



Cherokee County School District

Cherokee High School

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2021-22

School Improvement Plan

Executive Summary



School Mission Statement

Cherokee High School strives to meet the social, emotional and cognitive needs of all students to prepare them to become productive members of an ever-changing and diverse society.

School Improvement Goal 1

Starting in the 2021-2022 school year, CHS will increase achievement for all students in core academic areas (English, Math, Science and Social Studies) by 7 points for the first year (2021-2022) and 3 points each year afterward (2022-2023 and 2023-2024) as measured by the overall CCRPI Content Mastery score.

School Improvement Action Plan

- Develop **Student-Centered, Active-Learning Environments** focusing on **Instructional Clarity** through the use of **Active Learning Lesson Guides**.
- Implement the use of **Student-Centered, High-Impact Strategies** including **Classroom Discussion, Peer Feedback** and **Collaborative Learning**.
- Utilize **Progress Monitoring** and **Feedback** via data collection to develop assessment capable learners who can articulate the **Learning Targets** and **Success Criteria** of a lesson.

School Improvement Goal 2

Starting in the 2021-2022 school year, increase the overall Graduation Rate by 1% (SY18-19 was 79.0% and SY19-20 was 80.3%) by increasing the number of students by cohort who are on-track for four-year graduation. Taking into account the impact of COVID-19 over the past year and a half, increase and accelerate all systems of support to help students graduate on time.

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- Monitor student progress toward **Pathway Completion** (i.e. four-year Graduation Plans).
- Develop students' **Career and Future Readiness** by developing an understanding of student aptitudes, interests, and pathways to various future outcomes.
- Develop a **Sense of Individual and Community Leadership** which reinvigorates Warrior culture.

More information available at <http://cherokeek12.net/cherokeehs/sip/>.

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