# Cameron Independent School District District Improvement Plan 2018-2019



# **Mission Statement**

The Cameron Independent School District, in partnership with parents and community, will provide a quality education for all of our students, empowering them to pursue productive and fulfilling lives in an ever-changing, interdependent world.

# Vision

Students will take intellectual risks and set personal goals

Students will experience a diverse education to include the arts, character development, and physical activities

Students will effectively use technology as a learning resource

Students will exhibit confidence, adaptability, strong character, and balance in life

Students will graduate with the prerequisite skills needed for post-secondary entry, military qualification, and/or workforce entry

# **Table of Contents**

Comprehensive Needs Assessment	. 4
Demographics	. 4
Student Academic Achievement	. 6
District Processes & Programs	. 8
Perceptions	. 10
Comprehensive Needs Assessment Data Documentation	. 14
Goals	. 17
Goal 1: Establish a culture of academic excellence.	. 17
Goal 2: Develop a climate to develop individual potential	. 39
Goal 3: Utilize innovative technology to stimulate continuous learning.	. 44
Goal 4: Foster success while maintaining fiscal responsibility.	. 46

# **Comprehensive Needs Assessment**

## **Demographics**

## **Demographics Summary**

Ethnic Distribution: African American 310 16.6% Hispanic 894 47.9% White 618 33.1% American Indian 2 0.1% Asian 6 0.3% Pacific Islander 0 0.0% Two or More Races 30 1.7%

Economically Disadvantaged 1,389 74.4% Non-Educationally Disadvantaged 478 25.6% English Language Learners (ELL) 165 8.8% Students w/ Disciplinary Placements (2015-2016) 18 1% At-Risk 847 45.4%

Teachers by Ethnicity: African American 4.0 3.3% Hispanic 15.8 12.9% White 99.9 81.4% American Indian 1.0 0.8% Asian 2.0 1.6% Pacific Islander 0.0 0.0% Two or More Races 37 2.0%

## **Demographics Strengths**

The diversity of the community does not impede support for the school district. The district's superintendent has successfully formed a group of community members, parents, and school staff called Cameron Connection. This organization is working together to improve academic performance on all campuses.

Parent involvement has increased at Technology Night, Latino Family Literacy, and Book - A - Palooza.

The graduation rate is 100%.

## **Problem Statements Identifying Demographics Needs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Economically disadvantaged students lack school readiness skills. **Root Cause**: Parents lack the resources to provide literature.

Problem Statement 2: The district has not been successful in finding bilingual-certified teachers to serve the bilingual population at every grade level. Root

Cause: The isolated location of the district and the shortage of bilingual teachers across the district makes it difficult to retain bilingual teachers.

**Problem Statement 3**: Low performing students are most often chronically absent and/or tardy. Daily attendance rates have fallen across the district. **Root Cause**: Cameron ISD has not engaged dtudents and their parents in the learning process.

**Problem Statement 4**: Although some growth has occurred in parent involvement at the academic level and across all populations, more growth is needed. **Root Cause**: A disconnect exists between parents and school staff.

**Problem Statement 5**: Economically disadvantaged students and their families need to be connected to various community supports. **Root Cause**: Students with mental health and health issues need service that supports their academic progress.

## **Student Academic Achievement**

## **Student Academic Achievement Summary**

## **STAAR Percent at Meets Grade Level - All Grades**

							Two			
Subject	State	District	AA	Н	W	Bilingual	or	SpEd	Eco Dis	ELL
							More			
Reading	48%	36%	13%	30%	55%	48%	41%	9%	28%	29%
Mathematics	48%	35%	14%	30%	52%	50%	40%	12%	27%	29%
Writing	38%	22%	*	20%	30%	63%	*	*	18%	26%
Science	52%	37%	16%	31%	53%	*	*	*	29%	*
Social Studies	51%	35%	24%	27%	48%	*	*	*	26%	*

## **Student Academic Achievement Strengths**

Students in the bilingual program perform at higher levels than district and state averages.

Student performance on the Biology, U.S. History, Eng II, and Algebra I EOC improved on the 2017 STAAR.

The percentage of sixth-grade students performing at the Approaches standard improved in mathematics (up by 8%) and reading (up by 20%) over the 2016 percentages.

## **Problem Statements Identifying Student Academic Achievement Needs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

**Problem Statement 4**: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. **Root Cause**: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

## **District Processes & Programs**

## **District Processes & Programs Summary**

The district Literacy PLC created a Literacy Plan during the 2017-2018 school year that will be implemented in the 2018-2019 school year.

Teachers from across the K-8 grade levels are creating ELAR lesson plans that will be implemented in the 2018-2019 school year to augment the resources in the TEKS Resource System.

Teaching and learning expectations need to be solidified across the district.

A curriculum guide does not exist for non-core classes.

The PLC process was begun during the 2017-2018 school year. Not all PLCs positively impacted student achievement. By the end of July 2018, all core teachers will be trained in how to implement PLC.

Pacing guides were developed by core teachers across the district.

Each campus has a scheduled PLC time during the school day.

Core teachers have a common planning period across the district.

All special education students are served by a certified special education teacher in addition to their regular education classroom.

The CTE program is coordinated by the district CTE director.

Students in grades 6-12 have a Chromebook for their own use. In the lower grades, technology is distributed two to one with Chromebooks or iPads at the primary school.

At the primary and elementary campuses, reading instruction includes Wilson Fundations and guided reading.

Two instructional coordinators support district teachers.

Core teachers are involved in a collaboration with Rockdale ISD to improve instruction.

The district offers a variety of extracurricular activities to secondary students. The activities receive strong community support.

The RtI process is strong at the primary campuses but needs to be developed at the other campuses.

The district provided at least 4 books for every student to take home for summer reading in grades PK3 through 8.

## **District Processes & Programs Strengths**

Through the process of the development of the Literacy Plan and the PLC process across the district, teacher leaders have begun to develop.

The CTE program has become better aligned to provide students opportunities to receive industry certifications under the supervision of the CTE director.

Extracurricular activities receive strong support from the community.

Reading performance at the PK-2 level is strong.

Students and teachers are well-supplied with technology.

RtI implementation is strong and consistent at the primary campus.

The district provided at least 4 books for every student to take home for summer reading in grades PK3 through 8.

