West Rusk Intermediate

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2016-2017 Campus Plan

West Rusk Intermediate Campus Improvement Plan 2016 – 2017

- West Rusk Intermediate is a school-wide Title I campus. During the 2014-2015 school year 68.5% of our students were economically disadvantaged. Our population consisted of 19.8% African Americans, 20.2% Hispanics, 56.9% White, and 2% American Indian.
- West Rusk Intermediate Met Standard for the 2015-2016 school year. In 2014-2015 we had 248 students tested using STAAR with 11.7% ELL, 57.3% At-Risk, and a mobility rate of 17.5%. Demographic testing information for 2015-2016 has not yet been released.

West Rusk Intermediate will achieve the following Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Goals:

- All students will reach high standards, at a minimum attaining proficiency or better in reading/language arts and mathematics.
- All limited English proficient students will become proficient in English and reach high academic standards, at a minimum attaining proficiency or better in reading/language arts and mathematics.
- All students are taught by highly effective teachers.
- All students will be educated in learning environments that are safe, drug-free, and conducive to learning.
- All students will graduate from high school.

Site-Based Committee Members 2016 – 2017

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Recommendations focus on the areas of:

- Goal Setting
- School Organization
- Staff Development
- Staffing Patterns
- Curriculum and Instruction
- Resource Allocation

It is the policy of the West Rusk Schools not to discriminate on the basis or race, color national origin, gender, handicap, or age in its employment practices as required by Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972; the Age Discrimination Act of 1975, as amended; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 as amended.

West Rusk Intermediate Comprehensive Needs Assessment

The following information sources provided data for the comprehensive needs assessment:

Longitudinal TAPR data

STAAR, STAAR-Accommodated, STAAR ALT. 2

TELPAS

Benchmark Testing

PBMAS

Discipline data

Promotion/retention rates

Stakeholder Surveys

Staff workshop attendance

TPRI

DMAC Reports

Accelerated Reader STAR testing

Faculty input

AR reports

Report cards/progress reports

Standardized achievement tests

Readiness assessments

Absentee reports

Tardy reports

Teacher/parent contact logs

Staff retention/turn over

Lesson plans

Ten Components of a School Wide Program

- 1. Comprehensive needs assessment of the entire school based on information that includes the achievement of children.
- 2. School-wide reform strategies
- 3. Instruction by highly qualified teachers/staff
- 4. High quality and ongoing professional development
- 5. Strategies to attract and retain highly qualified teachers/staff
- 6. Strategies to increase parental involvement
- 7. Plans for assisting preschool children in the successful transition from early childhood programs to local elementary school-wide programs
- 8. Measures to include teachers in the decisions regarding the use of assessments
- 9. Activities to ensure that students who experience difficulty attaining proficiency receive effective and timely additional assistance
- 10. Coordination and integration of federal, state, and local services and programs

West Rusk Intermediate Vision Statement

We, at West Rusk Intermediate, will strive to foster a safe, nurturing academic environment while maximizing student accomplishments and accountabilities. Using all available resources to develop lifelong learners and productive citizens, we will collaborate effectively with our peers, parents, and local community.

West Rusk Intermediate Funding Sources

The following funding sources support the objectives and strategies implemented to address identified student needs:

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Titles I
II A
III
VI
Special Education
State Compensatory Education
District Foundation Grants
Local funds
Gifted and Talented
Fund raisers
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Objectives for the 2016–2017 School Year

Continue to train staff by participating in workshops and campus training.

Students will exceed state averages on state assessments.

Technology will continue to advance in each classroom and in labs.

Staff will continue to use DMAC reporting benchmark testing.

Third grade teachers will analyze Reading and Math abilities using the TPRI and MClass testing.

Teachers will utilize unit testing, benchmark testing and Mock STAAR testing to drive instruction.

Student attendance will improve with the use of incentives and motivation.

Student success in the classroom will be encouraged through the use of campus wide and classroom incentives.

