World's Best Workforce 2021-2022

Yellow Medicine East Public Schools #2190

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Mission and Vision

(from the 2022-2027 Strategic Plan)

Mission:

The mission of the Yellow Medicine East Schools is to provide a caring environment of high expectations that prepares every student for a successful future and instills the value of learning.

Vision

The vision of the Yellow Medicine East Schools is to be a place that inspires students to achieve their fullest potential.

Belief Statements

(from the 2022-2027 Strategic Plan)

The Yellow Medicine East School commits itself to the following beliefs and values:

- Students are our most important priority.
- Every student deserves to be safe, seen, and heard.
- Students have different skills and learn in different ways.
- Every student deserves a personalized quality education.
- Diversity enriches our lives.
- A student's education is the shared responsibility of the students, family, school, and community.

World's Best Workforce Legislation

Summary of World's Best Workforce

Each district must develop a plan that addresses the following five goals:

- All children are ready for school.
- All third-graders can read at grade level.
- All racial and economic achievement gaps between students are closed.
- All students are ready for career and college.
- All students graduate from high school.

WBWF Area 1: All Students Ready for School

2021-2022 Goal:

75% of children entering kindergarten in the fall of 2021, will be able to complete 80% or more of the readiness skills as noted on the BRE Kindergarten Readiness Skills document.

2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20	2020-21	2021-22
71.4%	88.0%	61.2%	66.6%	86.3%	65.7%

WBWF Area 1: All Students Ready for School

Improvement Strategies:

- Preschool staff will collaborate with Kindergarten staff on activities including but not limited to: Kindergarten Kickoff, Preschool Screening, Camp Kindergarten, and ECFE Activities
- Preschool staff attend training directly related to preschool
- Preschool staff consistently review our preschool curriculum (Creative Curriculum) for necessary changes, becoming familiar with updates, and researching various tools and materials to support the curriculum
- Support staff support the instructional plans

WBWF Area 2: All Students in Third Grade Achieving Grade-Level Literacy

2021-2022 school year goal:

50% of students in 3rd grade will be proficient on the Reading MCA.

Spring 2017	Spring 2018	Spring 2019	Spring 2020	Spring 2021	Spring 2022
51.5%	38.0%	42.4%	NA	41.3%	39.4%
34/66	19/50	25/59	NA	19/46	13/33

WBWF Area 2: All Students in Third Grade Achieving Grade-Level Literacy

Improvement Strategies:

- 22-23 QComp Goal aligns with this area: The percentage of students who are proficient on the MDE READING All Accountability Tests will increase by 3% from spring of 2022 to spring of 2023.
- Annually, we collect and analyze the MCA data and compare it to historical data.
 We target our Title I services towards Tier 2 and Tier 3 reading interventions.
- PLC time is used to review and promote peer accountability and improvement.
- The literacy team reviews progress on best practice implementation.

WBWF Area 3: Close the Achievement Gap(s) Among All Groups

All students enrolled on October 1st will increase their proficiency on the MCA Reading by 3%.

Based upon data for the 2022 MCA III Reading Test:

- American Indian <u>increased</u> gap by 1.4%
- Hispanic Latino <u>increased</u> gap by 0.7%
- Free/Reduced Lunch <u>decreased</u> gap by 12.8%
- Sped/Non-Sped <u>increased</u> gap by 1.2%

WBWF Area 4: All Students Career- and College-Ready by Graduation

Goal - The percentage of students completing grade 11 earning credit in two or more CTE or college-level courses will increase from 80% in 2020 to 90% in 2023.

2022 Result: The percentage of students completing grade 11 earning credit in two or more CTE/College Level Courses was 83.1% (49/59 students).

WBWF Area 4: All Students Career- and College-Ready by Graduation

- YME offers a variety of courses through MRV CTE (Minnesota River Valley CTE).
 - Students of all races, educational, and economic backgrounds have the opportunity to complete a semester course and gain 3 college credits from MN West Community and Technical College.
- All students in the class of 2022 will attend their Senior meeting with the YME success Coach to plan their path towards college and career readiness by graduation
- The ACCUPLACER, World of Work Inventory Assessment, and YMIC College and Career Events were available

WBWF Area 5: All Students Graduate

2020-21 Goal: YME HS will increase the graduation rate in 2021 to 95%

2021 Actual - 98.0% 49/50 graduated

2022 **Projected** - 100.0% 59/59 graduated



Achievement & Integration

The purpose of the *Achievement and Integration for Minnesota* program is to:

- pursue racial and economic integration
- increase student achievement
- create equitable educational opportunities
- reduce academic disparities based on students' diverse racial, ethnic, and economic backgrounds in Minnesota public schools.

Participation is determined by the number of protected-class students at YME relative to the number of protected-class students in <u>adjoining districts or schools</u> based on October 1 enrollment.

YMIC Members - Canby, Dawson-Boyd, RCW, Ivanhoe, Lakeview, Minneota, and YME

YMIC Events - Junior College Trip, Indigenous Art Day, Senior College Visit to U of M Morris, Career Expo - 10th and 11th, SMSU College Fair, MNWest Career and College Day for 9th Grade, and Petroglyphs

Achievement & Integration Goals

Plan must contain three types of goals, at least one for each of the following:

- 1. Reducing the disparities in academic achievement among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- Reducing the disparities in equitable access to effective and more diverse teachers among all students and specific categories of students excluding the categories of gender, disability, and English learners.
- 3. Increasing racial and economic integration (Minn. Stat. § 124D.861, subd. 2 (a)).

Achievement and Integration Goal 1 (2020-2023)

<u>Goal 1:</u> The percentage of students completing grade 11 earning credit in two or more CTE or <u>college level courses</u> will increase from 80% in 2020 to 90% in 2023.

Year	Projected Goal	Actual Result
2021	80%	86.2%
2022	85%	83.1%
2023	90%	

Achievement and Integration Goal 2 (2020-2023)

All students of color, American Indian students and Free/Reduced Price Lunch students will have equitable access to experienced, in-field and effective teachers by increasing the district's diverse certified staff from 0 in 2020 to 1 in 2023.

We currently have <u>1 staff member</u> representing this group with goals towards greater diversity.

Achievement and Integration Goal 2 (2020-23)

YME will offer an Introduction to Education class through MRV CTE - (Minnesota River Valley CTE).

Students of all races and economic backgrounds will have the opportunity to complete this semester course and gain 3 college credits from MN West Community and Technical College.

Efforts to "grow our own" teachers will continue to be the focus.

Achievement and Integration Goal 3 (2020-23)

The percentage of American Indian students in grades 3-8 who are proficient on the MCA Reading testing will increase by 3% by the spring of 2023. (*baseline)

2017	27.3
2018	31.6
2019*	35.9
2020	N/A
2021	42.2
2022	33.3

Achievement and Integration Goal 3 (2020-23)

BRE: Academic Intervention Specialists (AIS) will work extensively with students in the following areas: phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, and comprehension.

AIS provide Tier II and TIER III interventions. Priority for interventions given to students in K-2. Additionally, our specialist will provide support as needed to grades 3-6.

YME MS/HS: All certified staff will review assessment data and identify students who are in need of Tier II and/or Tier III interventions.

Data & Information

Much of the data contained in this report can be explored by visiting the Minnesota Report Card

Student academic data:

- How are students doing?
- Are the students mastering the standards?
- Test Achievement Levels, Test Results and Participation*

*Note - students not taking the MCA test are considered:

"not meeting the standards."

Questions and Answers

If you have any questions or would like to discuss specific topics or data, please reach out to:

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THANK YOU!!!