## **Problem Statements Identifying District Processes & Programs Needs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

**Problem Statement 2**: Assessment needs to lead to student intervention across the district. **Root Cause**: The PLC and RtI process is not fully developed on all campuses.

**Problem Statement 3**: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. **Root Cause**: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

**Problem Statement 4**: Design of local assessments needs to be improved. **Root Cause**: Teachers need a stronger understanding of the demands of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5**: A verification that instructional resources align with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills needs to be completed across the district. **Root Cause**: Teachers have not been asked to have their resources approved by the curriculum department.

9 of 48

## **Perceptions**

## **Perceptions Summary**

Results of 2018 Teacher Survey:

84.74% of teachers believe that the district has high expectations for every student.

88.98% of teachers believe that improved academic performance is a priority on their campus.

85.60% of teachers believe that systems for measuring student progress exist on their campus.

83.05% of teachers believe that team planning is a priority on their campus.

68.65% of teachers believe that vertical alignment is a priority on their campus.

72.88% of teachers believe that their campus has an environment that is conducive to learning.

64.41% of teachers believe that they receive the necessary instructional supplies.

68.65% of teachers believe that their campus creates a sense of belonging and responsibility.

67.79% of teachers believe that staff ideas are valued on their campus.

63.56% of teachers believe that their campus culture is one of respect and support.

62.72% of teachers believe that the RtI process operates efficiently on their campus.

76.27% of teachers believe that their campus is a safe place for students.

54.23% of teachers believe that the Student Code of Conduct is consistently and fairly enforced on their campus.

76.28% of teachers believe that efforts are being made to increase parental involvement on their campus.

76.27% of teachers believe that their professional developments needs are being met.

50.85% of teachers believe that the emphasis on technology has increased student involvement.

81.36% of teachers are proud of their district.

## Results of Parent Survey:

67.90% of parents report that they have had a conference with their student's teacher.

62.14% of parents agree that the district is preparing their child for the future.

65% of parents agree that their child's school has a welcoming environment.

63% of parents agree that they feel comfortable communicating with their child's principal.

71% of parents agree that their child is making academic progress.

65% of parents agree that the school is safe.

64% of parents agree that the curriculum appropriately challenges their child.

63% of parents agree that school communications are clear, helpful, and friendly.

62% of parents feel that adequate counseling services are provided at their child's school.

57% of parents agree that discipline is consistent and clearly states the consequences for misbehavior.

49% of parents agree that the school provides guidance on how to help their child at home.

69% of parents agree that the school provides adequate translation services.

84% of parents agree that school facilities are up to date and well kept.

## Results of Senior Survey

69% of seniors were involved in extracurricular activities for four years. 93% of seniors were involved in extracurricular activities during part of their time in high school.

90.4% of seniors believe that their school counselor provided them with adequate information.

79.8% of seniors feel that their teachers made learning exciting and encouraged them to continue their career.

81.7% of seniors feel that they were provided adequate electives to explore career choices.

33.7% of seniors feel that they experienced significant harassment.

88.5% of seniors feel that their teacher held high standards and required quality work.

82.7% of seniors feel that they had the opportunity to take higher level classes.

81.7% of seniors feel that the adults at YHS cared about their success.

86.5% of seniors feel that the environment at YHS was safe.

89.5% of seniors feel prepared to transition to college or the work force.

89.4% of seniors feel that YHS provided them with a strong foundation in the use of technology.

84.6% of the seniors feel that their assistant principal was fair and consistent.

## **Perceptions Strengths**

Teachers feel that the district has set high expectations for every student.

Teachers feel that systems are in place to monitor student achievement.

CISD teachers are proud fo their district.

Parents are happy with the school facilities.

Graduating seniors felt that they were prepared for their futures.

## **Problem Statements Identifying Perceptions Needs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Vertical alignment needs to be consistently implemented across the district. **Root Cause**: The district needs to devote time to vertical alignment.

**Problem Statement 2**: Systems need to be developed that allow for input from all staff. **Root Cause**: A failure of communication has occurred between administration and staff.

**Problem Statement 3**: Systems of communication need to be developed for teachers to request instructional supplies. **Root Cause**: Formal systems have never been developed.

**Problem Statement 4**: Systems for providing guidance to parents on how to help their children at home need to be developed. **Root Cause**: Formal systems have not been developed.

**Problem Statement 5**: Senior claims of significant harassment need to be investigated. **Root Cause**: Senior students/YHS staff have not clearly communicated regarding harassment.

## **Comprehensive Needs Assessment Data Documentation**

The following data were used to verify the comprehensive needs assessment analysis:

## **Improvement Planning Data**

- District goals
- Campus goals
- Current and/or prior year(s) campus and/or district improvement plans
- Campus and/or district planning and decision making committee(s) meeting data
- State and federal planning requirements

## **Accountability Data**

- Texas Academic Performance Report (TAPR) data
- Domain 1 Student Achievement
- Domain 2 Student Progress
- Domain 3 Closing the Gaps
- System Safeguards and Texas Accountability Intervention System (TAIS) data
- Critical Success Factor(s) data
- Federal Report Card Data
- · PBMAS data

#### **Student Data: Assessments**

- State and federally required assessment information (e.g. curriculum, eligibility, format, standards, accommodations, TEA information)
- State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) current and longitudinal results, including all versions
- STAAR End-of-Course current and longitudinal results, including all versions
- STAAR EL Progress Measure data
- Texas Primary Reading Inventory (TPRI), Tejas LEE, or other alternate early reading assessment results
- Postsecondary college, career or military-ready graduates data
- Advanced Placement (AP) and/or International Baccalaureate (IB) assessment data
- SAT and/or ACT assessment data
- Student Success Initiative (SSI) data for Grades 5 and 8
- Local diagnostic reading assessment data
- Local diagnostic math assessment data
- Local benchmark or common assessments data
- Student failure and/or retention rates
- Observation Survey results

