

Joan Martin Elementary School

Action Plan #5: Citizenship

Improvement Goal:

All students will develop an understanding and commitment to the democratic ideals of human dignity, justice, and equality by focusing on productive citizenship in a democratic society.

Expectation(s) for Student Learning:

All students will demonstrate behavior expectations using 21st Century Lifeskills.

All students will respect diversity while becoming effective and participating members of a democracy.

All students will have the opportunity to participate in school sponsored community service activities to experience personal, intellectual, and social growth.

All students will practice digital citizenship through ethical and responsible use of technology systems, information, and software.

Target Participants:

All students in Joan Martin Elementary School

Reproductive and Family Planning (4-5)

Interventions:

All students will develop positive personal and interpersonal skills using 21st Century Lifeskills.

All students will develop positive leadership skills, ethics, school connectedness, and accountability.

All students will develop digital citizenship and practice acceptable technology usage.

All students will learn necessary strategies to keep themselves safe and healthy.

The school community will collaborate to provide a safe and secure facility.

Student Support:

All students will participate in Multi-Tiered Support System (MTSS) based on behavior.

Evaluation:

NSSE Stakeholder Opinion Surveys

Indiana Youth Survey

Discipline Data

Leadership Survey

Pivot Early Warning System

Timeframe for Implementation:

2017-2021

Target Area of Improvement: Citizenship - Life Skills, Diversity, Community Service, and Ethics

ACTIONS	SCHEDULE	RESPONSIBILITIES	MONITORING	RESOURCES
<p>Intervention: Positive Personal and Interpersonal Skills</p> <p>1. All students will develop positive personal and interpersonal skills.</p> <p>A. Students will use 21st Century Lifeskills daily. -Report card 21st Century Lifeskills Rubric</p> <p>B. Students will incorporate lifeskills and lifelong guidelines while participating in student council, clubs, and other activities.</p> <p>C. Students will problem solve behavior concerns by thinking, writing, discussing the lifelong guidelines and lifeskills.</p> <p>D. Positive Behavior Intervention and Support System (PBIS) -Students will participate in PBIS to promote positive behavior at school where all participants are encouraged daily to make positive choices. -Code of Conduct (student handbook)</p> <p>E. Students demonstrate expectations by following the model of be respectful, be responsible, and be safe.</p> <p>F. Students will utilize the M.O.P. rules during behavioral concerns. The staff will teach, model and practice these questions so that students can "mop" up inappropriate behavior. Me -- Did or could this behavior hurt me or get me in trouble? Others -- Did or could this behavior hurt others or get others in trouble? Property -- Did or could this hurt somebody's property?</p> <p>G. Students will use the 4 A's in behavioral situations. Admit -- Write or tell me what you did wrong. Apologize -- Write or tell me how you are going to say you are sorry. Accept --</p>	<p>2017-2021</p>	<p>-Lead: Administrators -All staff -Home-School Coordinator -Librarians -Resource/Hobart Police Officer - District Security Team: Superintendent, Director of School Safety, Student Safety Supervisor, Director of Support Services, Director of Technology, Director OF IT, Director of HR and Compliance, and SROs. -Core Matters Instructor/Wellness Coordinator - Think First and Stay Safe Coordinator</p>	<p>-Leadership Surveys -NSSE Opinion Surveys -Observable Student Behaviors -Referral Form Data -Discipline Data -Skyward Office Data -5-day letter -10-day letter -referral to prosecutor's office -Referral to Child Protective Services -MOP form referrals -Pivot Early Warning System -Indiana Youth Survey</p>	<p>-Morning Announcements -- PA System -21st Century Life skills Rubrics from Report Cards -Work One Poster -Incentives -Professional Development for Teachers, Parents, & Community -Student Handbook -<i>Tools for Citizenship & Life: Using the ITI Lifelong Guidelines & Lifeskills in Your Classroom</i> by Sue Pearson -<i>ITI: The Model</i> by Susan J. Kovalik -<i>Teaching With the Brain in Mind</i> by Eric Jensen -<i>Character Begins at Home: Family Tools for Teaching Character and Values</i> by Karen D. Olsen and Sue Pearson</p>

