## **Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District**

**Alternative Learning Center-E** 

2021-2022 Campus Improvement Plan



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### **Mission Statement**

#### Cypress-Fairbanks Independent School District's Mission Statement

We maximize every student's potential through rigorous and relevant learning experiences preparing students to be 21st Century global leaders.

#### Alternative Learning Center/Secondary Alternative Center- East's Mission Statement

The staff of the Alternative Learning Center/Secondary Alternative Center-East emphasizes positive growth in social and emotional behaviors and attitudes. The student will develop more positive self-esteem as a result of academic and behavioral successes achieved through enhanced decision making and problem-solving skills.

The purpose of the program is to provide an alternative educational placement for the 6th-12th grade student who is not benefiting from his/her present program at the home school due to continued disruptive behavior and/or violation of school policies, which could potentially result in a recommendation to the Board for expulsion.

Academically, our goal is to provide every student with a stable, equitable learning environment through a structured, consistent system of discipline. Every teacher should be provided with an adequate teaching environment and the professional training opportunities necessary to carry out their responsibilities. Goals include the maintenance of an educational program in the required subjects implementing the Texas Essential Knowledge & Skills of each course of study. The educational program is adapted to the student's individual learning style that will develop each student's personal knowledge, skills, and competencies to the maximum level. In our educational program the student can experience more immediate academic success ultimately raising self esteem.

Behaviorally, students follow a written behavior management plan that brings philosophy, policy, and training into meaningful focus. Behavior is modified through the use of a structured, consistent level system that encourages the student to accept responsibility for his/her actions and make the appropriate changes. The goal is to develop within each student appropriate decision-making and problem-solving skills, acceptable and appropriate social behaviors, and sufficient changes in behavior and/or attitude to enable students to return to home campus and adapt successfully.

### Vision

L.E.A.D: Learn, Empower, Achieve, Dream

### Value Statement

The ALC/SAC-East staff values the opportunity to serve half of the district's middle and high schools in a unique capacity. Students who are placed in this facility can expect that the TEKS, district curriculum scope and sequence, grading plans, policies, and procedures will be consistently carried out. The ALC/SAC-East staff provides highly structured opportunities for all students to build self-confidence, self-esteem, and an improved mindset for social and academic growth. We value comprehensive communication and cooperation with the schools we serve while striving to create seamless transitions for students when they arrive and again when they return to their various home campuses.

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# **Comprehensive Needs Assessment**

# **Priority Problem Statements**

## **Comprehensive Needs Assessment Data Documentation**

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

### **Improvement Planning Data**

- District goals
- Campus goals

#### **Student Data: Assessments**

- STAAR released test questions
- Observation Survey results

### **Student Data: Student Groups**

• Male / Female performance, progress, and participation data

### **Student Data: Behavior and Other Indicators**

• Student surveys and/or other feedback

### **Employee Data**

• Campus leadership data

## Goals

Goal 1: Academic Achievement: The district will ensure academic performance and achievement levels that reflect excellence in learning and attainment of both high expectations and high standards for all students.

**Performance Objective 1:** Curriculum and Instruction & Accountability: By June 2022, students will meet or exceed their individual STAAR/EOC performance targets.

Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR/EOC Writing, Reading, Math, and Science results

Strategy 1 Details	Formative Revi		
ttegy 1: READING/ELA: Students will be given options for reading assignments in order to increase interest and motivation.		Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase the reading comprehension and writing ability of all students.	Nov	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Director of Instruction, ELA Teachers  TEA Priorities: Build a foundation of reading and math	35%	45%	
Strategy 2 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 2: MATH: Math educators are willing to assist students by using student centered classroom strategies and engage students		Formative	
behaviorally and academically, while teaching content curriculum.	Nov	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase comprehension of foundational math skills.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Director of Instruction, Math Teachers  TEA Priorities: Build a foundation of reading and math	35%	45%	
Strategy 3 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 3: WRITING: Increase performance of each student group on STAAR and EOC writing by using graphic organizers, increasing		Formative	
vocabulary and using correct conventions.	Nov	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase the reading comprehension and writing ability of all students.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Director of Instruction, ELA Teachers  TEA Priorities: Build a foundation of reading and math	35%	45%	

