

River Valley Middle School

Mission, Vision & Values Statements

Mission : Our mission is to support students in their journey of self-discovery through experiences, connections, and curriculum.

Notre mission est de supporter les eleves dans leur voyage de decouverte de soi a travers d'experienes, de connections et de programmes d'etudes.

Vision: River Valley Middle School is a safe space for all students. We value curiosity, independence, well-being, and citizenship.

River Valley est un espace sur. Nous apprecions la curiosite, l'indpendence, le bien-etre, et la citoyennete.

RV Raider Values

RV Raiders are respectful
RV Raiders are responsible
RV Raiders have empathy
RV Raiders have self-control
RV Raiders are grateful

RV Raiders sont respectueux(euses)
RV Raiders sont responsables
RV Raiders ont de l'empathie
RV Raiders ont une maitrise de soi
RV Raiders sont reconnaissant€

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SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

Meeting Social & Emotional Needs

Description: Meeting the needs of the school community socially and emotionally.

Goal: Students will access the Zen Den to build social and emotional skills.

Strategies:

Give opportunities for all classes and students to visit the Zen Den.

Continue to develop and implement programming and activities in the Zen Den.

Increase the variety of enrichment activities

Daily walking & exercise clubs for movement breaks

Daily SEL groups with BIM

Indicators of Success:

- Referrals to the Zen Den
- Team meetings with the BIM
- Every student to visit Zen Den (assessment blitz, enrichment, ASAP, clubs).

Goal: To Develop and model skill building strategies to minimize disciplinary issues and foster healthy interactions.

Strategy:

Evidenced-base PL and focus on trauma informed practices.

Create a place that is safe for all students in the Zen Den.

All teachers will have a red binder on desk with behaviour STIPS and plans

Use Pro-active strategies check-list before sending students to the Zen Den.

Indicators of Success:

- Behaviour interventions documented on ESS Connect
- PL on Trauma Informed practices
- Team meetings in response to student behaviour using the "Response to Intervention Document".

Meeting Academic Needs

Description: Focus on students and teachers academic growth.

Goal: All teachers will incorporate small group learning as an instructional practice based on students' needs.

Strategies:

Groups will be formed based on assessments. In FILA teachers will use GB+, ELA - Teams fluency screeners, Math - exit slips from benchmarks.

Intervention buckets will be made for Math and Literacy

Indicator of Success:

- Teachers will document the frequency of working with small groups
- Assessment results will show growth and improvement.
- Referrals to the Zen Den
- Provincial assessments
- Frequency data will be kept for the intervention buckets
- Scores on fluency screeners will trend up

Goal: Increase teacher knowledge and confidence in their craft of their subject area.

Goal: Increase use of Universal Accommodations

Strategies

Meet weekly as a PLC to develop best practices and create unified goals .

Work with district coaches.

Try co-teaching at least 3 times/ year

Peer observations at least 3 times/ year

Universal accommodations PL

Universal accommodations check-in during PLCs

Indicator of Success:

- PGP Goals
- Student perception survey results
- Co-teaching
- Walkthrough data