Lewisville Independent School District

Castle Hills Elementary School

2023-2024 Improvement Plan

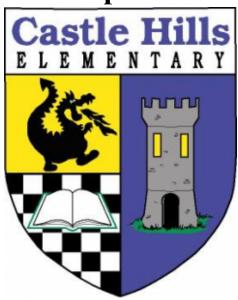


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Comprehensive Needs Assessment

Demographics

Demographics Summary

Castle Hills Elementary School is located in a small community in the south east area of Lewisville, TX.

Castle Hills has 690 students and 56 staff members; 60 staff members if one includes all district support providers designated for our school.

99% of our teachers hold a Texas teaching certification. 2 of our teachers are Associate Teachers. Our student to teacher ratio is 23:1

We have a Gifted and Talented (GT), special education, and English learner program on our campus.

Our daily average attendance rate is 98.8%

Our school population:

4.1 % Social -Economical Disadvantage

8.5%- English Learners

16% - Students with disabilities

2.4% - 504 plans

5.98% - Dyxlexia

51.5 % minorities

46.5 % White

35.6 % Asian

8.4% Hispanic/Latino

6.98% Two or more races

1.99% African American

0.28 % American Indian/Alaska Native

0.14% Pacific Islander

Gender; 51% Female; 49 % Male

Discpline Data:

Since August 10, 2023 there have been teacher referrals; offenses for a total of discipline entries.

Demographics Strengths

Castle Hills Elementary School has a collaborative and highly engaged community. As of 9/5/2023 there are 343 PTA members and 44 teachers as members.

There are 80 parents who head PTA committees and continually awarded the National PTA School of Excellence.

We proud ourselves in our ethnic diversity and the cultural perspectives that strengthen our ability to help our students learn and connect to the real world.

All students participate in physical education, arts and STEM.

Our school also has various clubs for students to participate in:

Running Club, Student Council, Kindness Ambassadors, Choir Club, Brianna's Buddies, News Crews, Rise and Shine Club, Safety Patrol Club, Flag Crew.

Problem Statements Identifying Demographics Needs

Problem Statement 1: The community in unaware of the new behavior expectation initiatives on campus. **Root Cause:** The change in behavior programs was a year long process; time is needed to build community relationships.

Priority Problem Statements

Goals

Goal 1: Student Learning - Engage students through relevant instruction and assessment sparking curiosity and critical thinking, meeting individual academic needs as they impact their world now and in the future.

Performance Objective 1: Design and deliver curriculum and instruction that increases teacher efficiency and effectiveness and maximize student learning.

* STRATEGIES REQUIRED BY ALL CAMPUSES TO ASSIST IN ACHIEVING TARGETED OUTCOMES FOR GOAL 1.1 ON SCORECARD.

High Priority

HB3 Goal

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes

ES - Istation reading and math

MS - enrollment in advanced courses

HS - GPA 2.7 or higher readiness

HS - CCMR HB3 - engaged in TEA metric

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Rev	iews
Strategy 1: Training on Istation reports and resources will be provided to all staff		Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: The percent of 3rd grade students that score meets grade level on ISIP or achieve goals set in IEP's in Reading will increase 92.1% to 93.8 % as measured by the April ISIP 2024.	Nov	Feb	May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administration, grade level teachers, special education teachers.			
ESF Levers: Lever 4: High-Quality Instructional Materials and Assessments, Lever 5: Effective Instruction Strategy 2 Details	For	mative Rev	iews
Strategy 2: Redesign iStation data protocol to target support for students.		Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Strategic grouping of small groups for targeted intervention based on ISIP BOY, MOY Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administration, general education and special education teachers	Nov	Feb	May
ESF Levers: Lever 4: High-Quality Instructional Materials and Assessments, Lever 5: Effective Instruction			

Strategy 3 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 3: Implement and streamline PLCs - by focusing this year on learning targets and common formative assessments		Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Expected result in an increase in students master of the Essential standards chosen by grade level.	Nov	May	
Measurement tool used are CBAs .	45%		
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discontinu	e		

Goal 1: Student Learning - Engage students through relevant instruction and assessment sparking curiosity and critical thinking, meeting individual academic needs as they impact their world now and in the future.

Performance Objective 2: Enhance student learning through targeted experiences that connect to student interests and needs, prepare students to develop future opportunities, and determine appropriate academic interventions and support.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Readiness dashboard

Performance Objective 1: Increase relevance and effectiveness of MS/HS advisory structure and content over a 3-year period.

