practice
organization of time and	and major tasks delineated	unanticipated changes do not	are needed to ensure
projects is reactive to	in your overall project	derail or prevent completion	necessary projects are
establish conformity with	design? What might you do	of key projects at your school?	identified, realistically
deadlines and short term	to emphasize the most		designed, carefully
situations and how much is	important components	How do you monitor whether	implemented, and supported
proactive focused on	over minor tasks?	work needed to meet	with sufficient time and
creating capacity for		deadlines is proceeding at a	resources?
continuous improvement.?	How do you distinguish	necessary pace?	
	between the support		How to you distribute
Are you able to identify and	needed for high priority		workloads so the appropriate
articulate to others the	projects and tasks that		people are involved and with
systemic connections	impact student		sufficient clarity on goals and
between the various	achievement or faculty		timeframes to get work done?
projects and tasks you	development and		
manage?	compliance with projects		
	that have fixed due dates		
	for parties outside the		
	building?		

Indicator 8.2 – Strategic Instructional Resourcing: The leader maximizes the impact of school personnel, fiscal and facility resources to provide recurring systemic support for instructional priorities and a supportive learning environment.

Narrative: Resources are always limited. How well a leader does at putting resources where they are needed and when they are needed to support instructional goals is the focus here. Do teachers and students get what they need when they need it?

achieving strategic priorities. projects, meeting deadlines, improvement priorities.	Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The leader regularly saves resources of time and money for the organization, and proactively redeploys those resources to help the organization achieve its strategic priorities. Results indicate the positive impact of redeployed resources in achieving strategic priorities.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader leverages knowledge of the budgeting process, categories, and funding sources to maximize all available dollars to achieve strategic priorities.  The leader has a documented history of managing complex projects, meeting deadlines,	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader sometimes meets deadlines, but only at the expense of breaking the budget; or, the leader meets budgets, but fails to meet deadlines.  The leader lacks proficiency in using the budget to focus resources on school improvement priorities.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader has no clear plan for focusing resources on instructional priorities and little or no record of keeping commitments for schedules and budgets.
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The leader has established processes to leverage existing limited funds and increase capacity through grants, donations, and community resourcefulness.  The leader documents a process to direct funds to increase student achievement that is based of best practice and leveraging of antecedents of excellence in resources, time, and instructional strategies.  Leadership Evidence of proficiency on this indicator may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  School financial information shows alignment of spending with instructional needs.  Documents are provided to faculty that indicate clear protocols for accessing school resources.  School Improvement Plan and spending plans are aligned.  Leader's documents reveal recurring involvement in aligning time, facility use, and human resources with priority school needs.  Schedules and calendars for use of the facility reflect attention to instructional priorities.  Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.	The leader makes minimal attempts to secure added resources.  Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the fo time, leave blank:  [] Highly Effective  [] Effective	t evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator, ur proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this  [] Needs Improvement [] Unsatisfactory d that reflects current proficiency on this indicator? Flect an exclusive list of what is expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 8.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How would you describe the	To what extent are faculty	Have there been instances in	When resources are limited,
systematic method for	and staff aware of your	which you failed to meet	what actions do you take as
pursuing grants,	budgeting expectations? How	deadlines or where	the school leader to allocate
partnerships, and combining	are your budgeting	expenditures resulted in	them most efficiently?
community resources you	expectations delineated,	budget overruns? What did	
have implemented to	published, and	you learn from that	
support increases to student	communicated?	experience and how did you	
achievement?		apply lessons from it?	

Indicator 8.3 – Collegial Learning Resources: The leader manages schedules, delegates, and allocates resources to provide recurring systemic support for collegial learning processes focused on school improvement and faculty development.

Narrative: Team learning is an essential element in a learning organization. Does the leader provide needed supports to collegial learning? Are barriers to success removed? Everyone working in isolation reduces the probability of improvements. Collegial processes need resource support. This indicator assesses the leader's proficiency at providing that support.

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Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The leader leverages knowledge of the budgeting process, categories, and funding sources to maximize the impact of available dollars on collegial processes and faculty development.  Results indicate the positive impact of deployed resources in achieving a culture of deliberate practice focused on school improvement needs.  The leader has established processes to support collegial processes and faculty development through grants, business or higher education partnerships, and/or community resourcefulness.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  The leader has established routines regarding allocation of time and facility resources that result in wide faculty participation in collegial processes and faculty development.  School fiscal resources are allocated to support collegial processes and faculty development.  Clear delegations of responsibility are evident that involve highly effective faculty in sustaining collegial processes and faculty development.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader lacks proficiency in using budget, work schedules, and/ or delegation of involvement to focus time and resources on collegial processes and faculty development.  There is a lack of sustained and focused resource allocation on these issues.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  The leader has little or no record of making plans or keeping commitments to provide resources or build schedules of events that support collegial processes and faculty development.	
Leadership Evidence of prof	ficiency on this indicator	Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seen		
may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.		in the behaviors or status of the faculty and staff.		
Illustrative examples of such	Ilustrative examples of such evidence may include, but		Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but	
are not limited to the follow		are not limited to the follow	_	
<ul> <li>meetings are provided to</li> <li>Protocol for accessing scheollegial learning needs.</li> <li>School Improvement Plan learning teams.</li> <li>Leader's memorandums, ereflect support for team learning</li> </ul>	ollegial learning. Oups to reserve rooms for all faculty. Ool resources to support	<ul> <li>Teachers routinely recount examples of collegial work team learning or problem solving focused on student achievement.</li> <li>Lesson study groups, PLC's, and other forms of collegi learning teams are operational.</li> <li>School-wide teacher questionnaire results reflect teac participation in collegial learning groups.</li> <li>Teachers' professional learning plans incorporate participation in collegial learning.</li> <li>Department, team, or grade level meetings devote a majority of their time to collegial learning processes.</li> </ul>		
practice.			proficiency on this indicator.	

•	Master schedules are modified to promote collegial use through common planning times.		
•	Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this		
	indicator.		
	ale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient		
ass	sign a proficiency level by checking one of the fou	ır proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this
tin	ne, leave blank:		
	[ ] Highly Effective [ ] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evi	dence Log (Specifically, what has been observed	l that reflects current proficie	ncy on this indicator?
The	e examples above are illustrative and do not refl	ect an exclusive list of what is	expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 8.3**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How would you describe the systematic method for pursuing grants, partnerships, and combining community resources you have implemented to support increases in the quality of collegial processes?	To what extent are faculty and staff aware of your focus on collegial processes?  How are faculty given opportunities to request or recommend time or resource allocations that support collegial processes and faculty development?	Have there been instances in which you failed to act on opportunities to support collegial processes or faculty development?  What did you learn from that experience and how did you apply lessons from it?	When resources are limited, what actions do you take as the school leader to reallocate them to the high impact functions like collegial processes and faculty development?

Proficiency Area 9. <u>Communication</u>: Effective school leaders use appropriate oral, written, and electronic communication and collaboration skills to accomplish school and system goals by:

- Practicing two-way communications, seeking to listen and learn from and building and maintaining relationships with students, faculty, parents, and community;
- Managing a process of regular communications to staff and community keeping all stakeholders engaged in the work of the school; and
- Recognizing individuals for good work; and maintaining high visibility at school and in the community.

Narrative: The "voice of the school" represents a core set of communication processes that shape perceptions about the school – the leader's communications central among them. The leader must manage the "voice of the school" so clear, coherent and accurate information flows to faculty, students, and stakeholders. The perceptions of those involved in the success of the school need to be heard, acknowledged, and understood.

Indicator 9.1 – Constructive Conversations: The leader actively listens to and learns from students, staff, parents, and community stakeholders and creates opportunities within the school to engage students, faculty, parents, and community stakeholders in constructive conversations about important issues.

Narrative: Skillful "speaking" is important. So is skillful listening. People can engage in conversation on many things, but some things are more important to school improvement than others. Making sure speaking and listening occurs on the important issues is a leader's task.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	T
In addition to the practices at	The leader systematically	The leader's involvement in	The leader's visibility within
the effective level, the highly	(e.g., has a plan, with goals,	regard to listening to and	the community is virtually
effective leader routinely	measurable strategies, and a	communicating with	non-existent; conducts little
mentors others within the	frequent-monthly-monitoring	students, parents, staff, and	to no interactions with
district to effectively employ	schedule) and reciprocally	community is primarily	stakeholders regarding the
key active listening skills (e.g.	listens to and communicates	unplanned and/or initiated	work of the school.
wait time, paraphrasing,	with students, parents, staff,	by others rather than the	
asking clarifying questions)	and community using	leader "reaching out."	The leader is isolated from
when interacting with diverse	multiple methods (i.e., oral,		students, parents, staff, and
stakeholder groups about	written, and electronic) to	The leader has only a few	community and engages in
high achievement for all	seek input/ feedback and to	methods to seek	no or minimal listening to
students.	inform instructional and	input/feedback with the	and communicating with
	leadership practices.	intent to inform instructional	them to seek input/feedback
There is evidence of the		and leadership practices.	and inform instructional and
leader making use of what	The leader systematically		leadership practices.
was learned in constructive	communicates with diverse	The leader's communications	The leader avoids engaging
conversations with others in	stakeholders about high	with stakeholders about high	faculty and/or stakeholders
the leader's subsequent	achievement for all students.	achievement for all students	in conversations on
actions, presentations, and		are not carefully planned and	controversial issues that
adjustments to actions.		implemented.	need to be addressed in the

may be seen in the leader's behaviors or actions.  Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:  Samples of communication methods used by the leader.  A School Improvement Plan that demonstrates knowledge of the specific school community and the impact of community factors on learning needs of students and faculty.  A school-wide plan to engage families and community in understanding student needs and participating in school improvement efforts.  Evidence of opportunities for families to provide feedback about students' educational experiences.  Logs of community interaction (e.g., number of volunteers, community members in the school, telephone conversations and community presence at school activities).  Leader writes articles for school or community newspapers.  Leader nakes presentations at PTSA or community organizations.  Leader hosts informal "conversations" with faculty, parents, and/or business leaders to share perceptions about the school and pertinent educational issues.  The leader can identify influential "opinion leaders" in the school community and has processes for engaging them in school improvement efforts.  Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.  Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficitime, leave blank:  [] Highly Effective [] Effective [] Neer Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed that re	t limited to the following:  udents confirm that the leader is a good listener and fectively uses a wide variety of methods of mmunication to describe expectations and seek out/feedback.  culty members confirm that the leader is a good tener and effectively uses a wide variety of methods of mmunication to describe expectations and seek out/feedback.	
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficitime, leave blank:  [] Highly Effective [] Effective [] Need Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed that re	effectively uses a wide variety of methods of communication to describe expectations and seek input/feedback.  • Faculty members confirm that the leader is a good listener and effectively uses a wide variety of methods communication to describe expectations and seek input/feedback.  • Parents and community members confirm that the leader is a good listener and effectively uses a wide variety of methods of communication to describe expectations and seek input/feedback.  • Local newspaper articles report involvement of school leader and faculty in school improvement actions.  • Letters and e-mails from stakeholders reflect exchange on important issues.  • Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.  evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator.  I evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator.	
Evidence Log (Specifically, what has been observed that re	ency levels below. If not being rated at this	
The examples above are illustrative and do not reflect an e	lects current proficiency on this indicator?	
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 9.1**

Indicator 9.2 – Clear Goals and Expectations: The leader communicates goals and expectations clearly and concisely using Florida's common language of instruction and appropriate written and oral skills, communicates student expectations and performance information to students, parents, and community, and ensures faculty receives timely information about student learning requirements, academic standards, and all other local, state, and federal administrative requirements and decisions.

