# Sylvan Hills Middle (Carver Cluster)

### District Mission & Vision

With a caring culture of trust and collaboration, every student will graduate ready for college and career.

A high-performing school district where students love to learn, educators inspire, families engage and the community trusts the system



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academic programs while maintaining a sage and nurturing Carver Cluster will enhance and strengthen its overall Through a culture of collaboration, respect, and trust, the environment that prepares students for college and

The Carver Cluster will produce high-performing, college and career ready students that are globally aware and ready to have a positive impact on society.



#### It is our mission to provide a learning environment that ensures School Mission & Vision

instruction, real-world applications and technology that environment where scholars become critical thinkers, problem Sylvan Hills Middle School will provide a nurturing and safe promotes and fosters knowledge and skills. solvers, lifelong learners, and productive citizens. high expectations for all of our scholars through quality

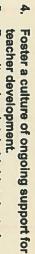
Signature Program: College And Career Prep

#### **School Priorities**

- -Cultivate a literate community in which students read and write with clarity and fluency across all contents
- Ņ Improve students' mathematics performance

Academic Program

ယ Improve students' enrollment and success in higher-level classes



CT school student (academically, socially, best for developing the total middle Recruit and maintain highly talented and emotionally) faculty/staff trained in researched-based



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Engage all facets of the community as

partners and align people and resource

Management

Talent

Systems &

to maximize impact.



Provide increased teaching and learning opportunities for all staff and students.

Culture

#### **School Strategies**

- 1B.Implement a meaningful literacy/math block (SFA) that includes whole group instruction, flexible small group instruction and literacy work stations. Develop, implement and monitor best writing practices across all contents.
- strong first teaching and targeted intervention. 1C. Develop and implement a Response to Intervention (RTI) plan, beginning with
- 1D. Implement Definitions of Teaching Excellence
- 2A-E. Same as 1B-1F
- 2F. Implement weekly common assessments
- 2G. Focus on unit assessment performance
- 3A. Develop master schedule aligned with student data, needs, and high school course offerings
- 3B. Offer more courses that will earn high school credits
- 4A. Identify teacher growth opportunities to provide ongoing coaching support. Communicate clear expectations and feedback to teachers.
- 4B. Consistently implement revised teacher induction program for staff new to
- writing skills. rigor in the classroom and help students utilize higher order thinking, reading and 4C. Provide ongoing valuable staff development designed to help staff elevate the
- 5A. Establish and maintain incentive program to reward faculty and staff who consistently demonstrate the highest standards of professionalism
- order to better serve the needs of the Sylvan Hills community. 6A. Build relationships between school leadership/staff and partner leadership in
- 6B. Strengthen family and community support to increase parent involvement.
- diverse engagement opportunities at Sylvan Hills. 6C. Establish and maintain communication with the community about formal and
- current awareness of existing programs and community resources. 6D. Offer ongoing surveys to students, staff, and parents to determine needs and
- 7A. Implement Social Emotional Learning (SEL) daily.
- to assist students/families. 7B. Utilize the services of the Northstar Psychological Services and other providers
- 7C. Create a culture to support and encourage our students to behave in a positive environment manner where they all can learn and feel protected in a safe and orderly

#### Key Performance Measures

Writing, and Math. performance on GA Milestones in Reading increase students

Assessment. performance on STAR Increase student

performance on 4sight Increase students (quarterly). reading assessment

assessment district benchmark improve performance on

(8th grade only) Improve NAEP scores

state administered participate in local and members that parents and community Increase the number of

evaluation scores Increase TKES

Increase overall CCRPI

attendance Improve students

climate ratings Improve culture and