

**Laurel Woods Elementary School
SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN
2016 – 2017**



<p><u>LWES- Looking Within Every Student</u></p>	<p><i>STRATEGIES FOR FOCUSED IMPROVEMENT</i></p>
<p>Vision: To create confident, capable, life-long learners and responsible citizens.</p> <p>Mission: Every student will be actively engaged in a safe, equitable, and diverse learning environment where they are able to reach their full potential.</p>	<p>LITERACY STRATEGIES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade level long-range planning will include the Reading Support Teachers to provide classroom teachers with resources and strategies to increase implementation of rigorous strategies. • On going discussion with classroom teachers, reading interventionists, and the Reading Support Teacher to evaluate and analyze student data for improvement. • Staff will attend Best Practices Professional Development to learn how to effectively use the new Guided Reading Tools. <p>MATH STRATEGIES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade level long-range planning will include the Math Support Teachers to provide classroom teachers with resources and strategies to increase implementation of rigorous strategies. • On going discussion with classroom teachers, math interventionists, and the Math Support Teacher to evaluate and analyze student data for improvement. • Classroom walk-throughs by the leadership team to identify and recognize instructional strengths. <p>PERFORMANCE ACTION STEPS:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grade level family reading/math nights to provide instruction and materials to families. • Bridges program to increase math instruction. • Reading and Math tutoring in grades 1 and 2. • Monthly training for staff on math and reading instruction.
<p><i>HCPSS VISION AND MISSION</i></p>	
<p>Vision 2018: Every student is inspired to learn and empowered to excel.</p> <p>Mission: We cultivate a vibrant learning community that prepares students to thrive in a dynamic world.</p>	
<p><i>HCPSS GOALS</i></p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Students (Goal 1): Every student achieves academic excellence in an inspiring, engaging, and supportive environment. • Staff (Goal 2): Every staff member is engaged, supported, and successful. • Families and the Community (Goal 3): Families and the community are engaged and supported as partners in education. • Organization (Goal 4): Schools are supported by world-class organizational practices. 	
<p><i>AREAS FOR FOCUSED IMPROVEMENT</i></p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The number of students overall who meet the HCPSS cut score for Math MAP will increase from 34.8% to 38% • The number of FARM students who meet the HCPSS cut score for Math MAP will increase from 25.4% to 28.4% • The number of students overall who meet the Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Benchmark will increase from 85.7% to 88% • The number of FARM students who meet the Fountas & Pinnell Literacy Benchmark will increase from 86.2% to 90% 	