Improve behavior through the use of The Beginning of a Hero and Bully Alert lessons.

Teachers will use the Keystone Character Education program daily to teach positive character.

Our counselor will conduct Character/Bully prevention lessons during PE classes.

Summary of Needs Assessment 2016-2017

West Rusk Intermediate overall had an Accountability Rating of Met Standard for the 2015-2016 school year. We Met Standard in Student Achievement (63 with a Target Score of 60), Student Progress (34 with a Target Score of 32), Closing Performance Gaps (28 with a Target Score of 28), and Postsecondary Readiness (20 with a Target Score of 12).

- 1. Reading: Our Overall campus Reading scores dropped from 2015 to 2016. However, our third grade had an increase from 62% passing in 2015 to 67% in 2016. Our fourth grade went from 71% passing in 2015 to 68% in 2016. The fifth grade had 87% passing in 2015 to only 72% this past year. Our third grade African Americans had the biggest gain in Reading going from 32% passing in 2015 to 73% in 2016. Our Hispanics decreased in Reading 70% passing in 2015 to 56% passing in 2016. We will focus on vocabulary in all grade levels. Every teacher will post their Student Expectations in their classrooms and build extensive word walls. We will include our ESL teacher and aide in the fifth grade classrooms to assist our ELL students. We are adding Saxon phonics to our third grade curriculum to build a strong phonics background. We will continue to use various computer programs to improve comprehension. We will continue to incorporate Accelerated Reader to increase fluency.
- **2.Writing:** Our writing scores declined from 74% passing in 2015 to 47% passing in 2016. Each of our subpops had a decrease in their passing rate with the largest drop in our Hispanics from 75% to 32%. To help improve our writing program, our writing teachers will attend the Writing Academy workshops offered by Region VII to acquire up-to-date writing strategies being used throughout our region. Our third grade writing teacher will focus on grammar, editing, and revising. We will make writing a priority in all subjects at all grade levels.
- 2. Math: In 2015, due to the changes in the math TEKS, math did not count toward accountability. In 2016, we scored 66% passing overall. Our Hispanics scored 60%, our African Americans scored 44%, and our Whites scored 74%. In third grade, both our Hispanics and our AA's improved their scores from 2015 to 2016. The opposite was true in fourth grade. All populations except one decreased. Our White population had 78% passing in 2015 with an increase to 82% passing in 2016 Our fifth grade math scores showed a considerable increase in every ethnic population in 2016. We will continue to stress hands-on activities using manipulatives, and continue to focus on our students learning their math facts. We will incorporate computer-based programs such as Think Through Math, Prodigy, and Study Island into our curriculum, and provide professional development for our math teachers throughout the year.

Summary of Needs Assessment - continued

- **4. Science:** Fifth grade had a slight increase in their scores going from 59% passing to 60% passing in 2016. Our Hispanics scored the same both years with 64% passing. Our White population went up one percentage point from 66% to 67%. Our African American student population was less than the required number for reporting. Our fifth grade science teacher will attend all Region VII Cohort science workshops to collaborate with other Region VII science teachers. We will focus on our students participating in hands-on experiments in all grade levels. We will increase the rigor of our instruction and stress academic vocabulary at all grade levels.
- **5. PBMAS:** Our 2016 PBMAS report indicates our district had a Special Education STAAR Passing RATE of 45.7% in math, giving us a 2 for our 2016 Indicator Performance Level and a 39.1% District Rate in reading with a 3 Indicator Performance Level. In science, we scored at a 46.7% District Passing Rate giving us a 2 Performance Level. Our Alternate2 Test Participation Rate increased from 13.7% in 2015 to 19.1% in 2016, giving us a Performance Level of 3. We scored a 0 in SPED Regular Class >= 80% RATE (Ages 6 to 21) and a 1 for the <40% RATE (ages 6 to 21). Our SPED representation numbers were good in all areas giving us excellent performance level numbers with the 1 being the highest in our African American representation. We will continues to make certain our students are placed in their Least Restrictive Environment through Content Mastery, RTI, and Inclusion.
- **6.** At West Rusk Intermediate, we will foster trust and communication between our faculty and our students by creating a teacher/student mentoring program. Teachers will mentor our At-Risk students. We will provide guidance, counseling, and work to create a positive learning environment for those students who are in need both educationally and emotionally. This will increase student self-esteem and in turn increase student learning and productivity.
- 7. We are going to strive to increase parental involvement on our campus during the 2016-2017 school year. We will provide ongoing communication with our parents and increase our parent volunteer program. We want to increase the number of volunteers across ALL ethnicities. This will enable faculty and parents to work as a team in encouraging student success.