Evaluation Data Sources: See district scorecard Feedback from student and staff groups

Performance Objective 2: Increase the relevance, positivity, and collaboration of the student experience to build community, belonging, and student ownership.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes ES, MS, HS - Student survey results MS/HS - Involvement in extracurricular, co curricular, clubs, etc.

Performance Objective 3: Reduce percentage of truant students district wide to maximize student learning opportunities.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Attendance Rate Chronic truancy

Performance Objective 4: Monitor safety and security of all LISD facilities.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Compliance with safety drills Completion of staff and student safety trainings

Performance Objective 5: Increase collaborative interventions to identify and support the wellbeing and behavioral needs of students.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Student survey results Parent survey results

Performance Objective 6: Campus Behavior Goal:

* CAMPUS BEHAVIOR GOAL AND STRATEGIES REQUIRED BY ALL CAMPUSES TO ASSIST CAMPUS IN MEETING TARGETED OUTCOME DETERMINED BY CAMPUS.

High Priority

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes

Strategy 1 Details	For	ews	
Strategy 1: Implement positive behavior interventions as a school wide initiative that will support student behavior goals.		Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: 82% of students will agree/strongly agree of school being a positive environment. Positive relationships and clear expectations will decrease student behavior	Nov Feb		May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: All staff			
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No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discontinu	e		

Performance Objective 1: Increase and maintain long-range financial stability through the utilization of a strategic approach while maintaining high quality education programs and services for all.

Evaluation Data Sources: See district scorecard for targeted outcomes Maintain fund balance
Balanced budget
Earn finance stability indicators

Performance Objective 2: Increase the community's (internal and external) understanding of Texas School Finance and the LISD budget.

Evaluation Data Sources: See district scorecard for targeted outcomes Financial dashboard visits
Finance related comm efforts across all platforms

Performance Objective 3: Increase the efficient and fiscally responsible practices to maximize district funding and increase entitlements.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes % of students logging in on district devices

Performance Objective 4: Balance staff workload to better meet student needs and increase staff wellbeing.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Staff survey results

Goal 4: Resource Stewardship - Recruit, retain, and develop the talents of dedicated teachers and staff to engage and inspire learners and leaders.

Performance Objective 1: Increase capacity and strengthen employee talent pools by leveraging a culture of talent development (recruit).

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Leadership program participation

Strategy 1 Details	For	rmative Rev	iews
Strategy 1: Distribute information and encourage teachers to involve themselves in leadership positions on campus and at the district level.		Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Aim for 8 teachers to involve themselves leadership positions	Nov	Feb	May
TEA Priorities:			
Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals			
- ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discontinue	e		

Goal 4: Resource Stewardship - Recruit, retain, and develop the talents of dedicated teachers and staff to engage and inspire learners and leaders.

Performance Objective 2: Increase diverse perspectives and employee engagement by involving staff in decisions that affect them (retain).

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Staff survey

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 1: Increase staff in decision making process by providing opportunity for feedback on events, initiatives.		Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase by 4.9 % of agree/disagree on staff pulse in the area of decision making that affects employee.	Nov Feb		May
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: administration, staff			
ESF Levers: Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning			
No Progress Continue/Modify X Discontinue	e		

Goal 4: Resource Stewardship - Recruit, retain, and develop the talents of dedicated teachers and staff to engage and inspire learners and leaders.

Performance Objective 3: Increase alignment of training based on job requirements to impact job performance and maximize learning for staff (develop).

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Staff survey

Strategy 1 Details		Formative Reviews	
regy 1: Provide training for special education and all staff in areas of student services, instruction/learning: obtain feedback after each		Formative	
training.	Nov	Feb	May
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase pulse survey in area of training from 82.4% to 84%			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Administration			
TEA Priorities: Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals			
- ESF Levers:			
Lever 1: Strong School Leadership and Planning, Lever 4: High-Quality Instructional Materials and Assessments			
No Progress Accomplished Continue/Modify Discontinu	e		

Goal 5: Community Engagement - Build ONELISD, a connected culture of community engagement and purposeful communications.

Performance Objective 1: Advance the message that promotes, protects, and champions LISD as the superior choice for families.

*STRATEGIES REQUIRED BY ALL CAMPUSES TO ASSIST IN ACHIEVING TARGETED OUTCOMES FOR GOAL 1.1 ON SCORECARD.

High Priority

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes

Staff survey Parent survey Recognize Someone program

Strategy 1 Details	For	ews	
Strategy 1: CHE will streamline communication format to parents/staff based on CHE survey to families as well as LISD long range plan.	Formative		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: All grade levels will create a newletter and send on a specific day. Parent survey results will show	Nov Feb		May
an increase in area of communication. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: All Staff			
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No Progress Continue/Modify X Discontinue	;		

Goal 5: Community Engagement - Build ONELISD, a connected culture of community engagement and purposeful communications.

