



2020 - 2021 Local School Plan for Improvement Duluth High School

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Accountability and flexibility are hallmarks of Gwinnett County Public Schools' success. Key to that success is ensuring that each school community understands the progress being made by its schools, as well as what plans will drive improvement. Each school creates a collaborative Local School Plan for Improvement (LSPI), with targeted goals based on student achievement results. These goals are dynamic, like our schools, and are updated to reflect changes that occur in schools. Data is used to determine areas needing improvement and to identify specific, measurable, annual objectives. Schools then determine how to use research-based strategies to achieve these goals, using flexibility as needed. The LSPI development process involves teachers, parents, and community members, so the entire school community has the opportunity to be involved in conversations about school improvement. Please contact the local school principal for more information about the school's plan and progress.

- **Long Term Goal**

Students will have access to the maximum level of rigor where they can be prepared for success in post secondary work. Additionally, Move on When Ready participation, Advanced Placement course participation, and Maxwell High School Industry Certifications will increase by 15%.

- o **Annual Goal**

College and Career Ready Students will have access to the maximum level of rigor where they can be prepared for success in post secondary work. Dual Enrollment participation, Advanced Placement course participation, Industry Certifications, and participation in Duluth Pathways, such as CTAE, Healthcare Science, Computer Science and Fine Arts will all increase by 15%.

- **Long Term Goal**

Duluth High School will increase its graduation rate for all student subgroups.

- o **Annual Goal**

Duluth High School will continue on its trajectory of increasing the percentage of our students who graduate by increasing to an 87% graduation rate for the 2020-2021 school year

- **Long Term Goal**

Duluth High School will increase student achievement in the areas of Social Studies, Science, Language Arts, and Math for all students.

- o **Annual Goal**

Duluth High School will perform 10% above the district and state average for each subgroup and subject area on the Georgia Milestones Assessment.

- o **Annual Goal**

Mean scale scores on the Gateway examination will improve from 547 to 565 in Science and from 558 to 580 in Social Studies.

- o **Annual Goal**

Duluth High School will increase its CCRPI score from 81.4 to 83 for the 2018-2019 school year and 85 for the 2020-2021 school year. (No CCRPI score attained for 2019-2020 due to COVID-19.)

- **Long Term Goal**

We will build our parents' capacity to support their children's academic achievement by implementing the activities identified in The Plan/The Promise.