Campus Improvement Plan 2016-2017

<u>District Goal Reference:</u> WRCCISD faculty and parents will be full partners in encouraging exemplary performance in comparison to national and international standards.

<u>Campus Goal:</u> WR Intermediate school will equip all students with the necessary academic skills in reading, language arts, and writing to be successful at each grade level.

<u>Objective:</u> All students in grades 3-5 will score above the state average in group STAAR performance. TPRI scores will reflect growth in grade 3.

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
1. Conduct an in-depth analysis of testing data: grade to grade tracking, subgroup performance, and individual student growth.[1,8]	State prelim. results, data charts, graphs, and teacher charts.	Principal, teachers, SBDM committee	Complete '17 data by June '17, and indiv. student data by Sept. '17	Publication to faculty, Board, and SBDM comm. of all charts and data graphs	last week of Sept. '17
2. Make available training through the local ESC for all faculty in TAPR and DMAC, to better track student progress and to disaggregate scores.[4,8]	Local	Principal Special Programs	August 2017	Faculty sign up for workshops	After testing
3. STAR Reading assessment used at appropriate grade levels to monitor reading levels.[1]	Local	Reading teachers	Performed at least three times during the year	STAR report/ STAAR '17 data	9/16, 12/16, 3/17, 5/17
4. Reading testing strategies used consistently in appropriate grades.[2]	none	3 rd , 4 th , and 5 th teachers	Daily	Teacher input at team meetings	Each six weeks
5. All grades target vocabulary, comprehension, summarization skills, fluency and critical thinking skills.[2,3]	Local	Principal All teachers	Each 6 wks	Teacher assessment, team meetings, report cards, STAAR 2017	Each six weeks

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6. Grade level reading teachers monitor our Hispanics as noted in the data analysis concerns [1,8].	Common planning period, supplemental materials, state comp. Local	ESL teacher, dyslexia teacher, special education and reading teachers	Each semester	Meeting minutes, teacher made assessments, report cards, STAR, STAAR '17	Each six weeks
7. Third grade will incorporate Saxon phonics to build a strong phonics background.[3]	Local funds	3 rd Grade Reading teacher	Daily	Formative and Summative evaluations	Each six weeks
8. Local Accelerated Reading incorporated into reading curriculum. Volunteer parents read to small groups. [2,6]	Web based program, Comp. Ed. supplies	Reading teachers	Daily	Student AR reports, circulation, STAR reports, report cards, STAAR '17	Each six weeks
9. Reading teachers to formulate motivational activities to benefit students.[2]	Local	Reading teachers	Semester and End of Year	Student participation	Semester & End of Year
10. Targeted Hispanic, African Am., and other special populations will receive concentrated instruction in ESL classes and content mastery.[2,9]	Elective period, Comp. Ed. Salary, Title 1 ESL funds	ESL teacher & aide and content mastery teacher	Two times per week	Teacher input/student assessment/practice STAAR, report cards, standardized achievement tests	Each six weeks

