Alternative Education Community of Practice

March 14, 2024



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Celebrations

Apply/ Evaluate

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Bring Back(s):

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- ★ Academic Recovery Ombudsman (Caddo)
- ★ PIE (Caddo)
- ★ AmiKiDs (Caddo)
- ★ Concordia Education Center (Concordia)
- ★ Arlington Preparatory Academy (EBR)
- ★ Northdale Superintendent's Academy (EBR)
- ★ EBR Readiness Superintendent Academy (EBR)
- ★ Lerosen Preparatory Program (Lafayette)
- ★ Riverside Alternative High School (OJJ)



- ★ C.F. Rowley Alternative High School (St. Bernard)
- ★ Florida Parishes Juvenile Detention Center (Juvenile Site)
- ★ Sherrouse School (City of Monroe)
- ★ Howard School (Howard School)
- ★ The NET Charter High School (Orleans)
- ★ The NET 2 Charter High School (Orleans)
- ★ New Orleans Accelerated High School (Orleans)
- ★ Riverside Alternative High School (OJJ)
- ★ Southside Alternative HIgh School (OJJ)



- ★ Frederick Douglass Community School (Jefferson)
- ★ Strehle Community School (Jefferson)
- ★ JCFA (Jefferson)
- ★ Edward J Sam Accelerated School of Lafayette (Lafayette)
- ★ Christian Acres Alternative School (Juvenile Site)
- ★ Natchitoches Parish Technical and Career Center (Natchitoches)
- ★ Travis Hill School (Orleans)



- ★ Central Southwest Alternative High (OJJ)
- ★ JCFA East (JCFA-East)
- ★ JCFA Lafayette (JCFA Lafayette)



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, AE Leaders will understand the relationship between effective weekly collaboration meetings and student academic outcomes with regards to Second Year Dropout/ Credit Accumulation

Agenda:

- Discuss AE Accountability Framework (Second Year Dropout/ Credit Accumulation)
- Review Expectations for Weekly Collaboration Meetings
- Discuss Practices Embraced by an Exemplar Site (JCFA)
- Small Group Discussion
- Next Steps
- Upcoming Events



AE Accountability Framework

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



Weekly Collaboration Meetings

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



Second Year Dropout/ Credit Accumulation Letter Grade of A or B

JCFA



Small Group Discussion

- 1. Share celebrations from recent collaboration meetings held at your AE Site.
- 2. Discuss ways you might enhance meetings in such a way that may result in greater impact on student academic outcomes.



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Calendar and Topics

Month	Event
April 10	BESE Approval (2024-2025 AE Schools/ Programs)
April 11	AE Monthly Call
August - May	AE Site Visits



Save the Date

#LATEACHERLEADERS

Share the excitement! Be sure to let everyone know that <u>Teacher Leader Summit</u> 2024 will take place May 28-30, 2024 at the New Orleans Convention Center.







Questions & Feedback

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