

Strategic Plan: 2023

# Matunuck Elementary School

## Mission and Vision

### *Mission*

The mission of Matunuck Elementary School is to support our diverse learning community to ensure that all members achieve the highest level of personal and academic growth in order to lead fulfilling and productive lives.

### *Vision*

Graduates of Matunuck Elementary School are inspired, curious and self-directed learners that are caring citizens, able to use a growth mindset to make positive changes in their lives and in the lives of others.

## Theory of Action

*If School...*

*Then School can...*

*So that...*

## Values

### **High Expectations**

*We set high expectations for all students.*

We set ambitious expectations for all students and provide them with the support needed to meet these expectations.

### **Collaborative Cycles of Improvement**

*We believe that cultivating and maintaining partnerships is essential.*

We engage in collaborative inquiry practices & build strong MTSS

Frameworks that address whole child needs

## **Educational Excellence**

*We expect all students to achieve to high standards.*

We strengthen standards-based curriculum, instruction & assessment

## **Needs Assessment**

Our needs assessment revealed that our staff and students take pride in being a member of our school

community. We determined that focus areas will be in the areas of ELA, Mathematics and Social Emotional Learning. We will focus on improving Mathematics and ELA RICAS scores:

- ELA: percentage of students scoring “Met Expectations” or “Exceeded Expectations” = 60.8%
- MTH: percentage of students scoring “Met Expectations” or “Exceeded Expectations” = 67.1%
- SEL: students at "moderate risk" or "high risk" in the SOCIAL BEHAVIOR category of universal screener = 6%

Therefore, we have selected the following main priorities for this academic year: ELA improvement,

math improvement, and SEL improvement.

## **Priorities**

### *ELA Improvement*

*We will improve students' overall performance in reading and writing.*

We will increase the overall percentage of students scoring “Met Expectations” or “Exceeded Expectations” on the 2022 RICAS ELA Assessment by 10% (60.8% RICAS ELA 2022 increasing to 66.8% on RICAS ELA 2023)

Matunuck Elementary School works to set rigorous goals for all students and provides support to its staff through professional learning and resources to improve reading and writing. All staff is responsible for ensuring that all students have the support needed to succeed.

## **Commitments**

## **Measurable Goals**

**1. We will increase the overall percentage of students scoring “Met Expectations” or “Exceeded Expectations” on the 2022 RICAS ELA Assessment by 10% (60.8% RICAS ELA 2022 increasing to 66.8% on RICAS ELA 2023)**

### *Initiative 1: MTSS*

Action Step 1: Create and implement a weekly MTSS schedule

Action Step 2: Create expectations, norms, agendas, capture notes and progress monitoring plan

Action Step 3: By June all teachers will have implemented the Tiered Instructional Framework

District Literacy Team provides support and training/unpacking Wonders Professional will and/or have worked during MTSS/CPT/PLC to plan and discuss appropriate assessments aligned to grade level content based on standards to close reading gaps.

### *Initiative 2: Professional Development*

Action Step 1: Create PD schedule (including, but not limited to, benchmarking calendar, process and system for reviewing feedback and planning)

Action Step 2: Provide/attend professional development regarding

facilitation of Wonders (September, January, March).

Action Step 3: Review needs, feedback and plan/prioritize next steps for 23-24 SY

### *Mathematics Improvement*

*We will improve students' overall performance in mathematics*

Elementary School works to set rigorous goals for all students and provides support to its staff through professional learning and resources to improve mathematics computation, comprehension, fluency and mathematical practices

### **Commitments**

## Measurable Goals

**1. We will increase the overall percentage of students scoring “Met Expectations” or “Exceeded Expectations” on the 2022 RICAS Mth Assessment by 10% (67.1% RICAS ELA 2022 increasing to 73.8% on RICAS Mth 2023)**

#### *Initiative 1: Weekly MTSS*

Action Step 1: Create MTSS weekly schedule in the building

Action Step 2: Create and implement norms, expectations, agendas, progress monitoring schedule

Action Step 3: During CPT, teachers will use a protocol to unpack math instructional strategies.

Assessments results will drive the adjustment of instruction based on student needs. A district wide tool will be implemented.

#### *Initiative 2: Professional Development*

Action Step 1: Create schedule and implement

Action Step 2: Workshop model will be fully implemented in all math blocks.

Action Step 3: Assessments results will drive the adjustment of instruction based on student needs. District-wide assessment collection tool will be implemented.

Action Step 4: By the spring, 3 professional development days will be provided to staff to improve math instruction and complete district math priorities.