<p>Tell how you will accept the consequences and responsibility of your actions. Amends -- Tell how you will fix the problem or behavior.</p> <p>H. Students and families will receive administrative newsletters that focus attention on the 21st Century Lifeskills and PBIS guidelines.</p> <p>I. Students will be encouraged to integrate the 21st Century Lifeskills and PBIS guidelines at home and in the community.</p> <p>-The lifeskill of responsibility will be addressed through the attendance policy.</p> <p>J. Students will learn about positive, personal, and interpersonal skills through Project Wisdom during morning announcements.</p> <p>K. Students will participate in classroom presentation/discussions about positive personal and interpersonal skills:</p> <p>-1st Grade:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>7 Habits of Happy Kids</i>(Life Skills of being proactive, setting goals, active listening, cooperation , <i>having balance in your life</i>), ● MOP Procedures Review & Bucket Fillers & Read Bully Prevention Books. <p>-2nd Grade:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Free the Horses</i> is an 11 week positive-thinking program that teaches students to think before they act, how thinking is connected to feelings and actions, and how it is important to be a friend to others. It also addresses name-calling issues. ● MOP Procedures Review & Bucket Fillers & Read Bully Prevention Books. <p>-3rd Grade:</p>				<p><i>-Project Wisdom: Helping Students Make Wise Choices</i></p> <p>-Professional Development for Teachers/Parents/Community Organization</p> <p>-PBIS Guidelines</p> <p>-Team Lead Training</p> <p>-District Web site</p> <p>-Anti-bullying Web site</p> <p><i>-Have You Filled a Bucket Today?</i> By Carol McCloud</p> <p><i>-Lucky Lessons</i> by Nancy Starewicz</p> <p>-MOP Form referral Forms</p> <p>-Focus on Education Newsletter/Web Site</p> <p><i>-The First Days of School</i> by Harry Wong</p> <p>Home-School Coordinator Curriculum (videos/books)</p> <p><i>-7 Habits of Happy Kids – Book</i> by Covey</p> <p>-Video Program: <i>Free the Horses</i> with parent</p>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Too Good for Violence</i> By Mendez Foundation, <i>Chrissa Stands Strong</i> are videos and discussion programs on what to do if you are called a name and why no one should call others names. Refusal Skills and strategies for saying no in peer pressure situations while maintaining friendships are taught to the students. ● MOP Procedures Review & Bucket Fillers & Read Bully Prevention Books. <p>-4th Grade:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Too Good for Violence</i>, ● MOP Procedures Review, ● Bucket Fillers, ● Read Bully Prevention Books, ● Why Try ● Martin Luther King's Fighting Fair <p>-5th Grade:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <i>Too Good for Violence</i>, <i>About Violence Prevention</i> MOP Procedures Review, ● Bucket Fillers, ● Read Bully Prevention Books, ● Why Try ● Core Matters <p>-Librarians will read bullying prevention books from various authors.</p> <p>-Mindfulness and Movement will be incorporated at all grade levels.</p> <p>- Think First and Stay Safe will be implemented in all grade levels.</p>				<p>letters, weekly songs, use of puppets</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Bullying Brochures -Why Try materials -Rachel's Challenge website and lesson book and curriculum. -Five minute daily Rachel's Challenge Activities -Mendez Violence Prevention Curriculum -Google Apps -Core Matters -Fair Haven Curriculum -PIVOT
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<p>L. Rachel's Challenge is a program that promotes kindness and compassion for students in grades 1-5. Students participate in kindness chains, in class lessons, and videos. Students in 5th grade participate in the assembly Rachel's Story.</p> <p>-Five Minute Rachel's challenge Daily Activities</p> <p>M. Opportunities to practice employer expectations in work One Poster.</p>				
<p>Intervention: Positive Leadership Skills – Leadership and Mentor Programs</p> <p>1. Students will develop positive leadership skills, ethics, school connectedness, and accountability.</p> <p>A. Elementary Brickie Leaders will foster student participation through school families and buddies.</p> <p>B. Parent education will be communicated and will encourage accountability for adults as well as children.</p> <p>C. Students will participate in Public Service/Service Learning through partnerships with community organizations and various other non-profit groups.</p> <p>D. Students will have the opportunity to participate in extra and co-curricular activities.</p> <p>E. Students will commit to kindness and compassion by pledging Rachel's Challenge.</p> <p>F. Selected students will participate in Care Corp.</p> <p>G. Students will participate in Rally for a Cause.</p>	2017-2021	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Lead: Administrators -Home-School Coordinator -Principals -Elementary Staff/Teachers -Counselors -Parents 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Leadership Surveys -NSSE Opinion Surveys -Observable Student Behaviors -Referral Form Data -Discipline Data -Mentor Data -Pivot Early Warning System 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Brickie Leaders Consultant for student, teacher, and parent training -Brickie Leaders Sponsors -Extra and co-curricular activities -Student Council -Hero Helpers -Girls on the Run - Rachel's Challenge Curriculum
<p>Intervention: Digital Citizenship</p> <p>1. All students will develop digital citizenship and practice acceptable technology usage.</p> <p>A. Students will develop digital citizenship through ethical and responsible use of technology systems, information, and software.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Central Office Administrators -Director of Technology -Director of Informational Technology Services -Technology Staff -Administrators 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Lesson Plans -NSSE Opinion Surveys -Observable Student Behaviors -Referral Form Data 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Ribble, M. Bailey, G., Ross, T (2004) <i>Learning and Leading with Technology</i>