## **Student Data: Student Groups**

- Race and ethnicity data, including number of students, academic achievement, discipline, attendance, and rates of progress for each group
- Special Programs data, including number of students, academic achievement, discipline, attendance, and rates of progress for each student group
- Economically Disadvantaged / Non-economically disadvantaged performance, progress, and participation data,
- Male / Female performance, progress, and participation data
- Special education population, including performance, discipline, progress, and participation data
- At-Risk population, including performance, progress, discipline, attendance, and mobility
- EL or LEP data, including academic achievement, progress, support and accommodation needs, race, ethnicity, gender, etc.
- Career and Technical Education (CTE) data, including academic achievement, progress, program growth, race, ethnicity, gender, etc.
- Section 504 data
- Homeless data
- Gifted and talented data
- Response to Intervention (RtI) student achievement data
- Dyslexia Data

#### **Student Data: Behavior and Other Indicators**

- Completion rates and/or graduation rates data
- Annual dropout rate data
- Attendance data
- Mobility rate, including longitudinal data
- Discipline records
- Violence and/or violence prevention records
- Tobacco, alcohol, and other drug-use data
- Student surveys and/or other feedback
- Class size averages by grade and subject

## **Employee Data**

- Professional learning communities (PLC) data
- Staff surveys and/or other feedback
- State certified and high quality staff data
- Teacher/Student Ratio
- Campus leadership data
- Professional development needs assessment data
- Evaluation(s) of professional development implementation and impact
- T-TESS

## Parent/Community Data

• Parent surveys and/or other feedback

## **Support Systems and Other Data**

- Processes and procedures for teaching and learning, including program implementation
- Budgets/entitlements and expenditures data
- Study of best practices

## Goals

## Goal 1: Establish a culture of academic excellence.

**Performance Objective 1:** The percentage of all students performing at the Meets or Masters Grade Level Standard on the STAAR reading assessment will increase from 40% to 43% by May 2019.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 1: Star Early Literacy, STAAR, SAT, ACT, TMSFA, Renaissance Star

Summative Evaluation 1: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 2. Build a foundation of reading and math.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Formativ Reviews		
				Dec	Mar	May
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 5 CSF 6  1) Today a LeaderTomorrow a Reader and the Cameron	2.4, 2.6	Superintendent Assistant Superintendent	Families in Cameron ISD will have more literature for their children. School readiness will increase. Student literacy skills will improve.			_
Connection initiative will be implemented. Cameron Connection will develop opportunities for all students to be enriched with literature in their homes.	Problem Statements Funding Sources: L		tudent Academic Achievement 1			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  2) Bilingual reading materials will be purchased for grades 3 through 5 classrooms.	2.4, 2.6	Assistant Superintendent Principals Bilingual teachers	Bilingual students will be exposed to a wide variety of literature in their home language and will develop literacy skills in their L1 and L2.			
	Problem Statements Funding Sources: T		nievement 1 - School Processes & Programs 3, 5			
Critical Success Factors	2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Superintendent Assistant Superintendent Principals Instructional Coordinators Classroom Teachers	Reading levels will improve across the district.			
			dent Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4 - School Processes & Prog	grams 2		
	Funding Sources: L	ocal - 15000.00				

4) Total Motivation Reading supplemental instructional materials will be supplied to grades 1-8.	2.4, 2.6	Principals Teachers	Student reading performance will improve.						
materials will be supplied to grades 1-8.	Problem Statements		nievement 1, 2, 3, 4 - School Processes & Programs 3	1					
	Funding Sources: L		, , , ,						
Critical Success Factors	2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Assistant	Students reading levels will rise.						
CSF 1		Superintendent							
5) Indoord and Deading with Comment will be involved at		Principals/Assistant							
5) Independent Reading with Support will be implemented for every K-12 student. Staff will be trained in supporting		Principals							
students during independent reading. Classroom libraries will		Instructional							
be supplemented. Teachers will receive training to fine-tune		Coordinators							
their instruction during IR with support.	Problem Statements	s: Student Academic Acl	nievement 1 - School Processes & Programs 1, 3						
and mountaining it will support	Funding Sources: L	Local - 57000.00							
Equity Plan Strategy	2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Assistant	Literacy skills will improve for all students across the district.						
Critical Success Factors		Superintendent							
CSF 1 CSF 3 CSF 4 CSF 7		Principals/Assistant							
6) The Cameron ISD Literacy plan that was developed in the		Principals							
2017-2018 school year will be implemented. The									
implementation will increase the amount of time that students	Problem Statements	s: Student Academic Ach	nievement 1, 2, 3, 4 - School Processes & Programs 1, 3 - Perceptions 1						
spend reading and writing throughout the school day.									
Equity Plan Strategy	2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Assistant	The project is literacy-based. Students literacy skills will be						
7) Fifth-grade science teachers will participate in the LISTO	2.1, 2.3, 2.0	Superintendent	impacted across the curriculum and academic performance will						
science research project in conjunction with Texas A&M. All		Principal	improve.						
materials are provided by LISTO.		5th grade science							
materials are provided by E1310.		teachers							
	Problem Statements		nievement 1 - School Processes & Programs 1, 3, 4, 5						
Critical Success Factors	2.6	Superintendent	Reading skills will improve across the community. A culture						
CSF 1 CSF 5	2.0	Assistant	of reading will be developed.						
		Superintendent	or reading will be developed.						
8) The Cameron ISD Book Mobile will be deployed to		Principals							
provide reading material to Cameron students and families.		Transportation Director							
	Problem Statements	s: Demographics 1, 4, 5	Student Academic Achievement 1	1					
	Funding Sources: L	Local - 10000.00							
100% = Accomplished									

## **Performance Objective 1 Problem Statements:**

Demographics
Problem Statement 1: Economically disadvantaged students lack school readiness skills. Root Cause 1: Parents lack the resources to provide literature.

**Problem Statement 4**: Although some growth has occurred in parent involvement at the academic level and across all populations, more growth is needed. **Root Cause 4**: A disconnect exists between parents and school staff.

**Problem Statement 5**: Economically disadvantaged students and their families need to be connected to various community supports. **Root Cause 5**: Students with mental health and health issues need service that supports their academic progress.

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause 2**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 3**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

Problem Statement 4: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. Root Cause 4: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

## **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

Problem Statement 2: Assessment needs to lead to student intervention across the district. Root Cause 2: The PLC and RtI process is not fully developed on all campuses.