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11. Students screened, tested, and served for dyslexia during elective scheduled slots.[9]	Title I Comp. Ed	Scottish Rite teacher and aide	Two to five times per week	Teacher input/student assessment/practice STAAR, report cards, standardized achievement tests	Each six weeks
12. Appropriate grade levels will journal write and be responsible for proofing across the curriculum.	Supplemental materials	Language arts teachers	Weekly	Language arts teachers meeting, writing practice tests, STAAR '17	Each six weeks
13. Appropriate grade level writing curriculum using the writing process and The Writing Academy by Randi Whitney	Local money ESC VII	Language arts teachers	Weekly	Student work, team meetings, minutes, writing practice, STAAR '17	Each six weeks
14. School-wide participation in mock reading and writing STAAR sessions.[8]	Schedule changes, teachers	Principal and teachers	January through May	Student preliminary results STAAR 17	Results following each testing session
15. G/T students will participate in activities to develop productive thinking, decision making, planning, forecasting, and communication skills.[10]	G/T funds	Classroom teachers	Weekly	Teacher input, student assessment, reports, parent surveys, STAAR '17	Each six weeks
16. Incorporate/ Coordinate planned lessons in computer lab with classroom instruction.[2,3]	Comp. Ed	Classroom teacher and Computer teacher	Weekly	Teacher input, evaluation	Each six weeks
17. Purchase Software to re- enforce classroom instruction in Reading & Math [9]	Local Funds	Principal & Teachers	Weekly	Student Success	Each Six Weeks

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18. Periodic update of the server loaded with Accelerated Reader and other student/teacher software	Title I	Reading teachers and technology support staff	Ongoing	Teacher input, student AR test data	Each six weeks
19. Maintain dyslexia lab.[9]	Region VII Title 1	Scottish Rite teacher & aide	August 2016 – May 2017	Teacher input, parent surveys ESC surveys, student test data	Each six weeks
20. Use word walls and anchor charts in the classrooms and hallways, post and cover SE's to improve vocabulary and skills [2]	Local funds	Teachers	Ongoing	Benchmarks, Unit tests, STAAR '17	Each six weeks
21. Provide small group inschool tutorials for 3 th , 4 th ,& 5 th graders in the area of math and reading.[9]	SCE	Principal	February - April 2017	Decreased retention, benchmarks, STAAR '17	End of second semester
22. West Rusk Intermediate will use State Compensatory Education (SCE) funds to enhance the Title I program. These funds will be coordinated with other Title, Local, and Special Education funds to implement the 10 components of the school wide program.[10]	SCE funds \$222,382.54, Salaries \$221,348.43, Gen. Supplies \$1,034.11, Title I \$94,937.85, Salaries \$84,621.26, Const. Services \$10,316.59	Principal	August 2016 through June 2017	Students will meet and exceed the state and federal requirements	Each six weeks
23. Writing teachers will attend the Writing Academy workshops at Region VII [2,4]	Title Funds	Writing teachers, principal	Throughout the year	Teachers will report to other teachers the information acquired to be used cross curricular	End of each semester

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24. Continue to use the library to enhance reading skills.[10]	Comp Ed.	Librarian and aides	Daily	Utilization of library	Each six weeks
25. Promote understanding of the over representation issue in our special education program as indicated in the PBMAS indicators.[1]	Special Education funds	Special Ed. Director and special programs coordinator	8/16 1/17 5/17	Review of students in special education	TAPR and PBMAS
26. Help students at risk of failing by having 10 days of summer school.[9]	SCE funds	Principal	June 2017	Students successful as shown on report cards and STAAR.	End of 2017 school year
27. Help students at risk of failing STAAR by offering remediation in Math and Reading in 3 rd , 4 th , 5 th grades. [8,9]	SCE funds	Reading/Math teachers, reading/math tutor, and Reading aide	April 2017	Passing rate on STAAR	End of 2017
28. Ensure that all LEP students will become proficient in English and reach high academic standards	Local funds	ESL teacher and Aide	September 2016 through May 2017	Improved STAAR scores and TELPAS scores	End of 2017
29. Continue computer based instruction, such as Imagine Learning for LEP students	Local	ESL teacher & aide	September 2016- May 2017	Improved STAAR scores and TELPAS scores	End of 2017