<p>-Etiquette -- Students will follow School City of Hobart's Student Technology Network and Responsible Use Policy (RUP) for appropriate technology use.</p> <p>-Students will create Digital Portfolios.</p> <p>-Staff will model appropriate uses of technology in and out of the classroom.</p> <p>B. Students will access information, store, and share information in a responsible manner</p> <p>.-Responsibility -- Students will assume electronic responsibility for actions and deeds.</p> <p>-Students will abide by the school's codes of conduct as they relate to plagiarism, fair use, and copyright laws.</p> <p>C. Students will be given opportunities to communicate in different fashions. (ie: web sites, blogs, threaded discussions, bulletin boards, and use course management systems like Google Classroom)</p> <p>- Provide time for students to use school technology to complete assignments.</p> <p>-Students will have one to one technology.</p> <p>D. Students will learn how to protect themselves electronically.</p> <p>- Security --Electronic precautions will be taken to guarantee safety.</p> <p>- Parents and students will be given resources to learn the proper use of social networks like & Facebook, Twitter, SnapChat, Instagram</p> <p>E. School City required Internet lessons</p> <p>F. Too Good for Drugs and Violence 3-5th Grade</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -All Staff -Home-School Coordinator -School Resource Officer (SRO) -Parents -DARE Officer -Director of School Safety -Media Center Paraprofessionals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Discipline Data -Mentor Data -Skyward -Google Classroom -SeeSaw 	<p><i>Digital Citizenship</i> addressing appropriate technology use. 31,1 ISTE.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Director of Technology -Director of Information Technology Services -SeeSaw -IT Manager -Student Handbook -RUP -RUP Forms -District Website -Internet Access -DARE Officer & Program -BYOD Policy -My Big Campus -Google Apps
<p>Intervention: Strategies to be Safe and Healthy</p> <p>1.Students will learn necessary strategies to keep themselves safe. They will participate in the following Home School Coordinator Programs:</p> <p>A. Grade 1:</p>	<p>2017-2021</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Home-School Coordinator -D.A.R.E. Officer -Classroom Teachers -School Nurse 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Leadership Surveys -NSSE Opinion Surveys -Observable Student Behaviors 	<p>-Home School Coordinator programs to include but not limited to: Video Program: <i>Free the Horses Parent</i></p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 7 Habits of Healthy Kids <p>B. Grade 2:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Free the Horses. It is an 11-week positive thinking program that teaches students to think before they act, how thinking is connected to feelings and actions, and how it is important to be a friend to others. It also addresses name-calling issues. <p>C. Grade 3:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Taught personal safety skills ● <i>Stand Strong</i> ● Too Good for Violence by Mendez Foundation. <p>D. Grade 4:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Too Good for Violence ● Martin Luther King’s Fighting Fair ● Why Try <p>E. Grade 5:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Too Good for Drugs and Violence Curriculum. ● Why Try <p>F. Students will participate in classroom activities, such as community circles, to problem-solve and gain clarification and support related to their safety.</p> <p>G. Students will participate in communicable disease education that is appropriate for their grade level.</p> <p>H. Students will participate in curriculum that promotes wellness.</p> <p>I. Fire Safety</p> <p>J. Students (4-5 grades) will participate in Healthy Choice Decision Making Curriculum.</p> <p>-Internet Safety/Digital Safety/Digital Portfolio</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Classroom Teachers -Hobart Fire Department -Director of Technology -Director of Curriculum -SROs -Hobart Police Department 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Referral Form Data -Discipline Data -Skyward -Google Classroom -SeeSaw -Pivot Early Warning System 	<p>Letters, weekly songs, puppet; -Role Playing Scenes; Video: <i>Stranger Smart</i> Parent Letter Presented by Resource Officer/School Counselor</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Too Good for Drugs and Violence Curriculum -Parent Communication -Health Curriculum -Hobart Fire Dept. -Healthy Choices Decision Making Curriculum -Skyward -Internet Safety/Digital Citizenship/Digital Portfolio
<p>Intervention: Safe and Secure Facility</p>	<p>2017-2021</p>	<p>-Lead: Administrators</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Drill data -Emergency and Crisis 	<p>-Emergency Response Plan</p>

