



DISTRICT IMPLEMENTATION TEAM UPDATE

JANUARY 2024

WHAT IS THE DIT?

The DIT is a group of Hamilton staff from a variety of levels and roles. We meet monthly to discuss ways to improve our district in the areas Academics and Behavior across multiple Tiers of Support.

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NEXT MEETING:
2/21/24

WHO IS ON THE DIT

- Dr. Bradford Lusk- Superintendent
- Mat Rehkopf- Director of Teaching and Learning
- Sara McIntyre- Director of Student Services
- Elizabeth Brandonisio- MTSS Coordinator
- James Grooters- Coordinator of Student Services
- Jenna Walbek- Community School Coordinator (OCSN)
- Liz Morehouse- Middle School Principal
- Sean Dieters- Middle School Assistant Principal
- Mitch Bosch- High School Principal
- David Sheppard- High School Assistant Principal
- Abby Perdok- Middle School Teacher
- Bill Mousel- Middle School Teacher
- Christine Martin- ELA Curriculum Specialist
- Jared Randall- Bentheim Principal
- Dean Kramer- Hamilton Elementary Principal
- Kari Huckaby- Blue Star Principal
- Anna Cason- Elementary Positive Behavior Supports Coordinator
- Jill Jipping- Elementary Teacher
- Jill Sloothaak- Elementary Teacher
- Melinda Bronkhorst- Elementary Teacher



CELEBRATIONS

- High School
 - Piloting of new courses
 - Core course progression document
- Middle School
 - Growth Monitoring and Diagnostic Testing for i-Ready going well
 - 1 Book 1 school scheduled for March
 - PD for teachers on how to align read alouds with vocabulary instruction
- Elementary Schools
 - Bentheim
 - Clarifying Winter weather expectations, 3rd grade daily weather report
 - Blue Star
 - Support from PTO
 - Self Discipline character trait assembly
 - i-Ready Growth
 - Hamilton El
 - Tier 2/3 Team has been effective
 - Expansion of weekly “respect” lessons and adding Zones of Regulation
 - PTO Family Night
 - Sandyview
 - Sandyview Caroling
 - 62% of kids in Dark Green on i-Ready

BARRIERS

- SRSS accuracy and use
 - Action Plan: Meeting with/contacting developers to ask questions about design of the tool and potential use with multiple teachers.
- SWIS/PBIS on Buses
 - Action Plan: Meeting with all drivers to build consistency
- i-Ready Questions: Growth Monitoring/Diagnostic Alignment, Para Access
 - Action Plan: Meeting with i-Ready team in February

SUBCOMMITTEE UPDATES

- Tier 2/3 Building Teams and Elementary District Team: Reviewing Evidence Based Tier 2 Interventions
- Social/Emotional/Behavior Instruction (Elementary): Gathering input to select Character Traits of the Month
- Reading Interventions (Elementary): Developing Intervention Training Materials, developing guidance for i-Ready Progress Monitoring
- Math Curriculum Selection: Meeting with vendors in February