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Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
1. Conduct an indepth analysis of math testing data: grade to grade tracking, subgroup performance, individual student growth.[1,8]	State preliminary results data charts, graphs, and teacher made charts	Principal, teachers, SBDM committee	Complete 2017 data by June 2017 and individual student data by September 2017	Publication to faculty, School Board and SBDM committee of all charts, graphs, and lists	Last week of September 2017
2. Teaming/vertical planning time between grade levels and subject teams to discuss/modify instruction for subgroup concerns noted in summary[2,8]	Common planning periods, parent volunteers, local funds	Principal All teachers	Each week for team planning and each six weeks for vertical planning	Meeting minutes, surveys, PDAS	Each six weeks
3. Incorporate method for math to locate key words and steps in problem solving.[2]	Common planning Local funds	Math teachers	Daily	Teacher input at team meetings	Each six weeks
4. Students perform hands-on activities and use manipulatives to enhance learning.[2]	Local Funds	Math teachers and content mastery teacher	Daily	Formative assessments	Throughout the year

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
5. Purchase supplemental materials (Mentoring Minds, STAAR Coach) and manipulatives	Local	Principal & Teachers	Fall & Spring	Student success on tests	Each six weeks
6. School-wide participation in mock math STAAR sessions during the year. [1]	Schedule changes	Principal All teachers	January through April	State preliminary results	After each event
7. Teachers attend various Math workshops through Region VII	Local	Math teachers, Principal	Throughout the year	New teaching strategies noted in the classrooms	Fall & Spring Semesters
8. Provide physical education with supplies and equipment to enhance the academic program and meet state requirements	Local funds	PE instructors	Daily	Student participation	Each six weeks
9. STAR Math and MClass assessments used at appropriate grades to monitor math levels.[1]	Local	Math teachers	Performed at least three times during the year	STAR Report/STAAR '17 data	9/16, 12/16, 3/17, 5/17
10. Use Study Island, Prodigy, and Think Through Math to improve math skills and monitor improvement [9]	Comp. Ed.	Intermediate math teachers	Weekly	Students show improvement in math	Each six weeks

<u>District Goal</u>: Through enhanced dropout prevention efforts, all students in the WRCCISD will remain in school until they obtain a high school diploma or equivalent.

<u>Campus Goal</u>: WR Intermediate School will create a learning environment where students will understand the importance of regular school attendance.

Objective: Average daily attendance rate for the '15-'16 school year will increase from the previous year.

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
1. Students returning from absences must bring a parent note. An office memo admit slip will be documentation[2,6]	Local funds	Secretaries	daily	Six weeks absence report, semester/yearly report	Each six weeks
2. School personnel through use of telephone logs will check on high absentees[2,6]	Conference time Local funds	Office personnel	weekly	Telephone log/ PEIMS attendance reports	Each six weeks
3. Excessive absences will be investigated. Parents will be contacted and reminded of the attendance laws. [2,6]	Local funds	Principal PEIMS	As needed	Six weeks absence report	Each six weeks
4. Attendance Committee will preview excessive absence report at midterm and end of year and mail out warning documentation as needed.[2,6]	Postage Local funds	Principal and secretaries	December and May	PEIMS semester attendance reports	January and May