Performance Objective 2: Increase the utilization of feedback to build trust and inform decision-making.

Evaluation Data Sources: See campus scorecard for targeted outcomes Staff survey
Customer Service survey

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You will update the formative and summative reviews.

Performance Objective 1: All students shall attend school regularly.

Evaluation Data Sources: Student attendance records; academic performance data; campus staff observations, communication logs; family and community involvement records

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 1: Parents, the staff, and the student body are informed of student attendance procedures. Student residency is verified.	1	Formative	
RaaWee will be used to monitor absences and parent notification given when students are absent.	Nov	Feb	May
Strategies are implemented to increase parental involvement as a proactive measure. Training is provided to parents regarding how to utilize technology to monitor student progress and achievement.			
As monitored in RaaWee and on the district and campus scorecards, excessive absences are monitored and interventions are provided in a collaborative partnership to identify and resolve root causes - including refer to counseling and/or health services departments. Truancy charges are regularly filed when appropriate.	,		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Student attendance records and campus/district scorecard for attendance rate % and truant student %			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: All staff			
No Progress Continue/Modify X Discontinue	;	1	

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Performance Objective 2: All students shall complete high school. The dropout rate for all the students including sub-populations will be maintained at < 0.2% for middle schools, and high schools will have a 95% completion rate. All schools will implement and maintain strategies that support these goals.

Evaluation Data Sources: Student attendance and withdrawal records; program records; STAAR scores and local academic performance data; campus staff observations, intervention documentation, family and community involvement records

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Revi	iews
Strategy 1: At-risk students will be identified using available data.		Formative	
Accelerated instruction will be provided based on data and in alignment with the comprehensive needs assessment data and Goal 1.1 and 1.2 for student learning.	Nov	Feb	May
Students will be provided opportunities to explore career options. Students will be engaged in college and career readiness activities to promote the goal of high school completion and workforce readiness.			
Procedures will be used to ensure accurate coding/tracking of withdrawals.			
The RtI process is utilized to provide early intervention for struggling students.			
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased STAAR scores, local grades and assessments; campus staff observation and reflection indicating strategy success; successful dropout prevention as seen from one or more of the following items: (a) results of audit of dropout records, (b) campus info related to graduation rates, dropout rates, high school equivalency certification rates, and the percentage of students who remain in high school more than four years after entering 9th grade, (c) the number of students who enter a high school equivalency program and do not complete the program or complete but do not take the exam or complete and take the exam but do not obtain a high school equivalency certificate, (d) for students enrolled in 9th and 10th grades, information related to academic credit hours earned, retention rates, and placements in alternative education programs and expulsions, and (e) results of an evaluation of each school-based dropout prevention program			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: All staff			
TEA Priorities: Connect high school to career and college, Improve low-performing schools			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discontinue	;		ı

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Performance Objective 3: Students shall feel safe and positive about their learning environment.

Evaluation Data Sources: Student and parent survey results. safety reports. staff observations and documentation; family involvement; counseling data, behavior data

Strategy 1 Details	For	mative Revi	iews
Strategy 1: District Behavior Management Plan is implemented districtwide. Staff training and practices will support proactive behavior		Formative	
strategies that align with the District Behavior Management Plan.	Nov	Feb	May
Campus Behavior Management Plans are implemented on each campus. Staff and students will be training on expectations outlined in the plan. Orientations and Welcome Week events are held.			
Students participate in activities that foster positive teacher/student relationships through implementation of Restorative Practices and other strategies.			
The student code of conduct is available online and copies are available to students and reviewed with students by teachers.			
The school safety plan is developed and monitored for effectiveness throughout the school year. Peace officers and/or school resource officers and security officers work with the LISD safety and security department to develop appropriate guidelines which are updated annually.			
Campus personnel will be trained in violence prevention and intervention.			

