

CCE Executive Summary for Schools 2018-19

Phase Three: Executive Summary for Schools

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Description of the School

Describe the school's size, community/communities, location, and changes it has experienced in the last three years. Include demographic information about the students, staff, and community at large. What unique features and challenges are associated with the community/communities the school serves?

The school name reflects the "emerald necklace" creek adjacent to school property that surrounds the city limits. The Colts mascot was chosen to challenge students to gallop toward success. The school's enrollment commonly fluctuates as families move in and out of the area. We typically have a 5% mobility rate each year. Clear Creek is an elementary school to kindergarten through 5th grade students in Shelby County. Currently, we have about 595 students enrolled. Our student population varies in race and ethnicity and about 47% of our students participate in the free and reduced lunch program. Our after school daycare program is the largest in the district and provides services for about 100 students a day. We have 5 teachers that have obtained National Board Certification. Seventy-nine percent of the teachers have earned a Masters degree and 35% have also earned a Rank I.

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School's Purpose

Provide the school's purpose statement and ancillary content such as mission, vision, values, and/or beliefs.

Describe how the school embodies its purpose through its program offerings and expectations for students.

Clear Creek's vision: Fostering a community of lifelong learners. Clear Creek's mission: We are a motivated community of learners, Eager to show the world what we see. We know who we are and respect one another for the leaders we know we can be. We are reflective, productive, and happy, With integrity, goals, and respect. Our strengths and experience guide us. And lift Clear Creek above all the rest. As a school, we embrace building on our failures and mistakes and build on them to get to a deeper understanding. Our vision focuses on continual learning that goes beyond the walls of our school. We also have embraced the 7 Habits of Highly Effective People to build our students as leaders.

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Notable Achievements and Areas of Improvement

Describe the school's notable achievements and areas of improvement in the last three years. Additionally, describe areas for improvement that the school is striving to achieve in the next three years.

Over the last 3 years we have continued to be the top in the district in our writing proficiency. We have seen a decline in this area but we still continue to be in the top in the district. We also have 1 of 2 highly structured units in our district. Our unit is highly successful for the students that join us. We focus on their mental and emotional needs first and then build our academic program around their needs. Over the next 3 years, as a school, Clear Creek will regain the academic success we have seen in prior years. We have refocused on reading and math proficiency this year. Every classroom has daily guided reading groups to really grow our foundational readers in grades K-2

as well as our struggling readers in grades 3-5. In our math instruction, we will have additional professional learning in CRA and our school will undergo a math audit.

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Additional Information

Provide any additional information you would like to share with the public and community that were not prompted in the previous sections.

Our demographics have changed significantly over the last 3 years. We have seen a huge increase in the number of students with IEP's over the last 3 years. Currently 20% of our student body have an IEP. We have 2 units that address the needs of all students with IEPs. We have a highly structured unit for those that struggle the most with behaviors and a unit for our moderate to severe students. Our ECE staff has more than doubled in the last 3 years. We currently have 17 ECE staff members: 6 ECE teachers, 1 mental health specialist, 2 speech paths, 1 Deaf and Hard of Hearing Teacher, and 7 instructional assistants.

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