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
5. Teachers will send home notice of concern slips in dual languages as needed.[6]	Local funds	Teachers Secretaries ESL aide	Each six weeks	Six weeks absence reports, daily tardy and absence documentation	Each three to six weeks
6. RTI Teachers, Classroom teachers and Aides will work with at risk students daily.[2,6]	Comp. Ed. Funds	RTI teachers, Classroom Teachers, Aides	Daily	Report cards, teacher input, student assessments/STAAR	Each six weeks
7. Investigate schedules of personnel to better serve students needing assistance. [9]	Special Education	Principal Special Education Director	June 2016	Special Education students success rate on State Developed Alternative Assessment and report cards	Each six weeks
8. Utilize the service of the school nurse to in all effort eliminate absences due to illness.	Local	Nurse	August 2016- May 2017	Daily average attendance	Each semester
9. Have the ISS teacher call parents of absent students to show concern for students and find out reason for absence.[2]	Local Funds	ISS teacher	Daily	Daily average attendance	Each six weeks

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
10. West Rusk Intermediate will provide orientation for students and parents of 5 th grade to make a smooth transition into junior high.[7]	Local	Principals, Counselor, Fifth grade teachers	Progress reports and report cards	Students will be successful	End of semester
11. Celebrate successes of students and faculty to encourage daily attendance and efforts in the classroom. Send out notes to parents inviting them to attend. [2,6]	Local	Principal, teachers	End of each six weeks	Number of students receiving awards	End of each six weeks
12. Retain highly qualified teachers by maintaining a family atmosphere where all faculty and staff support each other. We will celebrate together through luncheons and fun activities. [5]	Activity funds	Principal, counselor	Throughout the year, holidays, and special occasions	Cordial atmosphere with teachers who collaborate together for the best interest of the students and school	Each six weeks
13. Create a mentoring program for at-risk students using teachers and community people [2]	Local	Principal, counselor, teachers	Sept. 2016- May 2017	Increased performance and attendance of at-risk students	Each six weeks

<u>District Goal</u>: WRCCISD faculty and parents will be full partners in encouraging exemplary performance in comparison to national and international standards.

<u>Campus Goal</u>: Parents and community members will be regularly involved at WR Intermediate School.

Objective: To incorporate more parental involvement in activities and participation than in years past.

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
1. Parent monthly newsletters and frequent notes along with communication through students' blue folder[6]	Local	Principal All Teachers	Each Six Weeks Folders Daily	Teacher/parent survey	Quarterly
2. Site based committee to investigate ways to involve volunteers [6]	None	Local Site Based members	May 2017	Teacher/parent volunteer log	Fall Semester, Spring Semester
4. Teachers conduct team/parent meetings with parents of students with documentation [6]	Common planning periods	Grade level teams and conference	Six weeks	Individual teachers meeting minutes telephone logs, copies of written parent notes	Throughout year
5. All teachers maintain an active conference log [6]	None	Principal All Teachers	Each Six Weeks	Turn in copies of conference logs	Each six weeks

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5. Distribute parent/school compacts to all students in dual languages[6]	Local fund	Principal, secretaries, Homeroom teachers	August	Number returned, parent conferences	September
6. Meet regularly with Parent Teacher Organization (PTO)[6]	none	Principal, PTO president, and officers	Each semester	Teacher/PTO input	Each six weeks
7. Update enrollment forms with correct addresses and phone numbers[6]	none	Secretaries Classroom teachers	Each semester	Ability to contact parents	Each semester
8. Develop and update web site.[6]	Local fund	Principal and Technology personnel	Monthly	Parent survey	Monthly

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
9. Grade level mentor to new personnel and substitutes	none	Principal	Each six weeks	Retention of personal	Staff roster
10. Transfer funds from Title II Part A if needed to hire or retain personnel or move personnel among grades to reduce class size in early grades.[10]	Title II, Part A	Principal and Special Programs Coordinator	Each six weeks	All positions are filled	Staff roster
11. Participate in academic UIL to motivate students	Local	UIL director, Principal, and Teachers	Mid-year	Success and UIL district competition	UIL results
12. Conduct Awards Assemblies to recognize successful students. Parents will be invited to attend.	Local	Principal, Counselor, Teacher, Secretaries	End of each six weeks	Recognition of Students	Students being recognized

<u>District Goal Reference</u>: WRCCISD educators will keep abreast of the development of creative and innovative techniques in instruction, technology and administration as appropriate to improve student learning.