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How might you further	What support might you	How would you describe your	How might listening with the
expand your influence over	provide your colleagues	efforts to implement a plan to	intent to learn from students,
your colleagues within the	within the school that	communicate with various	staff, parents, and community
district relative to the	would help them become	stakeholders within your	stakeholders be beneficial to
implementation of effective	as capable in the area of	school community?	the successful operation of the
listening and	listening and		school?
communication	communicating as you?	What might be some of the	
techniques?		things you are taking away	
		from this experience that will	
		influence your communication	
		practice in the future?	

Narrative: Proficiency in the competencies addressed in this indicator impacts success on many other indicators. The most successful school leaders are able to provide clear goals and expectations on every aspect of school operations and instructional leadership. You need to do the "school leader's two step." Having clear goals and expectations is step one, communicating them so others can act on them is step two.

Highly Effective: Leader's	Effective: Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,
constitute models of proficiency	reflections of quality work with	inconsistent or of insufficient	or are having an adverse impact.
for other leaders.	only normal variations.	scope or proficiency.	
Clear evidence	The leader conducts frequent	Expectations and goals are	Expectations and goals
communication on goals and	interactions with students,	provided and communicated	regarding student and faculty
expectations is present,	faculty, and stakeholders to	in a timely, comprehensible	performance are not
including open forums, focus	communicate and enforce	and actionable form	provided or are not
groups, surveys, personal	clear expectations,	regarding some student and	communicated in a timely,
visits, and use of available	structures, and fair rules and	faculty performance issues.	comprehensible and
technology.	procedures.		actionable form.
Ensures that all community		Designs a system of open	
stakeholders and educators	Utilizes a system of open	communication that provides	The leader's actions
are aware of the school goals	communication that provides	for the timely, responsible	demonstrate a lack of
for instruction, student	for the timely, responsible	sharing of information to,	understanding of the
achievement, and strategies	sharing of information with	from, and with the school	importance of establishing
and progress toward meeting	the school community using	community on goals and	clear expectations,
these goals.	a variety of formats in	expectations, but it is	structures, rules, and
these goals.	multiple ways through	inconsistently implemented.	procedures for students and
The leader coaches others	different media in order to		staff.
within the district to	ensure communication with	Has a limited capacity to	
	all members of the school	employ Florida's common	Uses terms in the Florida
effectively employ the Florida	community.	language of instruction in	common language of
common language of		aligning school goals and	
instruction in communicating			

school goals and expectations.	Is proficient in use of the Florida common language of instruction to align school goals with district and state	expectations with district and state initiatives.	instruction incorrectly thus misguiding others.
meetings, newsletters, e-rappointment book, etc.) is  Evidence of formal and informal communication that include written, oral) in multiple version (e.g., newsletter, electron and expectations for how school safety and behavior to all.  Dissemination of clear not standards-based instruction Supports (MTSS) is provided.  School Improvement Plant goals.	behaviors or actions. In evidence may include, but ving: Inccessibility (e.g., agendas of mail correspondence, so provided. If ormal systems of de a variety of formats (e.g., vays through different media ic) used to communicate goals to accomplish the goals. It is and ground rules for on and Multi-tiered System of ed. It is based on clear actionable orida's common language of urces.	<ul> <li>align course content with</li> <li>Staff survey results reflect of priority goals and expect</li> <li>Parent survey results refle academic improvement go</li> <li>Parents' communications understanding of the goals to their children.</li> <li>PTSA/Booster club operati addresses support for sche</li> <li>Student survey results refl expectations that apply to</li> <li>Sub-ordinate leaders use f instruction.</li> </ul>	the faculty and staff. In evidence may include, but ring:  ww.floriodastandards.org to state standards. I awareness and understanding stations. I ct understanding of the priority pals of the school. I to the school reflect is and expectations that apply sons and participation pool academic goals. I ect understanding of goals and
assign a proficiency level time, leave blank: [] Highly Effective Evidence Log (Specifically	by checking one of the four  [ ] Effective  , what has been observed	r proficiency levels below. If  [] Needs Improvement that reflects current proficient an exclusive list of what i	[] Unsatisfactory ency on this indicator?

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 9.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What additional strategies	How might you articulate to	How might you improve your	What are your priority goals
have you established to	faculty the benefits that	consistency of interactions	for school improvement?
diffuse your practices on	could be gained by the school	with stakeholders regarding	
goals and expectations	if parents and community	the work of the school?	How do you know whether
among your colleagues	members understood the		others find them clear and
across the school system?	rationale for most decisions	Knowing that some teachers	comprehensible?
	on goals and expectations?	and parents are reluctant to	
How does feedback from key		initiate conversations with	
stakeholder groups inform		school leaders, what	
the work of the school?		strategies have you	
		employed or considered in	
		which you—as the leader—	
		would initiate	
		communication on priority	
		goals and expectations?	

Indicator 9.3 – Accessibility: Maintains high visibility at school and in the community, regularly engages stakeholders in the work of the school, and utilizes appropriate technologies for communication and collaboration.

Narrative: Leaders need to be seen by those they are to lead...and those who are asked to engage in rigorous effort on the leader's goals need access to the leader. While leaders must manage their time, they must also make sure those who need access can get it in reasonable ways and timeframes. In a 21<sup>st</sup> century technological society use of social networking and other technologies to promote accessibility is a valuable leadership competency.

Highly Effortises	Effective	Noods Improvement:	Uncaticfactors
Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  In addition to the practices at the effective level, the leader initiates processes that promote sub-ordinate leaders access to all through a variety of methods stressing the need for engagement with stakeholder groups.  The leader serves as the "voice of the school" reaching out to stakeholders and advocating for school needs.  The leader mentors other school leaders on quality processes for accessibility, engaging stakeholders, and using technologies to expand impact.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  Leader provides timely access to all through a variety of methods using staff and scheduling practices to preserve time on instructional priorities while providing processes to enable access for parents and community.  Leader is consistently visible within the school and community focusing attention and involvement on school improvement and recognition of success.  Stakeholders have access via technology tools (e.g., emails, phone texts, video conferencing, websites) so that access is provided in ways that do not minimize the leader's time for instructional leadership and faculty development.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency. Leader's actions to be visible and accessible are inconsistent or limited in scope. Limited use of technology to expand access and involvement. Leadership is focused within the school with minimal outreach to stakeholders.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  Leader is not accessible to staff, student, or stakeholders and does not engage stakeholders in the work of the school.  Leader has low visibility to students, staff, and community.
days a week in classrooms and teachers on instructio  Meeting schedules reflect stakeholders.	behaviors or actions. I evidence may include, but ing:  flects equivalent of two work and interacting with students nal issues.  frequency of access by various	<ul> <li>Impact Evidence of leadership proficiency may be seed in the behaviors or actions of the faculty, staff, studen and/or community. Illustrative examples of such evidence may include, but are not limited to the following:         <ul> <li>School office staff have effective procedures for routing parents and stakeholders to appropriate parties for assistance and informing the leader when direct involvement of the leader is necessary.</li> <li>Sub-ordinate leaders' involvement in community event where school issues may be addressed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	

- E-mail exchanges with parents and other stakeholders.
- Websites or weblogs provide school messaging into the community.
- Leader's participation in community events.
- Leader has established policies that inform students, faculty, and parents on how to get access to the leader.
- Leader monitors office staff implementation of access policies to insure timely and responsive accessibility.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

- "User friendly" processes for greeting and determining needs of visitors.
- Newspaper accounts reflecting leader's accessibility.
- Teacher and student anecdotal evidence of ease of access
- Parent surveys reflect belief that access is welcomed.
- Office staff handles routine requests for access in ways that satisfy stakeholders' needs without disrupting leader's time on instructional issues, but gives school leader timely notice when his/her personal involvement should occur without delay.
- Other impact evidence of proficiency on this indicator.

Scale Levels: (choose one) Where there is sufficient evidence to rate current proficiency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by checking one of the four proficiency levels below. If not being rated at this
time, leave blank:

time, leave blank:			
[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically,	what has been observe	ed that reflects current profici	ency on this indicator?
The examples above are ill	ustrative and do not re	eflect an exclusive list of what i	is expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 9.3**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
How can you involve sub-	What uses can you make of	How can you assess what	What work habits would you
ordinate leaders as high	modern technology to	students, faculty, and	need to change to be more
visibility assets of the	deepen community	stakeholders think of your	visible to students, faculty, and
school?	engagement and expand	level of accessibility?	stakeholders?
	your accessibility to all?		

Indicator 9.4 – Recognitions: The leader recognizes individuals, collegial work groups, and supporting organizations for effective performance.

Narrative: Leading is about enabling others to succeed. Recognition of the successes and contributions of others is a key leadership function. Recognition from the leader is motivating and focusing. The recognition needed is more than "good job." It identifies what people did to generate the success being recognized. Recognizing the way in which people succeed encourages them to continue those practices and informs others "by what methods" they may do the same.