Strategy 4 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 4: SCIENCE: Improve vertical alignment to strengthen the fundamental skills such as graphing and manipulating equations.			
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased performance on relevant applications and labs.	Nov	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Director of Instruction, Science Teachers			
TEA Priorities: Build a foundation of reading and math	35%	45%	
Strategy 5 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 5: SOCIAL STUDIES: Use guided reading to facilitate vocabulary acquisition and answering open ended questions. Incorporate		Formative	
more readings throughout the lesson cycle.	Nov	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase student's stamina for reading passages and comprehension.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Director of Instruction, Social Studies Teachers	35%	45%	
Strategy 6 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 6: Eliminate the learning gap and increase the amount of quality learning time. The campus will provide targeted instruction that		Formative	
includes middle school students accessing activities/resources based on individual needs. Middle school students will complete math activities on Monday's, science on Tuesday's, social studies on Wednesday's, and ELA on Friday's. High school students will participate in 30	Nov	Feb	May
minutes of focused instruction, and each content will be addressed on a rotating basis.			
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Meet or exceed the needs of struggling and non-struggling students.	35%	45%	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal, Director of Instruction			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discontinue	e		

Goal 1: Academic Achievement: The district will ensure academic performance and achievement levels that reflect excellence in learning and attainment of both high expectations and high standards for all students.

**Performance Objective 2:** ESSER III: Throughout the 2021-22 school year, use the supplemental ESSER III funds to respond to the pandemic and to address student learning loss as a result of COVID-19.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** STAAR and Locally Developed Assessments

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
1: In an effort to close the achievement gap created by COVID-19, we will create an academically stimulating classroom and school	Formative		
environment in order to positively engage students with the content they are being taught and facilitate social/emotional learning.  Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: SMART Goal = Students entering ALC-East in the 2021-2022 school year with a failing grade in one or more classes will leave ALC-East with passing grades for all classes.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal, Director of Instruction, Assistant Principals  ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 5: Effective Instruction  Funding Sources: Poster Maker - ESSER III, Die Cut Machine(s) - ESSER III, Bulletin Board Materials/Supplies - ESSER III	Nov 35%	Feb 50%	May
Strategy 2 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
<b>Strategy 2:</b> A core team of staff (Administrative team, Lead Worthy teachers, MAPPS teacher, 1 additional teacher and 1 para-professional) will become Certified Specialists in Restorative Practices with the training provided by NEDRP. This training provides the tools, techniques		Formative	<u> </u>
and strategies needed to enhance and support students in applying their learning within and outside of the Lead Worthy classroom. This training focuses on four proactive approaches to building positive relationships in the classroom while also reshaping how we think, react and respond to student misbehaviors in the classroom.  Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: SMART Goal: The core team will collaborate with administration to develop and implement a proactive disciplinary approach aimed at mitigating student relationships, issues and/or misbehaviors in order to:  *reduce classroom removals and preserve first-time instruction,  *increase student attendance rate to 80% or higher, and  *ensure students have passing grades in all academic classes upon their return to home campus.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal and Assistant Principals  ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture  Funding Sources: Registration and Travel - ESSER III	Nov Feb Ma  35% 45%		May
Strategy 3 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 3: In an effort to close the achievement gap created by COVID-19 and to ensure students are in the classroom learning, we will		Formative	•
facilitate the PBIS process based on ALC-EAST matrix.  Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: A targeted focus on positive behaviors fosters growth in the classroom and builds positive teacher-student relationships. By May 2022, we will see a 50% increase in PBIS Rewards points issued by staff and redeemed in the school store.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Assistant Principals, Teachers, Para-Professionals  ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture  Funding Sources: Tangible Reinforcers for PBIS Rewards School Store - ESSER III	Nov 35%	Feb 65%	May

