# **Alternative Education Community of Practice**

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#### **Zoom Meeting Preparation**



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## **Apply/ Evaluate**

**Bring Back(s):** 

-Leadership Team Meeting Schedule(s)

Who: Site Leader



## Leadership Team Meetings Schedule Framework Sample

Who?	Focus	How Often?
Clerical Staff	Attendance	Twice a Month
Teacher Leader(s) ELA and Math	State Assessment Progress	Weekly
Teacher Leader(s) Science and Social Studies	Current Year Credit Accumulation	Weekly
Technology Facilitators	Second Year Dropout/ Credit Accumulation	Twice a Month
Counselors	12th Grade Strength of Diploma	Monthly Ouisian

#### **Purpose/ Need**

Per a 2017 AE Study Group Report, "Students in Louisiana alternative education settings rarely receive **academic**, behavioral, social and emotional services needed to address the root cause of their exit from the home school.

Gaps in the services provided often mean that students experience inconsistent transitional procedures upon entry or exit from the alternative school or program."



#### **Meeting Outcome**

By the end of the meeting, Alternative Education leaders will understand the the impact ILT Meetings and Teacher Collaboration Meetings can play in enhancing the Progress Index as per the AE Accountability Framework.

#### Agenda:

- Review Components of the AE Accountability Framework as well as ILT/ Teacher Collaboration Meeting Expectations
- Discuss Progress Monitoring Academic Feedback as a strategy to support the improvement of student academic outcomes
- Small Group Discussion/ Activity
- **Next Steps**



## **AE Accountability Framework**

- State Assessment Progress
- Current Year Credit Accumulation
- Second Year Dropout/ Credit Accumulation
- 12th Grade Strength of Diploma
- **Interests and Opportunities**



## **AE Accountability Framework**

#### **State Assessment Progress**

- 25% High Schools
- **85**% Middle and Elementary Schools



## **Leadership Team Meeting**

Who: Teacher Leader(s) (ELA & Math)

#### What:

- Student Data
- Tiering of Student Groups
- Development of Plans to address performance groups

When: Weekly



#### What:

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#### **Student Data**

Student Work Samples

Anecdotal Notes



## **Tiering of Student Groups**

High

Medium

Low



## **Development of Plans to Address Performance** Groups

#### **Academic Feedback**

Oral and Written Feedback are:

- academically focused
- frequent
- high-quality



#### **Small Group Discussion**

#### **State Assessment Progress**

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Given the information discussed, what can be some potential next steps for us?



#### **Apply/ Evaluate**

#### **Next Steps:**

Engage in weekly ILTs/ collaborative meetings with focus subject teachers focused on collecting student data and the impact of providing high quality written and oral academic feedback

#### Bring Back(s):

- Celebrations from collaboration meetings
- Focus group data trends (e.g. students within that group who are improving performance; those who continue to struggle; etc.)



## **Calendar and Topics**

Month	Event
October 10	AE Monthly Call
August - May	AE Site Visits

#### **Questions & Feedback**

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