Highly Effective: Leader's	<b>Effective:</b> Leader's actions or	Needs Improvement:	Unsatisfactory: Leader's	
actions or impact of leader's	impact of leader's actions	Leader's actions or impact of	actions or impact of leader's	
actions relevant to this indicator	relevant to this indicator are	leader's actions relevant to this	actions relevant to this indicator	
exceed effective levels and	sufficient and appropriate	indicator are evident but are	are minimal or are not occurring,	
constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	or are having an adverse impact.	
In addition to meeting	The leader systematically	The leader uses established	The leader does not	
effective level criteria, the	(e.g., has a plan, with goals,	criteria for performance as	celebrate accomplishments	
leader utilizes recognition	measurable strategies, and a	the primary basis for	of the school and staff, or has	
reward, and advancement as	frequent-monthly-monitoring	recognition, and reward, but	minimal participation is such	
a way to promote the	schedule) recognizes	is inconsistent or untimely in	recognitions.	
accomplishments of the	individuals for praise, and	doing so, with some people	recognitions.	
school.	where appropriate rewards	deserving of recognition not		
	and promotes based on	receiving it.		
Shares the methods that lead	established criteria.			
to success with other leaders.				
Engages community groups	Recognizes individual and			
in supporting and recognizing	collective contributions			
rigorous efforts to overcome	toward attainment of			
past failures.	strategic goals by focusing on			
past randres.	what was done to generate			
	the success being celebrated.			
Leadership Evidence of prof	ficiency on this indicator	Impact Evidence of leadersh	nip proficiency may be seen	
may be seen in the leader's	behaviors or actions.	in the behaviors or status of	the faculty and staff.	
Illustrative examples of such	n evidence may include, but	Illustrative examples of such	evidence may include, but	
are not limited to the follow	ving:	are not limited to the follow	ring:	
Faculty meeting agendas r	routinely include recognitions	Teachers attest to the lead	der's recognition of them as	
of progress and success or		individuals and as team m	embers.	
Rigorous effort and progre	ess points of collegial work	Teachers describe feedbace	ck from the leader that	
groups are recognized and	the methods they employed	acknowledges specific instructional strengths or		
shared.		improvements.		
• Samples of recognition cri	teria and reward structures are	<ul> <li>Teachers report that the leading</li> </ul>	eader uses a combination of	
utilized.		methods to promote the a	accomplishments of the school.	
Documents (e.g. written correspondence, awards,		<ul> <li>Students report both form</li> </ul>		
Documents (c.g. written c	agendas, minutes, etc.) supporting the recognition of		acknowledgements of their growth.	
	pporting the recognition of	acknowledgements of the	ir growth.	
		<ul> <li>acknowledgements of the</li> <li>Bulletin boards or other m</li> </ul>		
agendas, minutes, etc.) su individuals are based on e	stablished criteria.			
agendas, minutes, etc.) su individuals are based on e	stablished criteria. nunity groups are arranged	Bulletin boards or other m student growth.		
<ul><li>agendas, minutes, etc.) su individuals are based on e</li><li>Communications to communications to communications</li></ul>	stablished criteria. nunity groups are arranged	Bulletin boards or other m student growth.	nedia display evidence of	
<ul> <li>agendas, minutes, etc.) su individuals are based on e</li> <li>Communications to comm recognizing student, facult</li> </ul>	stablished criteria. nunity groups are arranged ty, and school	Bulletin boards or other m student growth.	nedia display evidence of	
<ul> <li>agendas, minutes, etc.) su individuals are based on e</li> <li>Communications to comm recognizing student, facult accomplishments.</li> </ul>	stablished criteria. nunity groups are arranged ty, and school	Bulletin boards or other m student growth.	nedia display evidence of	

Scale Levels: (choose one) Wh	ere there is sufficien	t evidence to rate current profi	ciency on this indicator,
assign a proficiency level by ch	ecking one of the fo	ur proficiency levels below. If n	ot being rated at this
time, leave blank:			
[] Highly Effective	[] Effective	[] Needs Improvement	[] Unsatisfactory
Evidence Log (Specifically, what	at has been observe	d that reflects current proficier	ncy on this indicator?
The examples above are illustr	ative and do not ref	flect an exclusive list of what is	expected):

#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 9.4**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What might be some of the	In what ways are you utilizing	How might you compare your	As you assess the importance
potential benefits that would	the recognition of failure as	beliefs about the importance	of acknowledging failures
come from you sharing your	an opportunity to improve?	of providing individual and	and celebrating
talents in this area with your		collective praise to your	accomplishments, what
colleagues in the district?	How do you enable those that make progress to share	actual practice?	assumptions are guiding you?
	"by what method" they did	What do you want to be	
	so?	most aware of as you make	
		future plans in this area?	

#### **Domain 4 - Professional and Ethical Behavior**

Narrative: This domain is focused on the professional integrity and dedication to excellence of the school leader. The indicators in this domain focus on behaviors essential to success as a school leader.

Narrative: There are two broad proficiency areas that are the focus of evaluation of behavior and ethics. One is approached as Proficiency Area 10 of the FSLA which is focused on Florida Principal Leadership Standard #10 (FPLS). The indicators in proficiency area 10 address resiliency, professional learning, commitment, and conduct. The other major professional behavior area, Deliberate Practice, is a separate metric, scored separately and, when combined with the overall FLSA score, generates the Leadership Practice Score.

Indicator 10.1 – Resiliency: The leader demonstrates resiliency in pursuit of student learning and faculty development by:

- staying focused on the school vision,
- reacting constructively to adversity and barriers to success,
- acknowledging and learning from errors,
- · constructively managing disagreement and dissent with leadership,
- bringing together people and resources with the common belief that the organization can grow stronger when it applies knowledge, skills, and
- productive attitudes in the face of adversity.

Narrative: The lead indicator in this FSLA domain is focused on resiliency. Leadership takes strength of character and a capacity to "weather the storm(s)" to get quality results. It includes learning from mistakes and sticking with it until you get it right.

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Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's	<b>Effective:</b> Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's
actions of impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	leader's actions of impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
The leader builds resilience in colleagues and throughout the organization by habitually highlighting and praising "good mistakes" where risks were taken, mistakes were made, lessons were learned, and both the individual and the organization learned for the future.  The leader encourages constructive dissent in which multiple voices are encouraged and heard; the final decision is made better and more broadly supported as a result.  The leader is able to bounce back quickly from adversity while remaining focused on the vision of the organization.  The leader offers frank acknowledgement of prior personal and organizational failures and clear suggestions for system-wide learning resulting from those lessons.  The influence of previous evaluations has a positive impact not only on the leader, but on the entire organization.	The leader readily acknowledges personal and organizational failures and offers clear suggestions for personal learning.  The leader uses dissent to inform final decisions, improve the quality of decision-making, and broaden support for his or her final decision.  The leader admits failures quickly, honestly, and openly with direct supervisor and immediate colleagues.  Non-defensive attitude exists in accepting feedback and discussing errors and failures.  There is evidence of learning from past errors. Defined structures and processes are in place for eliciting input.  Improvement needs noted in the leader's previous evaluations are explicitly reflected in projects, tasks, and priorities.	The leader is able to accept evidence of personal and organizational failures or mistakes when offered by others, but does not initiate or support the evidence gathering.  Some evidence of learning from mistakes is present.  The leader tolerates dissent, but there is very little of it in public.  The leader sometimes implements unpopular policies unenthusiastically or in a perfunctory manner.  The leader tolerates dissent, but there are minimal to no systemic processes to enable revision of levels of engagement, mental models, and/or misconceptions.  The leader is aware of improvement needs noted in previous evaluations, but has not translated them into an action plan.	The leader is unwilling to acknowledge errors.  When confronted with evidence of mistakes, the leader is defensive and resistant to learning from mistakes.  The leader ignores or subverts policy decisions or initiatives focused on student learning or faculty development that are unpopular or difficult.  Dissent or dialogue about the need for improvements is absent due to a climate of fear and intimidation and/or apathy.  No evidence or reference to previous leadership evaluations is present in the leader's choices of tasks and priorities.
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- "good mistakes" where risks were taken, mistakes were made, lessons were learned, and both the individual and the organization learned for the future.
- The leader demonstrates willingness to question district authority and policy leaders appropriately with evidence and constructive criticism, but once a district decision is made, fully supports, and professionally implements organizational policy and leadership decisions.
- The leader recognizes and rewards thoughtful dissent.
- The leader's previous evaluations are explicitly reflected in projects, tasks, and priorities.
- The leader offers evidence of learning from dissenting views
- Improvement plans reflect changes in leadership practices. (either from one year to the next or amending of current plans based on new insights).
- The leader accepts and implements leadership and policy with fidelity and district and state initiatives are represented by the leader in a thorough way citing the student data, research base, and performance goals relevant to these initiatives.
- Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this

- Faculty or students share anecdotes of practices/policies they previously challenged or resisted but, due to principal's resilience, they have changed ways of working without acting in dysfunctional or harmful ways to others within the organization.
- The principal's resilience in pursuit of school improvements has generated a school climate where faculty and staff feel comfortable voicing concerns and disagreements and perceive that their concerns are treated as a basis for deepening understanding.
- Previously resisted policies and practices are now perceived by faculty or students as appropriate and are being implemented with fidelity.
- Results of staff, student, or community questionnaire regarding the leader's vision and impact on school improvement efforts.
- Changes advocated by the leader and implemented despite resistance have had a positive impact on student growth.
- Faculty and staff describe the school leader as unwavering in commitment to raising student achievement.

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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 10.1**

Reflection Questions			
Highly effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What additional insights are you gaining about the challenges of reconciling points of view disagreements and fully supporting and executing organizational policy and leadership decisions?  What additional insights have you gained about the value of supporting processes that enable faculty to reflect on and modify their own mental models based on evidence rather than assumptions?	How might you reconcile your opinions with final decisions in supporting and implementing organizational policy and leadership decisions?  How can you help your staff grow to acknowledge and implement systems for gaining multiple perspectives in decision-making?	When or how is it appropriate to challenge policy and leadership decisions, if at all?  What leadership practices, structures, and processes could you put in place that would help staff know that dissent is welcomed as part of an informed decisionmaking process?	How do you deal with decisions with which you are uncomfortable? Do you think about the impact when unpopular or difficult policy decisions are undermined, ignored, or executed with public disagreement or lack of enthusiasm from yourself or your staff?  What needs to be done to establish enough trust that faculty and staff feel free to present opposing views with you in an open, sharing way?

Indicator 10.2 – Professional Learning: The leader engages in professional learning that improves professional practice in alignment with the needs of the school and system and demonstrates explicit improvement in specific performance areas based on previous evaluations and formative feedback.

Narrative: Professional learning is addressed in several FSLA indicators, each from a different perspective. Indicator 4.5 is focused on what the leader does to engage faculty in meaningful professional learning (which includes being involved in what the faculty is learning). Indicator 4.4 focuses on professional learning needed to implement priority initiatives. Indicator 4.6 addresses alignment of faculty professional learning with improvement of instruction. The Deliberate Practice metric concentrates on a very few issues where the leader drives for deep learning and personal mastery of a few "thin slices." Indicator 10.2 is focused on the impact of the leader's professional learning – does the leader's learning result in improved performance?