Problem Statement 3: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. Root Cause 3: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

Problem Statement 4: Design of local assessments needs to be improved. Root Cause 4: Teachers need a stronger understanding of the demands of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5**: A verification that instructional resources align with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills needs to be completed across the district. **Root Cause 5**: Teachers have not been asked to have their resources approved by the curriculum department.

## **Perceptions**

Problem Statement 1: Vertical alignment needs to be consistently implemented across the district. Root Cause 1: The district needs to devote time to vertical alignment.

**Performance Objective 2:** The percentage of students performing at the Meets Standard on the STAAR math assessment will improve from 40% to 43%.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 2: District benchmarks, STAAR, EOC

**Summative Evaluation 2:** Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Formative Reviews								
				Dec	Mar	May						
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 3	2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant	Students performance in math will improve.									
1) The math curriculum will be vertically aligned.		Principals Math Teachers										
	Problem Statements: Perceptions 1, 2											
Critical Success Factors  CSF 1 CSF 4  2) Total Motivation Math Supplemental materials will be supplied to all 1st through 8th grade teachers and students.	2.4, 2.5, 2.6	Assistant Superintendent Principal/Assistant Principal Instructional Coordinators	Students performance in math will improve.									
	Problem Statements: School Processes & Programs 1, 3, 4, 5 - Perceptions 1, 2											
10	Funding Sources: Local - 20000.00  100% = Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue											

## **Performance Objective 2 Problem Statements:**

## **School Processes & Programs**

20 of 48

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

**Problem Statement 3**: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. **Root Cause 3**: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

Problem Statement 4: Design of local assessments needs to be improved. Root Cause 4: Teachers need a stronger understanding of the demands of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5**: A verification that instructional resources align with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills needs to be completed across the district. **Root Cause 5**: Teachers have not been asked to have their resources approved by the curriculum department.

## **Perceptions**

**Problem Statement 1**: Vertical alignment needs to be consistently implemented across the district. **Root Cause 1**: The district needs to devote time to vertical alignment.

**Problem Statement 2**: Systems need to be developed that allow for input from all staff. **Root Cause 2**: A failure of communication has occurred between administration and staff.

**Performance Objective 3:** The percentage of students performing at the Approaches and Meets Standard on STAAR science assessments will improve from 38% to 41%.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 3: STAAR science assessments

Summative Evaluation 3: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact		ive /s						
Strategy Description	EEEIVIEIVIS	Ivionitoi	Strategy & Expected Result/Impact		Mar	_					
Critical Success Factors		Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant Principals 5th Grade science teachers	Science instruction will be more engaging, and student performance will improve								
	Problem Statements	: School Processes & Pr	ograms 1, 3, 4, 5								
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 4											
2) YHS students will be provided the opportunity to advance to various levels of science fair competition	Funding Sources: Lo	ocal - 2500.00									
= Accomplished											

## **Performance Objective 3 Problem Statements:**

## **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

Problem Statement 3: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. Root Cause 3: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

Problem Statement 4: Design of local assessments needs to be improved. Root Cause 4: Teachers need a stronger understanding of the demands of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5**: A verification that instructional resources align with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills needs to be completed across the district. **Root Cause 5**: Teachers have not been asked to have their resources approved by the curriculum department.

**Performance Objective 4:** The percentage of students performing at the Meets Grade Level Standard on the STAAR social studies assessment will improve from 40% to 43%.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 4: STAAR social studies data, district benchmarks, classroom assessments

Summative Evaluation 4: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	1	Formative Reviews							
				Dec	Mar	May						
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  1) Professional development days will be devoted to curriculum alignment throughout the school year.	2.4 Problem Statements	Assistant Superintendent Principal/Assistant Principals Classroom Teachers : Perceptions 1	Student performance will improve in social studies.									
Critical Success Factors	2.5	Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant Principals Secondary Instructional Coordinator Classroom teachers										
Problem Statements: School Processes & Programs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 - Perceptions 1, 3  100%  = Accomplished  No Progress  = Discontinue												

## **Performance Objective 4 Problem Statements:**

## **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

Problem Statement 2: Assessment needs to lead to student intervention across the district. Root Cause 2: The PLC and RtI process is not fully developed on all campuses.

Problem Statement 3: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. Root Cause 3: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

Problem Statement 4: Design of local assessments needs to be improved. Root Cause 4: Teachers need a stronger understanding of the demands of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5**: A verification that instructional resources align with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills needs to be completed across the district. **Root Cause 5**: Teachers have not been asked to have their resources approved by the curriculum department.

## **Perceptions**

**Problem Statement 1**: Vertical alignment needs to be consistently implemented across the district. **Root Cause 1**: The district needs to devote time to vertical alignment.

Problem Statement 3: Systems of communication need to be developed for teachers to request instructional supplies. Root Cause 3: Formal systems have never been developed.

**Performance Objective 5:** Bilingual students will be served by bilingual-certified teachers.

**Evaluation Data Source(s) 5:** Teacher certifications.

Summative Evaluation 5: Significant progress made toward meeting Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 1. Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Forma Revie		
				Dec	Mar	May
Equity Plan Strategy Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 7	2.4	Assistant Superintendent Principals	Bilingual classrooms will be taught by bilingual certified teachers.			
1) Teachers who are bilingual certified but are teaching in a bilingual classroom will receive training/support so that they can pass the bilingual certification test.	Problem Statements	: Demographics 2				
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 7	2.4	Assistant superintendent Principals	Bilingual students will be taught by bilingual certified teachers.			
2) Administrators will attend university job fairs to recruit bilingual teachers.	Problem Statements	: Demographics 2				
Critical Success Factors CSF 7  3) Cameron ISD will participate in the state Grow Your Own	2.4	Assistant Superintendent YHS Principal	Bilingual students will return to teach in Cameron ISD. Bilingual Cameron ISD employees will obtain the bilingual certification.			
grant program.	Problem Statements	: Demographics 2				
100	0% = Accomplishe	d 0% = No Progr	ess = Discontinue			

## **Performance Objective 5 Problem Statements:**

## **Demographics**

**Problem Statement 2**: The district has not been successful in finding bilingual-certified teachers to serve the bilingual population at every grade level. **Root Cause 2**: The isolated location of the district and the shortage of bilingual teachers across the district makes it difficult to retain bilingual teachers.

