

Antioch Community High School School Improvement Plan 2015 - 2018



The following information represents Antioch Community High School's School Improvement Plan (SIP) goals for the 2015-16, 2016-17, and 2017-18 school years. These goals were developed with the collaboration from the ACHS Student Achievement Committee members, Administrative Council members, students, and parents.

GOAL #1: Ensure that all students have access to rigorous curricula and instruction designed to meet college and career readiness standards.

- Curriculum and instruction are aligned to district, state, and national standards that include college and career readiness.
 - Focus on the development of critical thinking skills, higher order thinking skills, academic and employability skills, and civic/life skills.
 - Map all courses in curriculum mapping software
 - o Build Your Own Curriculum (BYOC)
- Establish interdisciplinary opportunities and collaboration across content areas to improve student engagement and achievement.
 - Development of cross-curricular lessons/units and publish in BYOC
- Infuse multiple research and evidence-based instructional strategies incorporated across all content areas.
 - Project CRISS (Creating Independence through Student-owned Strategies) training, implementation, and monitoring
- Inform instruction through the use of student data and differentiate instruction to meet the needs of all students.
 - NWEA data

GOAL #2: Develop quality literacy programs to improve academic achievement and to provide students with the skills necessary to meet all curriculum standards.

- Develop and implement a comprehensive process of identifying struggling readers and writers, and afford these students access to appropriate, researchbased interventions and supports.
 - Selection of texts
 - Assessment (screening, progress monitoring, etc.)
- Create a common language with regards to research literacy for use across all content areas.

• Identify and adopt specific academic vocabulary as a focus for each grade-level (global and departmental).

GOAL #3: Develop and maintain a climate and culture of excellence, which includes the tenets of Respect, Responsibility and Pride.

- Provide positive, safe learning environment in which students will be provided multiple opportunities to be successful and recognized for positive choices and decision-making.
- Create a focus on creating more ways for students and families to be engaged in academic decision-making and the school planning process.
- Students are provided with supports and opportunities for social and emotional learning.
- Foster and expand partnerships with stakeholders to enhance opportunities for career development and community volunteerism.