#### **Rating Rubric**

Highly Effective: Leader's
actions or impact of leader's
actions relevant to this indicator
exceed effective levels and
constitute models of proficiency
for other leaders.
Performance improvements
linked to professional
learning are shared with
other leaders thus expanding
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The leader approaches every professional learning opportunity with a view toward multidimensional impact.

Knowledge and skills are shared throughout the organization and with other departments, schools, and districts.

Rather than merely adopting the tools of external professional learning, this leader creates specific adaptations so that learning tools become part of the culture of the organization and are "home-grown" rather than externally generated.

The leader provides evidence of leverage, applying each learning opportunity throughout the organization. This leader creates forms, checklists, self-assessments, and other tools so that concepts learned in professional development are applied in the daily lives

# **Effective:** Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.

The leader routinely shows improvement in areas where professional learning was implemented.

The leader engages in professional learning that is directly linked to organizational needs.

The priority is given to building on personal leadership strengths.

The leader personally attends and actively participates in the professional learning that is required of other leaders in the organization.

The leader personally attends and actively participates in the professional learning required of teachers.

There is clear evidence of the actual application of personal learning in the organization. Where learning has not been applied within the organization, this leader rigorously analyzes the cause for this and does not continue investing time and money in professional learning programs that lack clear evidence of success when applied in the organization.

#### Needs Improvement:

Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.

The leader demonstrates some growth in some areas based on professional learning.

The leader actively participates in professional learning, but it is reflective of a personal agenda rather than addressing the strategic needs of the organization.

The leader attends professional learning for colleagues, but does not fully engage in it and set an example of active participation.

The leader has given intellectual assent to some important learning experiences, but can give only a few specific examples of application to the organization.

# **Unsatisfactory:** Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.

There is no or only minimal impact of professional learning on the leader's performance.

The leader might introduce a professional learning program, but does not participate in the learning activities along with the staff.

The leader is not strategic in planning a personal professional learning focus aligned with the school or district goals.

Even on those rare occasions when the leader engages in professional learning, the purpose appears to be merely collecting information rather than reflecting on it and applying it to the organization. Professional learning is an expense, not an investment in constructive improvements.

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<ul> <li>The leader is an active participant in professional learning provided for faculty.</li> <li>The leader's professional growth plan includes professional learning topics that are directly linked needs of the school or district.</li> <li>Evidence the leader has applied lessons learned for research to enhance personal leadership practice.</li> <li>Case studies of action research shared with subout and/or colleagues.</li> <li>Forms, checklists, self-assessments, and other leader tools the leader has created that help the leader concepts learned in professional development.</li> <li>Membership and participation in professional leader provided by professional organizations.</li> <li>The leader shares professional learning with other leaders.</li> <li>Other leadership evidence of proficiency on this indicator.</li> </ul>	and participation in professional learning.  The frequency with which faculty members are engaged in professional learning with the school leader.  Changes in student growth data, discipline data, etc., after the leader's professional development.  Teachers can articulate professional learning shared by the leader after the leader's professional learning was implemented.  The frequency with which faculty members are engaged in professional leader.  The frequency with which faculty members are engaged in professional learning with the school leader.  Teachers can articulate professional learning shared by the leader after the leader's professional learning was implemented.  The frequency with which faculty members are engaged in professional learning with the school leader.  Teachers can articulate professional learning shared by the leader after the leader's professional learning was implemented.
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 10.2**

Highly Effective	Effective	Needs Improvement	Unsatisfactory
What has been most effective in creating a focus on professional learning? How might you lead this	To what degree do you explicitly identify the focus areas for professional development in faculty and	How are you investing your professional learning and applying it to your school on daily basis? How do you	What steps can you take to participate in professional learning focused on school and district goals with your
effort across the district?  How have you synthesized	grade level/department meetings?	apply this learning in multiple leadership venues?	staff?
new professional learning into existing learning for more sophisticated application? How have you applied this learning to	How will you determine whether application of your own professional learning is impacting student		What steps can you take to begin to apply professional learning to your daily work?

support and encourage the growth of other leaders? How will you leverage your professional learning throughout the school, district, and beyond?	achievement and the school as a whole?  How are you adjusting application when clear evidence of success is not apparent?		
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Indicator 10.3 – Commitment: The leader demonstrates a commitment to the success of all students, identifying barriers and their impact on the well-being of the school, families, and local community.

Narrative: Leaders are committed to carrying out the role of school leader in ways that benefit others: Students – faculty – community. Barriers to having that impact are not seen as reasons to give up but as problems to be solved.

Highly Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.  The messaging and support systems of the effective principal are expanded to engage parents and the community at large in participating in actions that promote student success and mitigate or eliminate multiple barriers to success. The principal's actions on behalf of students form a foundation of mutual respect between students, faculty and the community.	Effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.  There are programs and processes within the school that focus all students on the importance of success in school and multiple tiers of support to assist them in overcoming barriers to success.  Positive slogans and exhortations to succeed are supported with specific and realistic guidance and supports on how to succeed and overcome barriers. The schools vision of success for all students is shared with the community at large.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.  The leader demonstrates professional concern for students and for the development of the student's potential but implementation of processes to identify barriers to student success have limited scope and have resulted in actions to mitigate those barriers and provide supports for success only for some students. There are gaps in processes that engage all faculty in understanding the student population and the community in which they live. Some student subgroups do not perceive the school as focused on their	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.  Other than slogans and exhortations to do better, there is minimal or no evidence of principal leadership being employed to implement the FEAPs and FPLS for the benefit of students in the school, and the leader is not perceived by staff, students, or community as a sincere and effective advocate for the students.			
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 10.3**

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What actions are needed to sustain the role of the school in generating a community wide effort to insure students succeed?	What outreach can you initiate to expand the involvement of parents and community leaders in supporting student success and deepening understanding of the barriers and actions that mitigate	Have you presented an effective challenge to perceptions that student apathy or lack of parent involvement are acceptable explanations for lack of success by some students or sub-groups?	Do you know enough about the students and the community in which they live to recognize the barriers that prevent success by all of the students?
	them?		

Indicator 10.4 – Professional Conduct. The leader Adheres to the Code of Ethics (Rules 6B-1.001) of the Education Profession in Florida and to the Principles of Professional Conduct for the education profession (Rules 6B-1.006, F.A.C.).

Narrative: State Board Rules define specific expectations for the conduct and ethical behaviors for Florida educators.

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students, of parents, and of other members of the community, as a result the leader achieves and sustains the highest degree of ethical conduct and serves as a model for others within the district.	leader acquires the knowledge and skills to exercise the best professional judgment and integrity.  The leader demonstrates the importance of maintaining the respect and confidence of his or her colleagues, of students, of parents, and of other members of the community. As a result the leader adheres to the prescribed ethical conduct.	addressed in the Code and Principles and there is limited evidence that the school leader abides by the spirit, as well as the intent, of policies, laws, and regulations that govern the school and the education profession in the state of Florida.					
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#### **Reflection Questions for Indicator 10.4**

Highly Effective: Leaders action's or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator exceed effective levels and constitute models of proficiency for other leaders.	effective: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are sufficient and appropriate reflections of quality work with only normal variations.	Needs Improvement: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are evident but are inconsistent or of insufficient scope or proficiency.	Unsatisfactory: Leader's actions or impact of leader's actions relevant to this indicator are minimal or are not occurring, or are having an adverse impact.
How might you expand your influence within the district so that others achieve and sustain your high degree of ethical conduct?	What might be some strategies you could pursue that would inspire others within the organization to demonstrate your level of ethical behavior?	How might you be more overt in demonstrating that you abide by the spirit, as well as the intent, of policies, laws, and regulations that govern the school and the education profession in the state of Florida?	In what ways are you demonstrating that you abide by the spirit, as well as the intent, of policies, laws, and regulations that govern the school and the education profession in the state of Florida?

#### **FSLA Proficiency Areas with Indicators**

#### Florida School Leader Assessment

A Multidimensional Leadership Assessment 4 Domains - 10 Proficiency Areas - 45 Indicators

A <u>summative performance level</u> is based 50% on Student Growth Measures (SGM) that conform to the requirements of s. 1012.34, F.S., and 50% on a Leadership Practice Score. In the Florida State Model, the Leadership Practice Score is obtained from two metrics:

- Florida School Leader Assessment (FSLA)
- Deliberate Practice Score

The school leader's FSLA Score is combined with a Deliberate Practice Score to generate a Leadership Practice Score. The tables below list the school leader performance proficiencies addressed in the four domains of the FSLA and the Deliberate Practice Metric.

Domain 1: The focus is on leadership practices that impact prioritization and results for student achievement on priority learning goals - knowing what's important, understanding what's needed, and taking actions that get results.

#### Domain 1: Student Achievement 2 Proficiency Areas – 8 Indicators

#### This domain contributes 20% of the FSLA Score

Proficiency Area 1 - Student Learning Results: Effective school leaders achieve results on the school's student learning goals and direct energy, influence, and resources toward data analysis for instructional improvement, development and implementation of quality standards-based curricula.

- Indicator 1.1 <u>Academic Standards</u>: The leader demonstrates understanding of student requirements and academic standards (Common Core and NGSSS).
- Indicator 1.2 Performance Data: The leader demonstrates the use of student and adult performance data to make instructional leadership decisions.
- Indicator 1.3 Planning and Goal Setting: The leader demonstrates planning and goal setting to improve student achievement.
- Indicator 1.4 Student Achievement Results: The leader demonstrates evidence of student improvement through student achievement results.

Proficiency Area 2 - Student Learning as a Priority: Effective school leaders demonstrate that student learning is their top priority through effective leadership actions that build and support a learning organization focused on student success.

- Indicator 2.1 <u>Learning Organization</u>: The leader enables faculty and staff to work as a system focused on student learning, and engages faculty and staff in efforts to close learning performance gaps among student subgroups within the school.
- Indicator 2.2 <u>School Climate</u>: The leader maintains a school climate that supports student engagement in learning.
- Indicator 2.3 High Expectations: The leader generates high expectations for learning growth by all students.
- Indicator 2.4 <u>Student Performance Focus</u>: The leader demonstrates understanding of present levels of student performance based on routine assessment processes that reflect the current reality of student proficiency on academic standards.

### Domain 2: The focus is on instructional leadership – what the leader does and enables others to do that supports teaching and learning.

## Domain 2: Instructional Leadership 3 Proficiency Areas – 17 Indicators

#### This domain contributes 40% of the FSLA Score

Proficiency Area 3 - Instructional Plan Implementation: Effective school leaders work collaboratively to develop and implement an instructional framework that aligns curriculum with state standards, effective instructional practices, student learning needs, and assessments.