<p>1. The school community will collaborate to provide a safe and secure facility.</p> <p>A. Annual review and following of Emergency Response Plan: Practice storm drills Practice fire drills Practice lockdown</p> <p>B. Annual review and following of Crisis Plan</p> <p>C. CPR/AED Training</p> <p>D. Communicate Safety Procedures to Parents via handbook, monthly newsletter, and Phone Messenger system as needed.</p> <p>E. All staff members will wear a school ID badge.</p> <p>F. All visitors must submit to an identification check utilizing the Safe Visitor security protocol to obtain a visitor's badge.</p> <p>G. Selected Staff are trained in CPI.</p> <p>H. All substitute teachers will wear an ID badge when in the building or on the premises</p> <p>2. The Director of School Safety maintains a safe learning environment and works with Safe Schools Committee</p> <p>I. All coaches and community coaches will be trained and will wear ID badges when in the building or on the premises.</p> <p>J. School will use School Guard in conjunction with Hero 911.</p>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Elementary Staff -Director of School Safety -Hobart Police Department -Director of Human Resources and Compliance -Safe School Committee 	<p>Review Checklist</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Accident Reports -Crisis Committee -Selected Staff Trained in CPI (see list) -Safe Schools -Participates in annual notices 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Crisis Guides - Too Good for Drugs and Violence Curriculum -Videos -Implementation of Drills -Emergency Exit and Drill -Secure Classrooms -Student Handbook -Substitute Resource Manuals -Alarm Systems -Security Cameras -Communication System -Volunteer Software -Director of School Safety -Annual Notices -Safe Schools -Substitute Training -School Guard/Hero 911
<p>Intervention: MTSS (Multi-Tiered System of Support)</p> <p>1. Students will participate in MTSS Tiers based on behavior.</p> <p>A. A district wide MTSS policy is implemented with guidelines.</p> <p>B. Tier II will be within the classroom including the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Individual Behavior Contracts -Small Group Instruction using books, videos, observations, playgroups 	<p>2017-2021</p>	<p>Lead: Central Office Administrators</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Principals -Northwest Indiana Special Education Cooperative (NISEC) Director -Elementary teachers - LRE Facilitator -Interventionists -Home school Coordinator 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -SCOH Balanced Assessment System Framework -MTSS Forms -MTSS Meetings -Skyward -Google Classroom -SeeSaw -Pivot Early Warning System 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -SCOH Balanced Assessment System Framework -Skyward (Report Card/Discipline) -Functional Behavior Assessment -Individual Behavior Plans

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Mentors C. Tier II and Tier III will be implemented through intense intervention with additional support services. -Behavior Intervention Plan based on Functional Behavior Assessment -Guidance/counseling -Mentors 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Core Matters Instructor/Wellness Coordinators 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Indiana Youth Survey -PBIS data -PIVOT Plans 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Behavior Intervention Plans -Professional Learning Communities -Common Plan Time -MTSS Policy and Guidelines -MTSS Forms -MTSS Meetings -Life skill books -Mentors -SCOH website -PIVOT -Core Matters -System of Care (Lake County) Referral
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