Strategy 4 Details	For	mative Revi	ews		
<b>Strategy 4:</b> In an effort to close the achievement gap created by COVID-19 and to create high-achieving centers of learning by strengthening students' connectedness to others through enhancing healthy relationships with their teachers, and establishing collaborative agreements of acceptable behavior. This training will give teachers and staff the tools they need to engage and challenge students, and raise them to a higher		Formative			
		Feb	May		
level of performance.  Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teachers, staff and administrators learn and practice skills they will use and model in their classrooms and school including:  *How to build meaningful, productive relationships with every students and every colleague,  *How to use the CKH EXCEL Teaching Model of teaching to create a safe, effective environment for learning,  *How to develop self-managing, high-performing classrooms using team-building skills and a Social Contract, and  *Techniques for dealing with conflict, negative behavior and disrespectful issues.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administrative Team  ESF Levers: Lever 3: Positive School Culture, Lever 5: Effective Instruction  Funding Sources: Capturing Kids Registration (Berry Center) - ESSER III	0%	70%			
No Progress Continue/Modify X Discontinue	<b>.</b>				

Goal 2: Safe and Healthy Learning Environment: The district will provide a safe, disciplined, and healthy environment conducive to student learning.

**Performance Objective 1:** School Culture and Climate: Build a strong and supportive environment, for both academic and personal growth, conducive to student learning.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** Surveys

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Formative		Formative		
Nov	Feb	May		
35%				
	Nov	Nov Feb		

Strategy 2 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 2: Student Discipline: Reduce overall discipline referrals by 5% from the previous school year.		Formative	
Student, staff, and community will be aware of Cy-Fair Tipline and understand how to use it.  Code of Conduct talks held within first 2 weeks of school and in spring semester.  Implement and present monthly Project Safety lessons covering bullying, suicide, dating violence, social media, etc.  Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: The staff will be able to employ more restorative discipline practices to equip students with coping and problem solving strategies.  Tracking of Tipline reports  Increase student awareness and decrease discipline referrals in all areas.  Decrease in reports of and discipline incidents regarding bullying, dating violence, social media conflicts, etc.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Assistant Principals	Nov 35%	Feb	May
Strategy 3 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 3: Campus Safety: Safety drills will be regularly performed and evaluated for improvement.		Formative	
Strategy 3: Campus Safety: Safety drills will be regularly performed and evaluated for improvement.  All students and teachers will participate in EOP safety drills (fire, shelter in place, intruder, crisis, evacuation, metal detectors) throughout the year to learn expectations during these drills in preparation for actual emergency/crisis.  Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: A safe learning environment conducive to learning.  Complete and successful participation in all drills.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal, Assistant Principals	Nov 35%	Feb Feb	May

Goal 3: Human Capital: The district will recruit, develop, and retain highly qualified and effective personnel reflective of our student demographics.

**Performance Objective 1:** Teacher/Paraprofessional Attendance: By the end of the 2021-22 school year, teacher/paraprofessional attendance will increase by 5%.

**Evaluation Data Sources:** Teacher/Paraprofessional Attendance Reports

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 1: We will work to increase teacher/paraprofessional attendance by implementing positive incentives for perfect attendance at	Formative		
smaller intervals.	Nov	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teacher/paraprofessional attendance will increase by 5%.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal, Assistant Principals	35%		
No Progress Continue/Modify X Discontinue	e		

Goal 4: Family and Community Engagement: Increase parent engagement on the campus and the methods of communication used to engage parents in school activities.

**Performance Objective 1:** By the end of the 2021-22 school year, every student will have a parent/guardian attend orientation upon student registration.

Evaluation Data Sources: sign-in sheets

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Revi	ews		
Strategy 1: Family Engagement: A parent/guardian of each student will attend orientation upon student registration.			Formative		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Establish a partnership between ALC East and the parent/guardian to lessen the anxiety	Nov	Feb	May		
parents may feel about a new environment.  Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Principal, Assistant Principals	35%				
No Progress Continue/Modify Discontinue	e				

# **Campus Funding Summary**

ESSER III					
Goal	Objective	Strategy	Resources Needed	Account Code	Amount
1	2	1	Die Cut Machine(s)		\$0.00
1	2	1	Bulletin Board Materials/Supplies		\$0.00
1	2	1	Poster Maker		\$0.00
1	2	2	Registration and Travel		\$0.00
1	2	3	Tangible Reinforcers for PBIS Rewards School Store		\$0.00
1	2	4	Capturing Kids Registration (Berry Center)		\$0.00
		•		Sub-Total	\$0.00

## **Addendums**