Indicator 3.1 – <u>FEAPs</u>: The leader aligns the school's instructional programs and practices with the Florida Educator Accomplished Practices (FEAPs) (Rule 6A-5.065, F.A.C.), and models use of Florida's common language of instruction to guide faculty and staff's implementation of the foundational principles and practices.

Indicator 3.2 - <u>Standards-based Instruction</u>: The leader delivers an instructional program that implements the state's adopted academic standards (Common Core and NGSSS) in a manner that is rigorous and culturally relevant to the students by aligning academic standards, effective instruction and

leadership, and student performance practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals, and communicating to faculty the cause and effect relationship between effective instruction on academic standards and student performance.

Indicator 3.3 - <u>Learning Goals Alignments</u>: The leader implements recurring monitoring and feedback processes to insure that priority learning goals established for students are based on the state's adopted student academic standards as defined in state course descriptions, presented in student accessible forms, and accompanied by scales or rubrics to guide tracking progress toward student mastery.

Indicator 3.4 - <u>Curriculum Alignments</u>: The leader implements systemic processes to insure alignment of curriculum resources with state standards for the courses taught.

Indicator 3.5 - Quality Assessments: The leader ensures the appropriate use of high quality formative and interim assessments aligned with the adopted standards and curricula.

Indicator 3.6 - <u>Faculty Effectiveness</u>: The leader monitors the effectiveness of classroom teachers and uses contemporary research and the district's instructional evaluation system criteria and procedures to improve student achievement and faculty proficiency on the FEAPs.

Proficiency Area 4 - Faculty Development: Effective school leaders recruit, retain, and develop an effective and diverse faculty and staff; focus on evidence, research, and classroom realities faced by teachers; link professional practice with student achievement to demonstrate the cause and effect relationship; facilitate effective professional development; monitor implementation of critical initiatives; and secure and provide timely feedback to teachers so that feedback can be used to increase teacher professional practice.

Indicator 4.1 - Recruitment and Retention: The leader employs a faculty with the instructional proficiencies needed for the school population served.

Indicator 4.2 - Feedback Practices: The leader monitors, evaluates proficiency, and secures and provides timely and actionable feedback to faculty on the effectiveness of instruction on priority instructional goals, and the cause and effect relationships between professional practice and student achievement on those goals.

Indicator 4.3 - <u>High Effect Size Strategies</u>: Instructional personnel receive recurring feedback on their proficiency on high effect size instructional strategies.

Indicator 4.4 -<u>Instructional Initiatives</u>: District-supported state initiatives focused on student growth are supported by the leader with specific and observable actions, including monitoring of implementation and measurement of progress toward initiative goals and professional learning to improve faculty capacity to implement the initiatives.

Indicator 4.5 - <u>Facilitating and Leading Professional Learning</u>: The leader manages the organization, operations, and facilities to provide the faculty with quality resources and time for professional learning and promotes, participates in, and engages faculty in effective individual and collaborative learning on priority professional goals throughout the school year.

Indicator 4.6 - Faculty Development Alignments: The leader implements professional learning processes that enable faculty to deliver culturally relevant and differentiated instruction by generating a focus on student and professional learning in the school that is clearly linked to the system-wide objectives and the school improvement plan; identifying faculty instructional proficiency needs (including standards-based content, research-based pedagogy, data analysis for instructional planning and improvement); aligning faculty development practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals; and using instructional technology as a learning tool for students and faculty. Indicator 4.7 - Actual Improvement: The leader improves the percentage of effective and highly effective teachers on the faculty.

### Proficiency Area 5 - Learning Environment: Effective school leaders structure and monitor a school learning environment that improves learning for all of Florida's diverse student population.

Indicator 5.1 – <u>Student-Centered</u>: The leader maintains a safe, respectful and inclusive student-centered learning environment that is focused on equitable opportunities for learning, and building a foundation for a fulfilling life in a democratic society and global economy by providing recurring monitoring and feedback on the quality of the learning environment and aligning learning environment practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals.

Indicator 5.2 – <u>Success-Oriented</u>: The leader initiates and supports continuous improvement processes and a multi-tiered system of supports focused on the students' opportunities for success and well-being.

Indicator 5.3 - <u>Diversity</u>: To align diversity practices with system objectives, improvement planning, faculty proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals, the leader recognizes and uses diversity as an asset in the development and implementation of procedures and practices that motivate all students and improve student learning, and promotes school and classroom practices that validate and value similarities and differences among students.

Indicator 5.4 - <u>Achievement Gaps</u>: The leader engages faculty in recognizing and understanding cultural and developmental issues related to student learning by identifying and addressing strategies to minimize and/or eliminate achievement gaps associated with student subgroups within the school.

Domain 3: The focus is on school operations and leadership practices that integrate operations into an effective system of education.

#### Domain 3 - Operational Leadership 4 Proficiency Areas – 16 Indicators This domain contributes 20% of the FSLA Score

Proficiency Area 6 - Decision-Making: Effective school leaders employ and monitor a decision-making process that is based on vision, mission, and improvement priorities using facts and data; manage the decision-making process, but not all decisions, using the process to empower others and distribute leadership when appropriate; establish personal deadlines for themselves and the entire organization; and use a transparent process for making decisions and articulating who makes which decisions.

Indicator 6.1- <u>Prioritization Practices</u>: The leader gives priority attention to decisions that impact the quality of student learning and teacher proficiency, gathering and analyzing facts and data, and assessing alignment of decisions with school vision, mission, and improvement priorities.

Indicator 6.2 – Problem-Solving: The leader uses critical thinking and problem-solving techniques to define problems and identify solutions.

Indicator 6.3 - Quality Control: The leader maintains recurring processes for evaluating decisions for effectiveness, equity, intended and actual outcome(s); implements follow-up actions revealed as appropriate by feedback and monitoring; and revises decisions or implements actions as needed. Indicator 6.4 - Distributive Leadership: The leader empowers others and distributes leadership when appropriate.

Indicator 6.5 - <u>Technology Integration</u>: The leader employs effective technology integration to enhance decision making and efficiency throughout the school. The leader processes changes and captures opportunities available through social networking tools, accesses and processes information through a variety of online resources, incorporates data-driven decision making with effective technology integration to analyze school results, and develops strategies for coaching staff as they integrate technology into teaching, learning, and assessment processes.

Proficiency Area 7 - Leadership Development: Effective school leaders actively cultivate, support, and develop other leaders within the organization, modeling trust, competency, and integrity in ways that positively impact and inspire growth in other potential leaders.

Indicator 7.1 - <u>Leadership Team</u>: The leader identifies and cultivates potential and emerging leaders, promotes teacher-leadership functions focused on instructional proficiency and student learning, and aligns leadership development practices with system objectives, improvement planning, leadership proficiency needs, and appropriate instructional goals.

Indicator 7.2 – <u>Delegation</u>: The leader establishes delegated areas of responsibility for subordinate leaders and manages delegation and trust processes that enable such leaders to initiate projects or tasks, plan, implement, monitor, provide quality control, and bring projects and tasks to closure.

Indicator 7.3 - Succession Planning: The leader plans for and implements succession management in key positions.

Indicator 7.4 - Relationships: The leader develops sustainable and supportive relationships between school leaders, parents, community, higher education, and business leaders.

Proficiency Area 8 - School Management: Effective school leaders manage the organization, operations, and facilities in ways that maximize the use of resources to promote a safe, efficient, legal, and effective learning environment; effectively manage and delegate tasks and consistently demonstrate fiscal efficiency; and understand the benefits of going deeper with fewer initiatives as opposed to superficial coverage of everything.

Indicator 8.1 - Organizational Skills: The leader organizes time, tasks, and projects effectively with clear objectives, coherent plans, and establishes appropriate deadlines for self, faculty, and staff.

Indicator 8.2 - <u>Strategic Instructional Resourcing</u>: The leader maximizes the impact of school personnel, fiscal and facility resources to provide recurring systemic support for instructional priorities and a supportive learning environment.

Indicator 8.3 – <u>Collegial Learning Resources</u>: The leader manages schedules, delegates, and allocates resources to provide recurring systemic support for collegial learning processes focused on school improvement and faculty development.

Proficiency Area 9 - Communication: Effective school leaders use appropriate oral, written, and electronic communication and collaboration skills to accomplish school and system goals by practicing two-way communications, seeking to listen and learn from and building and maintaining relationships with students, faculty, parents, and community; managing a process of regular communications to staff and community keeping all stakeholders engaged in the work of the school; recognizing individuals for good work; and maintaining high visibility at school and in the community.

Indicator 9.1 - <u>Constructive Conversations</u>: The leader actively listens to and learns from students, staff, parents, and community stakeholders and creates opportunities within the school to engage students, faculty, parents, and community stakeholders in constructive conversations about important issues.

Indicator 9.2 - <u>Clear Goals and Expectations</u>: The leader communicates goals and expectations clearly and concisely using Florida's common language of instruction and appropriate written and oral skills, communicates student expectations and performance information to students, parents, and community, and ensures faculty receive timely information about student learning requirements, academic standards, and all other local, state, and federal administrative requirements and decisions.

Indicator 9.3 - <u>Accessibility:</u> The leader maintains high visibility at school and in the community, regularly engages stakeholders in the work of the school, and utilizes appropriate technologies for communication and collaboration.

Indicator 9.4 - Recognitions: The leader recognizes individuals, collegial work groups, and supporting organizations for effective performance.

#### Domain 4: The focus is on the leader's professional conduct and leadership practices that represent quality leadership.

#### Domain 4 - Professional and Ethical Behaviors 1 Proficiency Area – 4 Indicators This domain contributes 20% of the FSLA Score

Proficiency Area 10 - Professional and Ethical Behaviors: Effective school leaders demonstrate personal and professional behaviors consistent with quality practices in education and as a community leader by staying informed on current research in education and demonstrating their understanding of the research, engage in professional development opportunities that improve personal professional practice and align with the needs of the school system, and generate a professional development focus in their school that is clearly linked to the system-wide strategic objectives.

Indicator 10.1 – Resiliency: The leader demonstrates resiliency in pursuit of student learning and faculty development by staying focused on the school vision and reacting constructively to adversity and barriers to success, acknowledging and learning from errors, constructively managing disagreement and dissent with leadership, and bringing together people and resources with the common belief that the organization can grow stronger when it applies knowledge, skills, and productive attitudes in the face of adversity.

Indicator 10.2 - <u>Professional Learning</u>: The leader engages in professional learning that improves professional practice in alignment with the needs of the school and system and demonstrates explicit improvement in specific performance areas based on previous evaluations and formative feedback.