**Performance Objective 6:** Instructional processes and programs will be strengthened.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 6: PLC Google folders, STAAR results, benchmark results

Summative Evaluation 6: Significant progress made toward meeting Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 1. Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals. 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	1	Formativ Reviews	
				Dec	Mar	May
Critical Success Factors	2.4  Problem Statements	Superintendent Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators Teacher Leaders	Student academic performance will improve.  nievement 1, 2, 3, 4 - School Processes & Programs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5	- Percer	ntions 1	2 3
Critical Success Factors	2.4	Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant Principals Interventionists : Demographics 1 - Stud	Student academic performance will improve.  dent Academic Achievement 1, 2, 4	T erecy		, 2, 3
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  3) Full day PreK will be provided to four-year olds and three- year-olds as a means to ensure academic readiness. All Cameron ISD four year olds will be served in the PreK program regardless of whether they qualify for the program.	2.4  Problem Statements	Superintendent Assistant Superintendent BME Principal/Assistant Principal Instructional Coordinator :: Demographics 1 - Stud	Cameron ISD students will be kindergarten-ready.  dent Academic Achievement 1			
	Funding Sources: L	ocal - 0.00	400000000000000000000000000000000000000			

Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 3 CSF 4 CSF 7  4) All teachers will be trained in The Fundamental Five instruction strategies.		Superintendent Assistant Superintendent Principals Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators s: School Processes & Pr									
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  5) In-classroom support will be provided to students who	2.4	Principals Assistant Principals Classroom Teachers	Academic achievement in math and reading will improve.								
struggle academically.	Problem Statement: Funding Sources: T	s: Student Academic Ach	nievement 1, 2, 3, 4								
6) CISD will contract with Region 6 to ensure proper funding and operation of SCE program.	2.6	Assistant Superintendent Business Manager	The SCE program will effectively support students.								
	Problem Statement: Funding Sources: C	s: Student Academic Ach Comp ed - 5500.00	ievement 1, 2, 3, 4								
Critical Success Factors	2.5	Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators Teachers	Literacy skills will improve for all students.								
	Problem Statement	s: Student Academic Ach	nievement 1 - School Processes & Programs 3 - Perceptions 2, 3								
Critical Success Factors	2.5	Assistant Superintendent Principals Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators	Tier 1 Instruction will improve.								
	Problem Statement	s: School Processes & Pr	ograms 1, 3								
Critical Success Factors	2.4 Problem Statement:	Assistant Superintendent Principals Teacher Leaders s: Student Academic Ach	Student literacy skills will improve.								
10	Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1  100%  = Accomplished  No Progress  = Discontinue										

27 of 48

## **Performance Objective 6 Problem Statements:**

## **Demographics**

Problem Statement 1: Economically disadvantaged students lack school readiness skills. Root Cause 1: Parents lack the resources to provide literature.

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause 2**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 3**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

Problem Statement 4: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. Root Cause 4: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

#### **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

Problem Statement 2: Assessment needs to lead to student intervention across the district. Root Cause 2: The PLC and RtI process is not fully developed on all campuses.

Problem Statement 3: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. Root Cause 3: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

Problem Statement 4: Design of local assessments needs to be improved. Root Cause 4: Teachers need a stronger understanding of the demands of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5**: A verification that instructional resources align with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills needs to be completed across the district. **Root Cause 5**: Teachers have not been asked to have their resources approved by the curriculum department.

## **Perceptions**

Problem Statement 1: Vertical alignment needs to be consistently implemented across the district. Root Cause 1: The district needs to devote time to vertical alignment.

Problem Statement 2: Systems need to be developed that allow for input from all staff. Root Cause 2: A failure of communication has occurred between administration and staff.

**Problem Statement 3**: Systems of communication need to be developed for teachers to request instructional supplies. **Root Cause 3**: Formal systems have never been developed.

**Performance Objective 7:** The percentage of students performing at the Approaches and Meets Standard on the STAAR writing assessment will improve as follows:

4th Grade

57

60

7th Grade

54

57

9th Grade

59

62

10th Grade

60

63

Evaluation Data Source(s) 7: Classroom assessments

District benchmarks

STAAR/EOC

Summative Evaluation 7: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Rev		Forma Revie		
				Dec	Mar	May		
Critical Success Factors		Assistant Superintendent YHS Principal/Assistant Principal Secondary Instructional Coordinator : Student Academic Acl	Performance of EOC retesters will improve.					

Critical Success Factors	2.5	Assistant Superintendent Principals Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators Teacher Leaders	Writing performance will improve.			
Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1 - School Processes & Programs 1 - Perceptions 1, 2						
Critical Success Factors CSF 7	2.4	Assistant superintendent Principals	Writing performance will improve.			
3) All STAAR-tested writing teachers will meet with the Assistant Superintendent weekly to plan instruction and discuss student progress.	Problem Statemen	its: Student Academic Ac	chievement 1			
= Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue						

## **Performance Objective 7 Problem Statements:**

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause 2**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 3**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

Problem Statement 4: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. Root Cause 4: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

## **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

## **Perceptions**

Problem Statement 1: Vertical alignment needs to be consistently implemented across the district. Root Cause 1: The district needs to devote time to vertical alignment.

Problem Statement 2: Systems need to be developed that allow for input from all staff. Root Cause 2: A failure of communication has occurred between administration and staff.

**Performance Objective 8:** Accountability Domain III will improve from a score of 66 to 70.

**Evaluation Data Source(s) 8:** Subpopulation Tracking Data District benchmarks STAAR/EOC

Summative Evaluation 8: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 2. Build a foundation of reading and math. 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Formative Reviews				
				Dec	Mar	May		
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 3 CSF 7  1) PLCs will meet each week and track student performance on a student by student and TEK by TEK basis. Interventions and extensions will be provided based on the data reported weekly.	2.4	Superintendent Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators	Subpopulation groups will make progress toward Domain III goals.					
	Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4							
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  2) The performance of subpopulation students will be tracked throughout the year. Teachers will report the efforts used to increased the academic performance of the students. PLC and RtI teams will devise plans to meet the needs of struggling students.	2.4  Problem Statements	Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators Interventionists Classroom Teachers :: Student Academic Ach	Subpopulation groups will make progress toward Domain III goals.  nievement 1, 2, 3, 4					
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  3) CCMR data for each student will be tracked and acted upon by the YHS principal, the YHS assistant principal, YHS CTE teachers, and YHS counselors.	2.4 Problem Statements	Superintendent Assistant Superintendent YHS Principal YHS Counselors CTE Teachers :: Student Academic Ach	CCMR data will show an improvement in the number of 2019 graduates who achieve CCMR goals.					