Strategy 2 Details	For	mative Revi	ews
Strategy 2: Campuses coordinate school health activities to address student wellbeing and ensure all aspects that impact the learning		Formative	
environment are addressed.	Nov	Feb	May
Students receive public acknowledgement for non-academic achievement.			
Students will expand their involvement in extracurricular and co-curricular activities, and ensure that all students participate in the school's required physical activities.			
Students will participate in fitness assessments and engage in physical activities which are evaluated annually. Campus follows the recommendation of the SHAC team, as provided quarterly.			
A proactive plan identifies and helps troubled youth through partnership with counselor and teacher to identify supports and interests.			
Students are aided in their transition from elementary school to middle school, and middle school to high school through vertical conversations, teacher collaboration and professional learning.			
Civic responsibility and community service and community involvement are encouraged.			
Implement plan to increase family engagement and awareness of key topics to improve student academic achievement.			
Counselors work with students to make appropriate curricular choices or program choices, and support students as needed in programs including but not limited to suicide prevention, conflict resolution, positive behavior interventions, career education, dating violence, sexual abuse, sex trafficking, dating violence, discipline management including unwanted physical or verbal aggression and sexual harassment, strategies for providing students and their parents with information about higher education admissions and financial aid opportunities, the need for students to make informed curriculum choices to be prepared for success beyond high school, career education to assist students in preparing for a broad range of career opportunities, accelerated education, the Teach for Texas program, etc.			
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased academic performance data, including STAAR and local assessments; staff observations and documentation records, including RtI and counselor data, student attendance records and interest forms, family involvement. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: All staff			
Strategy 3 Details	For	mative Revie	ews
Strategy 3: Dating Violence		Formative	
LISD does not tolerate dating violence. The Counseling and Social Work team will participate staff and student education on the prevention	Nov	Feb	May

and legal responsibilities related to dating violence. Guidelines for victims include reporting outcry to trusted adult along with following district protocol for outcries, specifically that parents notification will take place immediately following identification of a victim or perpetrator. Violations will be reported to the appropriate authorities as required by law.

Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increasing education and reporting pathway to support students in participation in healthy dating relationships.

Staff Responsible for Monitoring: All staff

No Progress

One No Progress

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Performance Objective 4: Diverse students shall be prepared to meet the demands of the real world when they exit the Lewisville Independent School District. Instructional strategies and programs will be implemented to support all students.

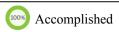
Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR scores; local grades and assessments; campus staff observations and reflections; graduation rates of all groups.

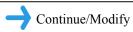
Strategy 1 Details	Formative Reviews		
Strategy 1: Special program students are accurately identified and appropriately served.	Formative		
Language acquisition services are provided for language learners through differentiating for their stage of language acquisition through models	Nov	Feb	May

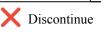
aligned with state requirements. Special education services are provided to students as determined by the ARD committee. G/T services are provided in alignment with the Texas State Plan for Gifted/Talented students. A plan is in place to accurately identify students for special programs. (Programs serving diverse students include, but are not limited to the following: Gifted and Talented, At-Risk, Bilingual/ESL, Dyslexia, Special Education, Counseling, other special funded programs.) Campus personnel utilize appropriate interventions for students with special needs. The RtI team is in place and appropriately trained to serve students. Professional learning is provided to all staff regarding the needs of learners from special populations (at-risk, special education, 504, dyslexia, G/T. ELL. Economically Disadvantaged, etc.). Teachers receive training and support to differentiate instruction to meet the needs of all students. The campus will demonstrate integration of technology in instructional and administrative programs to support student learning. The following resources are used to meet the needs of special students: 504, Inclusion, Contact Teachers, G/T services, Advanced Placement (secondary only) and Literacy Intervention/Dyslexia. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased STAAR scores, local grades and assessments; campus staff observation and reflection indicating strategy success; increased family involvement in program supports, graduation rates. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: All staff



No Progress







Goal 7: Student Achievement/Safeguards

THIS GOAL IS REQUIRED. DO NOT CHANGE OR DELETE THIS GOAL.

You will update the formative and summative reviews.

Performance Objective 1: Achievement of all students, as measured by standardized tests and classroom performance, shall continually improve. Particular emphasis shall be placed on reading, writing, mathematics, science, and social studies.

Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR scores; local grades and assessments; campus staff observations and reflections indicating interventions are successful, family involvement

Strategy 1 Details	For	Formative Reviews	
trategy 1: LISD Accountability and Evaluation Department will train all campus and other relevant staff on the multiple state accountability estems and data analysis required to understand each system to assess academic achievement for students based on student achievement omain, school progress domain, and the closing the gaps domain.	Formative		
	Nov	Feb	May
Campus and department personnel will be able to analyze state mandated testing data housed in campus shared assessment folders and in Eduphoria Aware.	l		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Achievement of all students increase as indicated on STAAR and local academic performance data, graduation rate.	i		
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Learning and Teaching Chief of Schools	ì		
Accountability and Evaluation	ı		
Campus administrators and appropriate staff.	ı		
TEA Priorities: Build a foundation of reading and math, Improve low-performing schools	1		
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