Indicator 10.3 – <u>Commitment</u>: The leader demonstrates a commitment to the success of all students, identifying barriers and their impact on the well

Indicator 10.4 - <u>Professional Conduct</u>: The leader adheres to the Code of Ethics of the Education Profession in Florida (Rule 6B-1.001, F.A.C.) and to the Principles of Professional Conduct for the Education Profession (Rule 6B-1.006, F.A.C.).

being of the school, families, and local community.

#### **UF Lab School: School Leader Evaluation Calculation Form**

		UN	NI	Eff	H.E.	Total	Sum of Domains	Possible Pts
Domain 1: Student Achievement	Weight	1	2	3	4			
1.1 Academic Standards	3.5							
1.2 Performance Data	3.5							
1.3 Planning and Goal Setting	3.5							
1.4 Student Achievement Results	3.5							
						??		56
2.1 Learning Organization	3.5							
2.2 School Climate	3.5							
2.3 High Expectations	3.5							
2.4 Student Performance Focus	3.5							
						??		56
Domain 2: Instructional								
Leadership	Weight	1	2	3	4			
3.1 FEAPs	2							
3.2 Standards based Instruction	2							
3.3 Learning Goals Alignments								
3.4. Curriculum Alignments	2							
3.5Quality Assessments	2							
3.6 Faculty Effectiveness	2							
						??		48
4.1 Recruitment and Retention	2					?		
4.2 Feedback Practices	2					?		
4.3 High Effect Size Strategies	2					?		

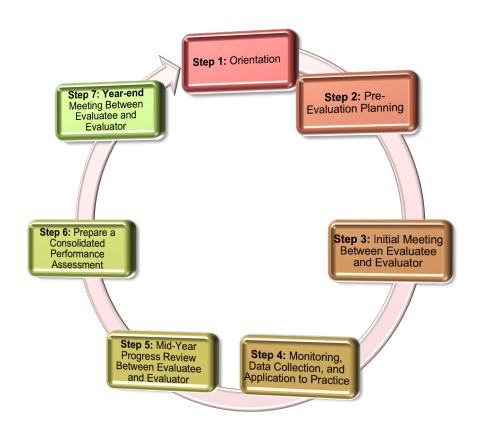
4.4 Instructional Initiatives	2					?	
4.5 Facilitating & Leading Prof.							
Learning	2					?	
4.6 Faculty Development							
Alignments	2					?	
4.7 Actual Improvement	2					?	
						??	56
5.1 Student Centered	2					?	
5.2 Success Oriented	2					?	
5.3 Diversity	2					?	
5.4 Achievement Gaps	2					?	
						??	32
Domain 3: Organizational							
Leadership	Weight	1	2	3	4		
6.1 Prioritization Practices	1						
6.2 Problem Solving	1						
6.3 Quality Control	1						

6.4 Distributive Leadership	1				
6.5 Technology Integration	1				
				??	20
7.1 Leadership Team	1				
7.2 Delegation	1				
7.3 Succession Planning	1				
7.4 Relationships	1				
				??	16
8.1 Organizational Skills	1				
8.2 Strategic Instructional					
Resourcing	1				
8.3 Collegial Learning Resources	1				
				??	12
9.1 Constructive Conversations	1			?	
9.2 Clear Goals and Expectations	1			?	
9.3 Accessibility	1			?	
9.4 Recognitions	1			?	
				??	16
Domain 4 Professional and					
Ethical Behaviors	Weight			?	
10.1 Resiliency	1			<u>?</u>	
10.2 Professional Learning	1			?	
10.3 Commitment	1			?	
10.4 Professional Conduct	1			?	
				??	16
Sum of All Domains				Total	328
Deliberate Practice				Total	 72
Sum of ALL COMPONENTS				Total	 400

## The UF Lab School implements the Florida School Leader Assessment (FSLA) processes listed below to provide:

- > Guides to self-reflection on what's important to success as a school leader
- Criteria for making judgments about proficiency that are consistent among raters

- > Specific and actionable feedback from colleagues and supervisors focused on improving proficiency
- > Summative evaluations of proficiency and determination of performance levels



#### P.K. Yonge's FSLA Process Timeline

- Step 1: Orientation-July
- Step 2: Pre-Evaluation Planning- August
- Step 3- Meeting Between Evaluatee/Evaluator- September
- Step 4: Monitoring, Data Collection, and Application to Practice- October-January
- Step 5: Mid-Year Progress Review Between Evaluatee/Evaluator- January
- Step 6: Prepare a Consolidated Performance Assessment- May-July
- Step 7: Year-end Meeting/Summative Evaluation- July

#### The seven steps of the FSLA are described below:

**Step 1: Orientation**: The orientation step can occur at the start of a new work year, at the start of a new school year, or at the start of assignment (or new assignment) as a principal. The depth and detail of orientation may vary based on prior training and whether changes in evaluation model have occurred, but an annual orientation or re-fresher orientation should occur. The orientation step should include:

- District provided orientation and training on the Florida Principal Leadership Standards (FPLS), Student Success Act, applicable State Board of Education rules, Race To The Top (RTTT) requirements, and district specific expectations that are subject to the evaluation system.
- All leaders and evaluators should have access to the content and processes that are subject to the evaluation system. All leaders and evaluators should have access to the same information and expectations. This may be provided by the leader's review of district evaluation documents, online modules, mentor sessions, or face-to-face training where awareness of district processes and expectations are identified.
- At the orientation step, each school leader is expected to engage in personal reflection on the connection between his/her practice and the FPLS and the indicators in the district evaluation system. This is a "what do I know and what do I need to know" selfcheck aligned with the FPLS and the district evaluation system indicators.

**Step 2: Pre-evaluation Planning**: After orientation processes, the leader and evaluator prepare for a formal conference to address evaluation processes and expectations. Two things occur:

Leader's self-assessment from the orientation step moves to more specific identification
of improvement priorities. These may be student achievement priorities or leadership
practice priorities. The leader gathers any data or evidence that supports an issue as an
improvement priority. This may include School Improvement Plan (SIP), student
achievement data, prior faculty evaluations, and evidence of systemic processes that
need work.

• The evaluator articulates a perspective on strengths and growth needs for the leader and for student achievement issues at the school.

**Step 3: Initial Meeting between evaluatee and evaluator**: A meeting on "expectations" held between leader and supervisor to address the following:

- Evaluation processes are reviewed and questions answered.
- Perceptions (of both) from Pre-evaluation Planning are shared.
- Domain, Proficiency Areas, Indicators from evaluation system that will be focus issues are identified and discussed.
- Student growth measures that are of concern are discussed.
- Relationship of evaluation indicators to the SIP and district-supported initiatives are discussed.
- Such a meeting is typically face-to-face but may also be via tele-conference or phone. (Meeting issues can be clarified via texts and emails as appropriate.)
- Proposed targets for <u>Deliberate Practice</u> (additional metric) are discussed and determined, or a timeframe for selection of Deliberate Practice targets are set. While a separate meeting or exchange of information may be implemented to complete the Deliberate Practice targets, they should be discussed at the Step 3 Conference given their importance to the leader's growth and the summative evaluation.

**Step 4: Monitoring, Data Collection, and Application to Practice:** Evidence is gathered that provides insights on the leader's proficiency on the issues in the evaluation system by those with input into the leader's evaluation.

- The leader shares with supervisor evidence on practice on which the leader seeks feedback or wants the evaluator to be informed.
- The evaluator accumulates data and evidence on leader's actions or impact of leader's
  actions during the routine conduct of work. Such data and evidence may come from site
  visits, be provided by the leader, from formal or informal observations, or from
  evidence, artifacts or input provided by others. The accumulated information is analyzed
  in the context of the evaluation system indicators.
- As evidence and observations are obtained that generate <u>specific and actionable</u> <u>feedback</u>, it is provided to the leader in a timely manner. Feedback may be provided face-to-face, via FSLA forms, via email or telephone, or via memoranda.
- Collegial groups, mentors, communities of practice (CoPs), professional learning communities (PLCs), and lesson study groups in which the leader participates may provide specific and actionable feedback for proficiency improvement.
- These monitoring actions occur before and continue after the mid-year Progress Check (step 5).

**Step 5: Mid-year Progress Review between evaluatee and evaluator:** At a mid-year point, a progress review is conducted.

• Actions and impacts of actions taken on priorities identified in Step 3 Initial Meeting are reviewed.

- Any indicators which the evaluator has identified for a specific status update are reviewed. (The leader is given notice of these indicators prior to the Progress Check, as the feedback expected is more specific than that for the general indicator overview.)
- The leader is prepared to provide a general overview of actions/processes that apply to all of the domains and proficiency areas and may include any of the indicators in the district system. Any indicator that the evaluator or the leader wishes to address should be included.
- Strengths and progress are recognized.
- Priority growth needs are reviewed.
- Where there is no evidence related to an indicator and no interim judgment of proficiency can be provided, a plan of action must be made:
  - If the evaluator decides that the absence of evidence indicates unsatisfactory proficiency because actions or impacts of action should be evident if leader was proficient, the leader is provided notice that the indicator(s) will be addressed in a follow-up meeting.
  - The absence of evidence is explained by lack of opportunity for the evaluator to note anything relevant, and leader is asked to provide follow-up data on the indicator prior to the year-end conference.
  - The lack of evidence on one indicator is balanced by substantial evidence on other indicators in the same proficiency area. No follow-up is required until evidence supporting a Needs Improvement (NI) or Unsatisfactory (U) rating emerges.
- Any actions or inactions which might result in an unsatisfactory rating on a domain or proficiency area if not improved are communicated.
- Any indicators for which there is insufficient evidence to rate proficiency at this stage, but which will be a priority for feedback in remainder of the year, are noted.
- FSLA Feedback and Protocol Form (or district equivalent) is used to provide feedback on all indicators for which there is sufficient evidence to rate proficiency. Notes or memorandums may be attached to the forms as appropriate to reflect what is communicated in the Progress Check.

**Step 6: Prepare a consolidated performance assessment:** The summative evaluation form is prepared by the evaluator and a performance rating assigned.

- Consider including relevant and appropriate evidence by any party entitled to provide input into the leader's evaluation.
- Review evidence on leader's proficiency on indicators.
- Use accumulated evidence and rating on indicators to rate each proficiency area.
- Consolidate the ratings on proficiency areas into domain ratings.
- Consolidate Domain ratings, using FSLA weights, to calculate a FSLA score.

**Step 7: Year-end Meeting between evaluatee and evaluator:** The year-end meeting addresses the FSLA score, the Deliberate Practice Score and Student Growth Measures.