<u>Campus Goal</u>: West Rusk Intermediate will have meaningful staff development to meet the needs of all employees.

Objective: Improve professional development to enhance instruction.

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
1. Highly qualified staff will be attracted/retained because of low class size, structured environment, and strong support. Teachers will be urged to earn additional certifications.[5]	Title I A, contracted services Title II Part A	Principal and Special Programs coordinator	August 2016	Teachers attain new certifications and staff becomes more versatile	Each year
2. Add class sections & facilities as enrollment increases	Local	Administrative	Summer	Classroom enrollment stays below 22 to 1	End of Year
2. G/T staff development needed for teaching G/T including depth and complexity and vertical teaming as indicated on our needs survey.[1]	Title I	Principal and Special Programs coordinator	August 2016	Teachers will teach G/T students at a greater depth and complexity as indicated on weekly lesson plans	Each six weeks
3. Attend various workshops offered by Region VII especially new STAAR workshops.[3]	Substitute cost Title I Title II A	Principal	As offered by Region VII and other companies	Teacher input/evaluations and share sessions	Each six weeks
4. TEKS staff development[3]	none	Principal and Special Programs coordinator	August – May 2016-2017	Evaluation Lesson Plans	Each six weeks

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
6. Staff will receive training in positive behavioral intervention strategies in order to eliminate potential discretionary referrals to DAEP[3]	Local	CPI trainer Principals	January 2017	Number of staff attending training sessions	Decreased number of referrals to ISS and DAEP
7. Provide Annual update training for all staff to ensure common understanding of district procedures for identifying, supporting, and monitoring the following students: Dyslexia and related disorders, LEP, Sp Ed, G/T, At-Risk Title I	Local funds	Principal	Dec. & March	All students are served by appropriate Programs	Students are successful on required test.
8. Update technology (projectors and Elmos) and train teachers to use new types of technology during classroom instruction, and provide technical support when needed.	Local funds	Tech. Director	Beginning and middle of school year	Teachers use technology in the classroom more often	Lessons plans with technology
9. Staff development will be planned and conducted to train all professionals and paraprofessionals in areas of classroom management, technology, and curriculum. [4]	Title II A	Special Program Director and Principal	Beginning of year	Staff development plan and sign in sheets	Staff is using techniques taught during staff development

<u>District Goal Reference</u>: WRCCISD will work to maintain a safe and disciplined environment conducive to student learning.

<u>Campus Goal</u>: Discipline problems on-campus will decrease from previous year. <u>Objective</u>: Students will obey school rules, get along with others, and show good character.

Strategy	Resources	Person Responsible	Timeline	Evaluation	Status Check
Violence prevention with incorporation of crisis management, drills, red ribbon week, student sign out sheet	Local Funds	Principal, Rusk Co. Sheriff Dept. New London Police Dept. District Police Chief	October Daily	Parent surveys, teacher input	Each six weeks
Character Education: Keystone Character Ed.	Local Funds	Principal Counselor	Monthly Daily Lessons	Parent/teacher surveys, discipline documentation	Each semester
Train a campus team of professionals in Crisis Prevention Intervention	Region VII	District Administrators	August 2016 – June 2017	Follow-up after each incident	Each semester
4. Continue In School Suspension unit for Elem./Int. students	Local Funds	Principal, and ISS aide	August 2016 – June 2017	Number of students returning to ISS	Each six weeks
5. Train teachers in bully prevention, and suicide prevention. [4]	Local Funds	Special Education director, principal, and counselor, Region VII	August 2016	Number of reports of bullying, suicide, and misbehavior – roster of teachers being trained	End of year Discipline reports
6. Use the Beginning of a Hero and Bully Alert Program	Donated	Principal and teachers	Twice weekly	Student success and disciplines referrals	Each Six Weeks