G 141 116 F							
Critical Success Factors CSF 1	2.4	Assistant Superintendent Principals/Assistant	The academic performance of subpopulation students will improve.				
4) Tiered interventions will be provided to struggling students.		Principal					
students.		RtI Committees Interventionists					
	Problem Statemen	Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4					
Critical Success Factors CSF 1	2.4	YHS Principal YHS Counselors	CCMR data will show an improvement in the number of 2019 graduates who achieve CCMR goals.				
5) The YHS counselors will conduct Senior Seminar to ensure that 2018-2019 seniors achieve CCMR goals.	Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4						
Critical Success Factors	2.6	Superintendent	Subpopulation students will make progress toward Domain III				
CSF 1		Assistant Superintendent	goals.				
6) A district family liaison will be added to the district staff to provide support to struggling students and their families.		Principals Family Liaison					
	Problem Statements: Demographics 3, 4, 5 - Student Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4						
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 3 CSF 7	2.6	Superintendent Assistant	Subpopulation academic performance will improve.				
7) Monthly data meetings will be held on each campus.		Superintendent Principals					
		Instructional Coordinators					
		Teacher Leaders					
	Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4						
10	0% = Accomplish	0% = No Progr	ess = Discontinue				

## **Performance Objective 8 Problem Statements:**

## **Demographics**

**Problem Statement 3**: Low performing students are most often chronically absent and/or tardy. Daily attendance rates have fallen across the district. **Root Cause 3**: Cameron ISD has not engaged dtudents and their parents in the learning process.

**Problem Statement 4**: Although some growth has occurred in parent involvement at the academic level and across all populations, more growth is needed. **Root Cause 4**: A disconnect exists between parents and school staff.

**Problem Statement 5**: Economically disadvantaged students and their families need to be connected to various community supports. **Root Cause 5**: Students with mental health issues need service that supports their academic progress.

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

32 of 48

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause 2**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 3**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

**Problem Statement 4**: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 4**: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

**Performance Objective 9:** Students will be educated in learning environments that are safe and conducive to learning.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 9: PEIMS Discipline Data; Educators' Handbook Reports

Summative Evaluation 9: Significant progress made toward meeting Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Formative Reviews				
				Dec	Mar	May		
Critical Success Factors CSF 6  1) Continue evaluating, revising, and implementing the safe and secure emergency response plan including the implementation of an emergency drill that includes all local emergency responders.	2.4	Superintendent YHS Principal YHS Assistant Principal	Cameron ISD will be safe for all stakeholders.					
	Problem Statements: Perceptions 2							
Critical Success Factors CSF 6  2) All staff who interact with students will be trained by a Ruby Payne associate on Emotional Poverty in all Demographics.	2.4, 2.5	Superintendent Assistant Superintendent Principals Assistant Principals	Student learning time will and school safety will improve.					
Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4  100% = Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue								

## **Performance Objective 9 Problem Statements:**

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause 2**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 3**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

Problem Statement 4: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. Root Cause 4: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

## **Perceptions**

**Problem Statement 2**: Systems need to be developed that allow for input from all staff. **Root Cause 2**: A failure of communication has occurred between administration and staff.

**Performance Objective 10:** Support services will be provided to students to maximize learning readiness.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 10: Program participation records, Attendance Rates, Discipline Reports

Summative Evaluation 10: Significant progress made toward meeting Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Formative Reviews Dec Mar May			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  1) Weekend food distribution to students in Cameron Prep offered through the Capital Area Food Bank	2.4 Problem Statements	CES/CJH Principal CES/CJH Counselor CES/CJH Family Liaison	Students' nutrition will be sustained through the weekends making them more prepared to learn during the weekend.	Dec	Mar	May	
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  2) A DAEP will be staffed that provides an opportunity for students to academically and behaviorally progress	2.4	YHS Principal YHS Assistant Principal : Student Academic Acid	Students' academic progress will not be hindered by misbehavior.				
3) Parents of prekindergarten children will be supported with parent trainings and involvement activities.	3.2	Assistant Superintendent BME Principal/Assistant Superintendent PreK Teachers	Parental involvement and academic achievement will increase. Students will be prepared to enter kindergarten				
	Problem Statements: Demographics 4, 5 - Student Academic Achievement 1						
Critical Success Factors CSF 5	2.4	Superintendent Principals	Parental involvement will increase.				
4) Blackboard Connect will be used to notify parents of school events, information about their child, school closings, etc.	Problem Statements: Demographics 4 - Student Academic Achievement 1 Funding Sources: Title 1 - 4700.00						
Critical Success Factors CSF 5	3.2	Principals	Parent Involvement will increase.				
5) SeeSaw will be used at BME and CES to communicate with parents.	Problem Statements Funding Sources: T		dent Academic Achievement 1				

Critical Success Factors	2.6	Superintendent	The attendance of chronically absent students will improve.				
CSF 1 CSF 4 CSF 5	2.0	Assistant	The attendance of emometry absent students will improve.				
		Superintendent					
6) A truancy officer will be added to district staff.		Principals					
		Assistant Principals					
	D 11 Ct 4						
	Problem Statements	: Demographics 3					
	Funding Sources: G	Sources: Grant - 45000.00					
7) A family liaison will be added to district staff to provide	2.4	Superintendent	Student academic performance will improve.				
mental health support to students. The liaison will also work		Assistant					
to increase family involvement and address student social and		Superintendent					
physical needs as needed.		Principals					
		Assistant Principal					
		Family Liaison					
	Problem Statements	blem Statements: Demographics 3, 4, 5 - Student Academic Achievement 1 - Perceptions 4, 5					
	Funding Sources: L	ocal - 0.00					
Critical Success Factors	2.4	Superintendent	Academic performance will improve as all stakeholders feel				
CSF 1		Assistant	safe on their campus.				
8) A School Resource Officer will be added to district staff to		Superintendent					
increase the safety for all stakeholders on all campuses.		Principals					
increase the safety for all stakeholders on all campuses.		SRO					
	Problem Statements	: Student Academic Ac	hievement 1				
Critical Success Factors	3.1	Assistant	Parent involvement will increase and become more effective.				
CSF 1 CSF 5		Superintendent					
(a) December Conference and Title I marking a mill be held		Principals					
9) Parent Conferences and Title I meetings will be held.	Problem Statements: Demographics 4 - Student Academic Achievement 1						
= Accomplished							

## **Performance Objective 10 Problem Statements:**

#### **Demographics**

**Problem Statement 3**: Low performing students are most often chronically absent and/or tardy. Daily attendance rates have fallen across the district. **Root Cause 3**: Cameron ISD has not engaged dtudents and their parents in the learning process.