• The FSLA score is explained.

- The leader's growth on the Deliberate Practice targets is reviewed and a Deliberate Practice Score assigned.
- The FSLA Score and Deliberate Practice Score are combined (as per weighting formula) to generate a Leadership Practice Score.
- If the Student Growth Measurement (SGM) score is known, inform the leader how the Leadership Practice Score and SGM Score combine to a summative performance level of Highly Effective, Effective, Needs Improvement, or Unsatisfactory.
- If SGM score is not known, inform leader of possible performance levels based on known Leadership Practice Score and various SGM outcomes.
- If recognitions or employment consequences are possible based on performance level, inform leader of district process moving forward.
- Review priority growth issues that should be considered at next year's step 2 and step 3
  processes.

#### 3. Other Indicator of Performance: Deliberate Practice

Deliberate Practice: The leaders work on specific improvements in mastery of educational leadership is a separate metric and is combined with the FSLA Domain Scores to determine a summative leadership score.

## Deliberate Practice (DP) Proficiency Area(s) and Target(s) for School Leader Growth

<u>Deliberate Practice Priorities</u>: The leader and the evaluator identify 1 to 4 specific and measurable priority learning goals related to teaching, learning, or school leadership practices that impact student learning growth. One or two targets are recommended.

- The target of a deliberate practice process describe an intended result and will include "scales" or progress points that guide the leader toward highly effective levels of personal mastery;
- The leader takes actions to make discernible progress on those priority goals; monitors progress toward them, uses the
  monitoring data to make adjustments to practice, and provides measurable evidence of growth in personal mastery of
  the targeted priorities.
- The evaluator monitors progress and provides feedback.
- <u>The targets are "thin slices" of specific gains sought</u> not broad overviews or long term goals taking years to accomplish.
- Deliberate practices ratings are based on comparison of proficiency at a "start point" and proficiency at a designated
  "evaluation point". The start point data can be based on a preceding year FSLA evaluation data on a specific indicator or
  proficiency area, or determined by school leader and evaluator either at the end of the preceding work year or at the
  start of the new work year in which the DP targets will be used for evaluation.

Relationship to other measures of professional learning: Whereas FSLA indicator 4.5 addresses the leader's involvement with professional learning focused on faculty needs and indicator 10.2 addresses the leader's pursuant of learning aligned with a range of school needs, the Deliberate Practice targets are more specific and deeper learning related to teaching, learning, or school leadership practices that impact student learning. The DP learning processes establish career-long patterns of continuous improvement and lead to high quality instructional leadership.

Selecting Growth Targets:

Growth target 1: An issue that addresses a school improvement need related to student learning and either selected by the district or approved by leader's supervisor. The focus should be on complex issues that take some time to master such as providing observation and feedback of high-effect size instructional practices.

Growth target 2: An issue related to a knowledge base or skill set relevant to instructional leadership selected by leader). Growth target 3-4: Optional: additional issues as appropriate.

• The addition of more targets should involve estimates of the time needed to accomplish targets 1 and 2. Where targets 1 and 2 are projected for mastery in less than half of a school year, identify additional target(s).

The description of a target should be modeled along the lines of learning goals.

- A concise description (rubric) of what the leader will know or be able to do
- Of sufficient substance to take at least 6 weeks to accomplish
- Includes scales or progressive levels of progress that mark progress toward mastery of the goal.

#### **Rating Scheme**

- Unsatisfactory = no significant effort to work on the targets
- Needs Improvement = evidence some of the progress points were accomplished but not all of the targets
- Effective = target accomplished
- Highly effective = exceeded the targets and able to share what was learned with others

**Sample--Target:** Leader will be able to provide feedback to classroom teachers on the effectiveness of learning goals with scales in focusing student engagement on mastery of state standards.

Scales: **Level 3**: Leader develops and implements a process for monitoring the alignment of classroom assessments to track trends in student success on learning goals. **Level 2**: Leader develops and implements a process for routinely visits classes and engaging students in discussion on what they are learning and compares student perceptions with teacher's learning goals. **Level 1**: Leader can locate standards in the state course description for each course taught at the school and completes the on-line module on Learning Goals (both at

<u>www.floridastandards.org</u>) and engages teachers in discussion on how they align instruction and learning goals with course standards.

### **Deliberate Practice Growth Target = 72 points**

School Leader's Name and
Position:
Evaluators Name and Position:
Target for school year: Date Growth Targets Approved:
School Leader's Signature:
Evaluator's Signature
<b>Deliberate Practice Growth Target #:</b> (Insert target identification number here, the check one category below)
( ) District Growth Target ( ) School Growth Target ( ) Leader's Growth target
Focus issue(s): Why is the target worth pursuing?
<b>Growth Target:</b> Describe what you expect to know or be able to do as a result of this professional learning effort.
Anticipated Gain(s): What do you hope to learn?
•
Plan of Action: A general description of how you will go about accomplishing the target.
<b>Progress Points:</b> List progress points or steps toward fulfilling your goal that enable you to monitor your progress.
1.
2.
3
Notes:

Scoring a DP Growth Target	Rating Rubric
Highly Effective (72)	Target met, all progress points achieved, and verifiable improvement in leaders performance
Effective (55)	Target met, progress points achievesimpact not yet evident
Needs Improvement	Target not met, but some progress points met

(36)	
Unsatisfactory	Target not met, nothing beyond 1 progress point
(18)	

# 4. Summative Evaluation Score

# Calculating the Annual Performance Level for Principals & Assistant Principals

Summative evaluations will be weighted equally between two components: Leadership Practice Elements and Student Performance Elements.

#### **Leadership Practice Elements:**

Scoring will use the state model resulting in a score out of 400 (Total Possible Sum of All Domains is 328 + Total Possible Deliberate Practice Score is 72 = 400).

Leadership Practice	Summative Rating
335 to 400	Highly Effective
268 to 334	Effective
214 to 267	Needs Improvement
0 to 213	Unsatisfactory

#### **Student Performance Elements:**

Student performance will be measured for principals using three components: state-provided School VAM score for Reading, state-provided School VAM score for Math, and Florida End-of-Course Exam Achievement Results (49& or below meeting benchmark = 1; 50-59% meeting benchmark = 2; 60-74% meeting benchmark = 3; 75% or more meeting benchmark = 4). Each of these components will be given equal weight in the student performance calculation, and mirror the processes, cut scores, and scales used for teachers. This results in 3 assigned ratings of 0-4 (1=UN, 2=NI, 3=E, 4=HE), weighted equally, and averaged together resulting in a Cumulative Student Performance score of 0-4 (0-1.99=UN, 2.00-2.59=NI, 2.60-3.09=E, 3.10-4.0=HE), The Cumulative Student Performance score will be multiplied by 100, resulting in a total maximum score for Student Performance of 400.

Student Performance Growth (50%)	Rating
310-400	Highly Effective
260-309	Effective
200-259	Needs Improvement
0 to 199	Unsatisfactory

Student Performance Growth (40%)	Rating
209-270	Highly Effective
175-208	Effective
135-174	Needs Improvement
0 to 134	Unsatisfactory

# **EVALUTION FORM: Annual PERFORMANCE LEVEL**

This form is used to calculate a **Summative Performance Level** 

Name:			
	School Year:		
Evaluator: Evaluator's Title:			
Examine all sources of evidence for each of the four d it applies to the school leader's performance. Incorpostoring Guide to rate FSLA and Deliberate Practice A performance, sign the form and obtain the signature of	orate the Deliberate Practice Score. Refer to the Assign an overall evaluation of the school leader'		
A. Leadership Practice Score:			
B. Student growth Measure Score:			
C. Performance Score:			
Performance Score (with 50% SPG)	Summative Rating		
670 to 800	Highly Effective		
536 to 669	Effective		
428 to 535	Needs Improvement		
0 to 427	Unsatisfactory		
	· · ·		
Performance Score (with 40% SPG)	Summative Rating		
561 to 670	Highly Effective		
448 to 560	Fffective		

**Needs Improvement** 

Unsatisfactory

358 to 447

0 to 357

Performance level is	() Highly Effective	( ) Effective	( ) Needs Improvement	( ) Unsatisfactory
School Leader Signatur	e:			
Date:				
Evaluator's Signature:				
Date:				

# **5. Additional Requirements**

#### **Directions:**

The district shall provide:

- Documentation that the evaluator is the individual who is responsible for supervising the employee. An evaluator may consider input from other personnel trained in evaluation practices. If input is provided by other personnel, identify the additional positions or persons. Examples include assistant principals, peers, district staff, department heads, grade level chairpersons, or team leaders [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)2., F.A.C.].
- Documentation that the evaluation system for school administrators includes opportunities for parents to provide input into performance evaluations when the district determines such input is appropriate, and a description of the criteria for inclusion, and the manner of inclusion of parental input [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)9., F.A.C.].
- Description of the district's peer assistance process, if any, for school administrators.
   Peer assistance may be part of the regular evaluation system, or used to assist personnel who are placed on performance probation, or who request assistance [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)11., F.A.C.].
- If included by a district, a description of the opportunity for instructional personnel to provide input into a school administrator's performance evaluation [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)12., F.A.C.].

#### **Input Mechanisms:**

- A. The Director of P.K. Yonge Developmental Research School will perform the principal evaluations. The Principal of P.K. Yonge completes the annual evaluation of the Assistant Principals.
- B. As requested by the PKY Director, University of Florida College of Education consultants will provide input toward principal evaluations.
- C. Parent input will be used in the principal's performance evaluation as determined by the evaluator. Such input will be collected through School Accreditation Surveys and once per year during the April School Advisory Council Meeting.
- D. Faculty/staff input regarding principal performance on key indicators will be used in principals' performance evaluation as determined by the evaluator. Such input will be collected by the Director through consultative conversations with key faculty members.
- E. A peer assistance/mentoring process will be utilized using University of Florida College of Education staff as consultants (as needed).

Description of training programs and processes to ensure that all employees subject to an evaluation system are informed on evaluation criteria, data sources, methodologies, and

procedures associated with the evaluation before the evaluation takes place, and that all individuals with evaluation responsibilities and those who provide input toward evaluation understand the proper use of the evaluation criteria and procedures [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)3., F.A.C.].

#### **Training:**

UF Lab School is a one-school school district. As such, the Director of P.K. Yonge completes the annual evaluation for the Principal of P.K. Yonge. The Principal of P.K. Yonge completes the annual evaluation of the Assistant Principals. Training to ensure the evaluators'' understanding of the proper use of the evaluation criteria and procedures, including evaluator accuracy and inter-rater reliability, district policies and procedures in the implementation of the evaluation system is accomplished during July of each year through a joint meeting of the Director and Principal to ensure shared understanding of evaluators' responsibilities.

