

McComb Local School

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McComb Local School - Student Wellness Plan

McComb Local School District Plan for disbursement of Student Wellness and Success Funds

Students face many obstacles for wellness and success in the classroom. Many need to have a resource or person they can count on for confidential conversations regarding their campus life. Student responses to mental health questions were one indicator for the need of an additional school counselor, to assist with student issues and to provide general guidance for important transitions on campus and beyond. We intend to use funds to employ three counselors to serve K-12 student needs. The work of counselors will be evaluated with future school climate surveys to determine effectiveness and a locally developed evaluation plan.

Hurdles to school success such as threats of violence, crime, homelessness, increasing ESL barriers and general special education needs impact our district daily. In addition to our regular school counselors, we will be continuing to use school psychologists and licensed school therapists for their expert opinions on informing special education plans and ESL intervention services will help us intervene with students facing these challenges. Keeping our teachers informed through appropriate professional development can also assist with student success.

Developing student leadership through the use of youth-led programming including Stephen Covey's 'Leader-in-Me' program will help facilitate student autonomy to rise above their personal struggles and focus on ways to become effective leaders within their classes and the school.

An increase in after school programming such as open houses, orientations and family engagement activities can support school climate. Providing after school homework help, tutoring and summer school intervention can increase student understanding of important academic content and help them stay on track for graduation.

Another important aspect to student wellness is access to nursing in the event of sudden illness or accidents. Many students do not have access to medical professional services. A school nurse can serve these roles by providing necessary treatments and health screenings. A school nurse can also connect the appropriate services outside of the school to students/families in need.

Safety is also an important aspect of student wellness. Utilizing a school resource officer to consistently check our campus security will help provide a sense of security to our students while in the school building.

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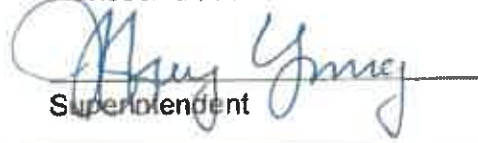
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