**Problem Statement 4**: Although some growth has occurred in parent involvement at the academic level and across all populations, more growth is needed. **Root Cause 4**: A disconnect exists between parents and school staff.

**Problem Statement 5**: Economically disadvantaged students and their families need to be connected to various community supports. **Root Cause 5**: Students with mental health issues need service that supports their academic progress.

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

## **Perceptions**

Problem Statement 4: Systems for providing guidance to parents on how to help their children at home need to be developed. Root Cause 4: Formal systems have not been developed.

Problem Statement 5: Senior claims of significant harassment need to be investigated. Root Cause 5: Senior students/YHS staff have not clearly communicated regarding harassment.

### Goal 2: Develop a climate to develop individual potential.

**Performance Objective 1:** Establish systems to emphasize and track the growth of individual students.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 1: Goal setting data from each campus, Campus data boards, DMAC data, STAAR/EOC data

**Summative Evaluation 1:** Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	1	rmati Review			
				Dec	Mar	May		
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  1) Students will establish individual learning goals and receive recognition for meeting individual progress.		Principals Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators Teachers	Student academic performance will improve.					
recognition for meeting marviatur progress.	Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1 - School Processes & Programs 1							
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  2) Campuses will establish data boards to track the growth of individual students.	2.4	Principals Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators Teachers	Students will experience one year's growth in math and reading.					
Problem Statements: Student Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4  100% = Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue								

#### **Performance Objective 1 Problem Statements:**

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause 2**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 3**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

Problem Statement 4: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. Root Cause 4: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

### **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

**Goal 2:** Develop a climate to develop individual potential.

Performance Objective 2: Effective transitions will occur for students throughout our system to include postsecondary preparation

Evaluation Data Source(s) 2: Graduation rates, Achievement Data, Student and Parent Surveys

Summative Evaluation 2: Significant progress made toward meeting Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 3. Connect high school to career and college. 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	1	rmati leview	
				Dec	Mar	May
Critical Success Factors	2.4 Problem Statements	Assistant Superintendent BME Principal and Assistant Principal : Demographics 1	Head Start students will be kindergarten-ready.			
Critical Success Factors  CSF 1  2) A MOU will be developed with Temple College to provide	2.5	Superintendent YHS Principal and Assistant Principal	Students will receive college credit while in high school making them more likely to complete a college degree.			
YHS students with dual credit courses with a Temple College professor on campus.	Problem Statements					
Critical Success Factors CSF 1	2.4	CJH Principal Teachers	Students will be better prepared to be involved in the creation of their graduation plan.			
3) All students at CJH will take career exploration courses.	Problem Statements	: Student Academic Acl	nievement 1			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  4) Bilingual education, to include associated training, will be implemented and expanded in Grades PreK-5 as a means to transition second language learners.	2.4	Assistant Superintendent BME and CES Principals and Assistant Principals Bilingual Teachers	Bilingual students will be academically successful.			
	Problem Statements	: Demographics 2 - Stud	dent Academic Achievement 1			

Critical Success Factors CSF 1  5) Edgenuity will be provided as a credit recovery opportunity for students who lack sufficient academic credits to graduate	2.4	YHS Principal and Assistant Principal Paraprofessional assigned to the Edgenuity classroom	Students will recover lost credit.			
in four years.	Problem Statement	s: School Processes & F	Programs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  6) Students will be supported in their efforts to take certification	2.4	YHS Principal and Assistant Principal CTE Teachers CTE Director	Students successfully completing certifications will increase by 3% over last year.			
tests.	Problem Statement	s: Student Academic Ac	chievement 2, 3, 4 - School Processes & Programs 1			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1	2.4	Principals Assistant Principals Counselors	Students who are unable to attend classes on campus will be academically successful.			
7) Homebound services will be provide to ill and pregnant students as needed.	Problem Statement	s: Demographics 5 - Stu	ndent Academic Achievement 1, 2, 3, 4			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1  8) A MOU will be developed with Temple College to provide students with ELAR and math classes to develop college readiness.		Assistant Superintendent YHS Principal YHS Assistant Principal Teachers s: School Processes & F	The percentage of students who are college and career ready will increase.  Programs 1, 2, 3, 4, 5			
100% = Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue						

### **Performance Objective 2 Problem Statements:**

#### **Demographics**

**Problem Statement 1**: Economically disadvantaged students lack school readiness skills. **Root Cause 1**: Parents lack the resources to provide literature.

**Problem Statement 2**: The district has not been successful in finding bilingual-certified teachers to serve the bilingual population at every grade level. **Root Cause 2**: The isolated location of the district and the shortage of bilingual teachers across the district makes it difficult to retain bilingual teachers.

**Problem Statement 5**: Economically disadvantaged students and their families need to be connected to various community supports. **Root Cause 5**: Students with mental health issues need service that supports their academic progress.

#### **Student Academic Achievement**

**Problem Statement 1**: Literacy achievement is low. Reading performance at the Meets level is below the state average of 48% at 36%. Writing achievement at the Meets level is below the state average of 38 % at 22%. **Root Cause 1**: Cameron ISD students do not practice reading and writing with the regularity that they should during the school day in order to perform on grade level.

42 of 48

**Problem Statement 2**: The Hispanic, African American, and Economically Disadvantaged subpopulations are performing below the state averages. **Root Cause 2**: The performance data of subpopulations is not being monitored and acted upon throughout the school year.