The UF Lab School Director and Principal lead annual training for the assistant principals to provide an overview of the elements in the evaluation system, the evaluation criteria and procedures, and all processes used for evaluating principals and administrators. Initial training includes an orientation to the Florida School Leader Assessment and opportunities for self-reflection on the indicators and criteria for making judgments about proficiency as a school leader. Specific, actionable, and ongoing feedback from colleagues and supervisors will focus on improving proficiency and summative evaluations of performance levels.

- Description of the processes for providing timely feedback to the individual being evaluated [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)4., F.A.C.].
- Description of how results from the evaluation system will be used for professional development [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)5., F.A.C.].

#### **Continuous Progress:**

By utilizing the 7 Steps of the Florida School Leader Assessment in a systematic manner, the principal will be closely monitored and data will be analyzed systematically with a focus on improved student growth. The Director will conduct a pre-evaluation planning session in the summer with the principal(s), after the orientation conducted by the Leadership and Learning Center in collaboration with NEFEC. Quarterly monitoring meetings will be held to monitor the status on each of the indicators, analyze students data, and apply the results to practice by setting quarterly goals for improvement. The focus for professional development will come from the pre-evaluation meeting and be completed during the school year. Feedback on the indicators will occur systematically with a mid-year progress review in January and the end-of-year evaluation by June 30<sup>th</sup> of each year. At the end-of-year evaluation evaluatee and evaluator will review priority growth issues that should be considered at next year's step 2 and step 3 processes.

• UF Lab School will require participation in specific professional development programs by those who have been evaluated as less than effective as required by s.

1012.98(10), F.S. [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)6., F.A.C.].

All school administrators will be evaluated at least once a year [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(f)7., F.A.C.].

A performance evaluation shall be conducted for each principal (and assistant principal) as required by state statute at least once a year prior to July 1. Performance proficiency of principal(s) as measured by the evaluation system will be cross-checked with student achievement data, school improvement data, principal competency indicators, and individual professional development plan(s). Each year the Director will review evaluation data and prepare a written report of the evaluation for the purpose of reviewing the employee's contract [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)1, F.A.C.] and will submit the written report to the principal(s) no later than 10 days after the evaluation takes place [Rule 6A-5.03(2)(g)2,F.A.C.], and the principal shall have the right to initiate a written response to the evaluation and the response shall become a permanent attachment to the principal's personnel file [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)4, F.A.C.]

If a school leader's summative evaluation is determined to be less than effective, then the school leader will participate in appropriate professional development to address the area in greatest need of improvement. Such professional development will be provided by the Director, UF College of Education, the Northeast Florida Educational Consortium, or the Florida Department of Education.

# **6. District Evaluation Procedures**

#### **Directions:**

The district shall provide evidence that its evaluation policies and procedures comply with the following statutory requirements:

- In accordance with s. 1012.34(3)(c), F.S., the evaluator must:
  - submit a written report of the evaluation to the district school superintendent for the purpose of reviewing the employee's contract [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)1., F.A.C.].
  - > submit the written report to the employee no later than 10 days after the evaluation takes place [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)2., F.A.C.].
  - discuss the written evaluation report with the employee [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)3.,F.A.C.].
  - ➤ The employee shall have the right to initiate a written response to the evaluation and the response shall become a permanent attachment to his or her personnel file [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)4., F.A.C.].

A performance evaluation shall be conducted for each principal as required by state statute at least once a year prior to July 1. Performance proficiency of principal(s) as measured by the evaluation system will be cross-checked with student achievement data, school improvement data, principal competency indicators, and individual professional development plan(s). Each year the Director will review evaluation data and prepare a written report of the evaluation for the purpose of reviewing the employee's contract [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)1, F.A.C.] and will submit the written report to the principal(s) no later than 10 days after the evaluation takes place [Rule 6A-5.03(2)(g)2,F.A.C.], and discuss the written evaluation report with the principal, and the principal shall have the right to initiate a written response to the evaluation and the response shall become a permanent attachment to the principal's personnel file [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(g)4, F.A.C.]

The UF Lab School Director will annually notify the Florida Department of Education
of any school administrators who receive two consecutive unsatisfactory evaluations
and shall notify the Department of any school administrators who are given written
notice by the district of intent to terminate or not renew their employment, as
outlined in s. 1012.34(5), F.S. [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(i), F.A.C.].

# 7. District Self-Monitoring

#### **Directions:**

The district shall provide a description of its process for annually monitoring its evaluation system. The district monitoring shall determine, at a minimum, the following:

- Evaluators' understanding of the proper use of evaluation criteria and procedures, including evaluator accuracy and inter-rater reliability; [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(j)1., F.A.C.]
- Evaluators provide necessary and timely feedback to employees being evaluated;
   [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(j)2., F.A.C.]
- Use of evaluation data to identify individual professional development; and [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(j)4., F.A.C.]
- Use of evaluation data to inform school and district improvement plans [Rule 6A-5.030(2)(j)5., F.A.C.].

Training to ensure the evaluators" understanding of the proper use of the evaluation criteria and procedures, including evaluator accuracy and inter-rater reliability, district policies and procedures in the implementation of the evaluation system is accomplished during July of each year through a joint meeting of the Director and Principal to ensure shared understanding of evaluators' responsibilities.

The UF Lab School Director and Principal lead annual training for the assistant principals to provide an overview of the elements in the evaluation system, the evaluation criteria and procedures, and all processes used for evaluating principals and administrators. Initial training includes an orientation to the Florida School Leader Assessment and opportunities for self-reflection on the indicators and criteria for making judgments about proficiency as a school leader. To ensure that annual training is effective and supports the ongoing development of administrator best practice, the Lab School Director will meet with the administrators on a quarterly basis to assess proficiency and provide feedback. To ensure timely feedback as well as proper policies and procedures are carried out, quarterly meetings, where specific, actionable, and ongoing feedback from colleagues and supervisors will be held, focusing on improving proficiency. The Director and administrative school leaders are present in these meetings.

School improvement goals are informed by data based on student learning outcomes and trends in leadership practice as captured and aggregated by the described evaluation process. These same data are used to measure effectiveness and inform decisions about classroom practice, staffing, and professional development needs. Administrative evaluation results will be used to identify both challenge areas and possible solutions to be addressed in school and district improvement plans. Information gathered from the review of data is used as a component of an annual leadership development week. During this annual professional

planning and development time the Director works with school leaders apply data to professional learning plans.		

# 8. Appendix A – Checklist for Approval

# Performance of Students

The district has provided and meets the following criteria:

For all school a	dministrators:
	The percentage of the evaluation that is based on the performance of students criterion.
	An explanation of the scoring method, including how it is calculated and combined.
	At least one-third of the evaluation is based on performance of students.
	dministrators confirmed the inclusion of student performance:  Data for at least three years, including the current year and the two years immediately preceding the current year, when available.  If less than the three most recent years of data are available, those years for which data are available must be used.  If more than three years of student performance data are used, specified the years that will be used.
For all school a	dministrators: The district-determined student performance measure(s) used for personnel evaluations.
Instructional L	<u>eadership</u>
The district has	s provided and meets the following criteria:
For all school a	dministrators:
	The percentage of the evaluation system that is based on the instructional leadership criterion.
	At least one-third of the evaluation is based on instructional leadership.  An explanation of the scoring method, including how it is calculated and combined.
	The district evaluation framework for school administrators is based on contemporary research in effective educational practices.
For all school a	dministrators:
	A crosswalk from the district's evaluation framework to the Principal Leadership Standards demonstrating that the district's evaluation contains indicators based upon each of the Principal Leadership Standards.
For all school a	
	Procedures for conducting observations and collecting data and other evidence of instructional leadership.

# **Other Indicators of Performance** The district has provided and meets the following criteria: ☐ Described the additional performance indicators, if any. ☐ The percentage of the final evaluation that is based upon the additional indicators. ☐ The scoring method, including how it is calculated and combined. **Summative Evaluation Score** The district has provided and meets the following criteria: $\square$ Summative evaluation form(s). ☐ Scoring method, including how it is calculated and combined. ☐ The performance standards used to determine the summative evaluation rating (the four performance levels: highly effective, effective, needs improvement/developing, unsatisfactory). **Additional Requirements** The district has provided and meets the following criteria: ☐ Documented that the evaluator is the individual who is responsible for supervising the employee. ☐ Identified additional positions or persons who provide input toward the evaluation, if any. Description of training programs: Processes to ensure that all employees subject to an evaluation system are informed on evaluation criteria, data sources, methodologies, and procedures associated with the evaluation before the evaluation takes place. ☐ Processes to ensure that all individuals with evaluation responsibilities and those who provide input toward evaluation understand the proper use of

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	Processes for providing timely feedback to the individual being evaluated.
	Description of how results from the evaluation system will be used for
	professional development.
	Requirement for participation in specific professional development programs
	by those who have been evaluated as less than effective.
	All school administrators must be evaluated at least once a year.

the evaluation criteria and procedures.

For school administrators:

	Inclusion of opportunities for parents to provide input into performance evaluations when the district determines such input is appropriate.  Description of the district's criteria for inclusion of parental input.  Description of manner of inclusion of parental input.  Description of the district's peer assistance process, if any.  Description of an opportunity for instructional personnel to provide input into a school administrator's evaluation, if any.
District Evalua	ation Procedures
The district ha	as provided and meets the following criteria:
	<ul> <li>That its evaluation procedures comply with s. 1012.34(3)(c), F.S., including:</li> <li>That the evaluator must submit a written report of the evaluation to the district school superintendent for the purpose of reviewing the employee's contract.</li> <li>That the evaluator must submit the written report to the employee no later than 10 days after the evaluation takes place.</li> <li>That the evaluator must discuss the written evaluation report with the employee.</li> <li>That the employee shall have the right to initiate a written response to the evaluation and the response shall become a permanent attachment to his or her personnel file.</li> <li>That district evaluation procedures require the district school superintendent to annually notify the Department of any school administrators who receive two consecutive unsatisfactory evaluations and to notify the Department of any school administrators who are given written notice by the district of intent to terminate or not renew their employment, as outlined in s. 1012.34, F.S.</li> </ul>
District Self-N	<u>Ionitoring</u>
The district se	If-monitoring includes processes to determine the following:
	Evaluators' understanding of the proper use of evaluation criteria and procedures, including evaluator accuracy and inter-rater reliability.  Evaluators provide necessary and timely feedback to employees being evaluated.  Evaluators follow district policies and procedures in evaluation system(s).  The use of evaluation data to identify individual professional development.