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Creating Our Future through Strategic Planning Participation Opportunities

Core Planning Team Member 30 members	Measurement Team Member 8-15 members	Action Planning Team Member 30-90 members
<p>Characteristics: Overall, the team should reflect the diversity of the school system and community. Individual members should be respected by and model a high degree of credibility with their peers, be willing to listen to ideas of others, express their points of view while working toward consensus, and contribute to the creation of a long-term vision and plan for the school system.</p> <p>Commitments: Team members will commit to participate actively and fully in all Core Planning Team meetings (orientation session and six full days) and support the decisions of the Core Planning Team. Participation on all of the following scheduled dates is required to be eligible to serve on the Core Planning Team:</p> <p>Overview and Orientation May 3, 2011 (in-district) 6:30 p.m. at WCS Central Office</p> <p>Planning Meeting 1 May 9-11, 2011 (retreat) Three full days at Swan Lake. Meals and overnight accommodations provided.</p> <p>Planning Meeting 2 November 8, 2011(in-district) Full day; lunch provided.</p> <p>Planning Meeting 3 February 2-3, 2012 (in-district) Two full days; lunch provided.</p>	<p>Characteristics: Membership includes teachers, administrators, curriculum specialists, as well as parents and community members. Experience in the development and use of alternative or performance assessments is helpful, but not essential. A love of language is an asset to team members.</p> <p>Commitments: Team members will commit to attending two full days in September with a focus on designing the measurement tools and two full days in December with a focus on planning for implementation.</p> <p>Designing the Tools September 7-8, 2011 (in-district) Two full days; lunch provided.</p> <p>Planning for Implementation December 5-6, 2011 (in-district) Two full days; lunch provided.</p>	<p>Characteristics: Team members should be willing to learn about, envision, and create plans of action consistent with the Strategic Plan. They should have experience and knowledge in the areas of the strategies, have experience working with groups, project planning, setting and meeting standards and deadlines, be willing to work with others to reach consensus, and have an ability to envision possibilities, help others to do so and set aside special interests.</p> <p>Commitments: Team members will commit to attending regularly and participating actively in action planning meetings which may meet outside of the school work day. The Action Planning Teams will meet five times between September and December, 2011.</p> <p>Meeting 1 September 9, 2011 (in-district) Full day; lunch provided.</p> <p>Meeting 2 October 12, 2011 (in-district) Full day; lunch provided.</p> <p>Meeting 3 November 7, 2011 (in-district) Full day; lunch provided.</p> <p>Meeting 4 November 9, 2011 (in-district) Full day; lunch provided.</p> <p>Meeting 5 December 7, 2011 (in-district) Full day; lunch provided.</p>