**Problem Statement 3**: Special education students are performing below state averages. **Root Cause 3**: Special education teaching staff is in need of training on how to assist special educations who are academically below grade level meet the demands of the grade level TEKS.

Problem Statement 4: EL students not in the bilingual program are performing below state averages. Root Cause 4: Teaching staff is in need of training on how to support ELs.

#### **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

Problem Statement 2: Assessment needs to lead to student intervention across the district. Root Cause 2: The PLC and RtI process is not fully developed on all campuses.

Problem Statement 3: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. Root Cause 3: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

Problem Statement 4: Design of local assessments needs to be improved. Root Cause 4: Teachers need a stronger understanding of the demands of the TEKS.

**Problem Statement 5**: A verification that instructional resources align with the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills needs to be completed across the district. **Root Cause 5**: Teachers have not been asked to have their resources approved by the curriculum department.

## Goal 3: Utilize innovative technology to stimulate continuous learning.

**Performance Objective 1:** Technology proficiency will increase among all instructional staff.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 1: Classroom Walkthroughs, student projects

Summative Evaluation 1: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 1. Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	l	rmati eview				
				Dec	Mar	May			
Equity Plan Strategy Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 7  1) Instructional coordinators will guide K-12 teachers toward implementing instruction that incorporates various technologies.	2.5	Assistant Superintendent Campus Principals Campus Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinators Teachers	Teachers will successfully integrate technology into instruction and students will be engaged.						
	Problem Statements	: School Processes & Pr	rograms 1, 3						
Critical Success Factors  CSF 1 CSF 4  2) Students in grades 4 and 5 will have one-to-one Chromebooks available for their use at the campus.	2.5	Principals Assistant Principals Instructional Coordinator Tech Director	Instruction will become more engaging and academic success will increase.						
	Problem Statements	: School Processes & Pr	rograms 3						
= Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue									

### **Performance Objective 1 Problem Statements:**

#### **School Processes & Programs**

**Problem Statement 1**: Teaching and learning expectations need to be established across the district. **Root Cause 1**: Vertical alignment and district-wide expectations have not been implemented.

**Problem Statement 3**: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. **Root Cause 3**: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

Goal 3: Utilize innovative technology to stimulate continuous learning.

**Performance Objective 2:** Student participation in the annual Technology Showcase will increase.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 2: Participation records

Summative Evaluation 2: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 3. Connect high school to career and college. 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact		rmati Leview	
				Dec	Mar	May
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 4	2.5	Campus Principals	Student and family participation will increase. Student engagement will increase.			
1) The Technology Showcase format will continue as a "fair" type of format at the secondary level.	Problem Statements	s: School Processes &	Programs 3			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 4	2.5, 3.2	Principals	Student and family participation will increase. Student engagement will increase.			
2) Students at BME and CES will share their technology projects with their parents in their classrooms on Technology Showcase Night.	Problem Statements	s: School Processes &	Programs 3			
Critical Success Factors CSF 1 CSF 4 CSF 5 CSF 6	2.5, 3.2	Superintendent Principals	Technology integration will improve and increase. Students will be honored for their hard work and expertise.			
3) Selected students will present their projects at a meeting of the Cameron ISD School Board.	Problem Statements	Teachers School Processes &	Programs 3			
10	0% = Accomplishe	d 0% = No Prog	ress = Discontinue			

### **Performance Objective 2 Problem Statements:**

School Processes & Programs
Problem Statement 3: Tier I instruction needs to be more rigorous and engaging across the district. Root Cause 3: Instruction design has not been led by district expectations.

# Goal 4: Foster success while maintaining fiscal responsibility.

**Performance Objective 1:** The annual audit will be free of major discrepancies.

Evaluation Data Source(s) 1: Budget Records, Inventory Records, Annual Audit

**Summative Evaluation 1:** Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 1. Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals. 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	S Monitor Strategy's E	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	Formative Reviews					
				Dec	Mar	May			
1) Monthly reports will be provided to the Board of Trustees related to the expenditure of budgeted funds		Superintendent Business Manager	Fiscal responsibility will be maintained.						
2) The Business Manager will maintain close contact with the auditing firm throughout the school year in order to proactively maintain effective accounting systems.		Superintendent Business Manager	Fiscal responsibility will be maintained.						
= Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue									

Goal 4: Foster success while maintaining fiscal responsibility.

**Performance Objective 2:** Processes will be used to anticipate future expenditures

Evaluation Data Source(s) 2: Annual Audit

Summative Evaluation 2: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 1. Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals. 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ELEMENTS	Monitor Strategy's Ex	Strategy's Expected Result/Impact	l	ive vs				
				Dec	Mar	May			
1) Anticipated capital expenditure plan will be maintained and updated		Superintendent	Fiscal planning will be assured.						
2) Director Reports will be given yearly including personnel, short and long term goals, inventory, and job descriptions.		Superintendent Department Directors	Processes will be monitored and plans for growth/improvement will be based on data.						
100% = Accomplished									

Goal 4: Foster success while maintaining fiscal responsibility.

Performance Objective 3: Cameron ISD will maintain a Superior Financial Integrity Rating

**Evaluation Data Source(s) 3:** FIRST Report

Summative Evaluation 3: Met Performance Objective

**TEA Priorities:** 1. Recruit, support, retain teachers and principals. 4. Improve low-performing schools.

Strategy Description	ription ELEMENTS Monitor Strat		ELEMENTS	LEMENTS Monitor Strategy's Expected Result/In			rmati Review		
				Dec	Mar	May			
1) The district will maintain strong internal controls over financial reporting and compliance for local, state, or federal funds.		Superintendent Business Manager	Fiscal responsibility will be maintained.						
2) Financial reports and data will be submitted to TEA in a timely manner.		Superintendent Business Manager	Fiscal responsibility will be maintained.						
3) The district will maintain cash on hand and current investments in the general fund to sufficiently cover operating expenses.		Superintendent Business Manager	Fiscal responsibility will be maintained.						
4) The district will maintain a ratio of long-term liabilities to total assets that supports long-term solvency.		Superintendent Business Manager	Fiscal responsibility will be maintained.						
5) The superintendent will conduct regular meetings with the business manager in order to proactively collaborate regarding accounting systems.		Superintendent Business Manager	Fiscal responsibility will be maintained.						
100% = Accomplished = No Progress = Discontinue									