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School-Wide Plan 2016-2017

- * A comprehensive needs assessment has been done using the following information:
 - * Preschool and Kindergarten pre and post testing
 - * OEK testing data
 - * DIBELS reading testing results in K through 3rd grades
 - * Demographic information
 - * SAGE testing data in 3rd through 5th grades
 - * Leveled Literacy Intervention group information

- * School wide reform strategies:
 - * We are adjusting our Guaranteed and Viable Curriculum in each grade level and their accompanying learning targets to more effectively show students are proficient in state learning standards.
 - * We are implementing daily small group teaching in each grade level for reading and math to help build skills in needed areas for each student.
 - * Focus on small group reading instruction strategies.
 - * Building an implementing increased rigor in common formative assessments on all grade levels.

- * Highly Qualified teachers:
 - * All our full time teachers have met the requirements to be highly qualified teachers.
 - * All aides and paraprofessionals are highly qualified.
 - * We do have four teachers on an alternate route to licensure. They are Maria DeWitt, Merced Carreon, Diana Welch, and Karla Viallobos.

- * Professional Development:
 - * Annette Brinkman will be providing training on small group instruction and continued instruction on GVC's, Learning Targets, and creating CFAs. New teachers will receive instruction from Annette on student engagement and using Big 8 strategies in their classrooms.
 - * Principal and Title 1 Coordinator will attend the Principal Literacy Institute.
 - * Administration will be attending the National Title I Conference.
 - * Teachers will be given monthly training on Guaranteed Viable Curriculum and Common Formative Assessments.
 - * Technology training will be provided regularly.
 - * Teachers will be able to go on learning walks to other schools as well as other classrooms within our school.
 - * Other professional development will be provided as needs arise.

- * Parent and Family involvement:
 - * Back-to-School Family Barbeque
 - * Cultural Heritage night
 - * We will be starting a Father volunteer program

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- * Parent Nights for Literacy
 - * Community Involvement for Dance Festival
 - * We have a Family Center for parents to find information to help with family and parenting skills
 - * iMom program once a month to help mothers sponsored by PTA
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- * Interventions:
 - * ELL 30 min. of daily reading intervention for all grade levels
 - * ELL Language Immersion for non-english speaking students
 - * 30 min of small group or individual intervention during iReady computer time
 - * Before school iReady Program
 - * All school funds are consolidated to implement our school wide plan.