

Michigan Center School District

Plan to Address Learning Loss

MDE 98 C Grant Proposal

Goal: The goal for Michigan Center School District is to put strategies in place to help address learning loss. Specifically, we want to implement programming to close the achievement gap and increase achievement for all students in our district.

Plan Objectives:

- Administer and use high quality assessments for grades PreK – 11th grade by utilizing benchmark assessments (PreK-2) and NWEA (3-11).
- Provide training and professional development so that staff develop an understanding of how to use data from assessment testing to impact increased performance.
- Through targeted assessment work, identify students in need of additional interventions/support.
- Provide interventions/support for identified students.
- Implement a robust before and after school tutoring plan to provide support for students.
- Hire a district wide “Director of Academic Success” interventionist to coach and support teachers and students, as well as providing support to parents and families.
- Purchase resources to assist in promoting growth and increased achievement for students identified as priority learning loss students.
- Work with parents/families to create a partnership in learning.

98 C Plan Metrics:

- Use Paula Gates (Data and Assessment Coordinator) to track all achievement data related to benchmark assessment and NWEA testing results.

The Director of Academic Success Will:

- Create a student data plan for each student to track progress, goals, and targets for intervention.
- Meet monthly with the administrative team to review data and progress.
- Utilize early release time monthly for teaching staff to review and analyze assessment data.

- Create teacher goals specific to addressing learning loss.
- Utilize Illuminate to provide robust student data.

Projected 98 C Expenses:

- Hire a “Director of Academic Success” to oversee assessment, goal setting, training, professional development, interventions, and support to promote increased achievement and address learning loss.

Total: \$69,787

Michigan Center School District 98 C Timeline:

- Summer and Early Fall 2022 – Create a position to oversee programming related to increased achievement and addressing learning loss.
- October 24, 2022 – Present plan to Board and Community.
- Finalize plan by November 30, 2022.
- Post finalized plan to district website by November 30, 2022.
- Submit 98C application to MDE by November 30, 2022.
- Hire the position by February of 2023
- Prepare Expense and Summary Report of Services and Impact by July 14, 2023