Brenham Independent School District Brenham Junior High

2025-2026 Campus Improvement Plan



Mission Statement

Campus Mission

The mission of Brenham Junior High staff is to provide opportunities and skills for all students for a successful and productive life in a global society.

District Mission

In collaboration with our families and community, Brenham Independent School District is committed to an exceptional education for ALL students.

Vision

District Vision

Brenham ISD... A proud community inspiring and encouraging excellence for ALL.

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Comprehensive Needs Assessment

Demographics

Demographics Summary

Brenham Independent School District is the oldest school district in Texas and the largest school district in Washington County—the district as a whole covers 439 square miles. Brenham Junior High is the sole Junior High in Brenham, Texas that serves approximately 765 students in 7th and 8th grade. Brenham Junior High is an AVID-certified campus.

During the 2024-2025 school year, the student body consisted of 36.7% Hispanic students, 20.8% African American students, 38.8% Caucasian students, and 2% Asian students. Of these students, approximately 54.5% are Economically Disadvantaged. The campus is comprised of a student body: 15% Special Education, 12% Emergent Bilingual (ESL), and 8.3% Gifted and Talented. Over 48% of the students at Brenham Junior High are identified as at-risk students, with an 8.1% mobility rate.

School Staff Summary

- 1 Principal
- 2 Assistant Principals
- 2 Counselors
- 1 504 / Testing / MTSS Campus Coordinator
- 1 Registered Nurse
- 2 Certified Behavioral Support Teachers
- 1 Academic Coordinators as Part-Time Support Staff (Secondary Math)
- Over 50 Certified Instructors
- Over 10 Paraprofessionals
- Brenham Junior High's Leadership Team is comprised of the Principals, Testing Coordinators, and Counselors
- At Brenham Junior High, we provide job-embedded professional learning opportunities in order to enhance professional growth. All teachers who are new to the profession are provided with a mentor who meets with them to problem-solve and provide support. In addition, all teachers receive support through their Professional Learning Community as they plan and create lessons and assessments.

Goals

Goal 1: Utilize coordinated curriculum that is implemented through effective instructional practices and increase student achievement through innovative, engaging learning experiences and effective instructional practices that address the needs of all students.

Performance Objective 1: Increase the percentage of PK students who score On Track on Circle Rapid Letter Naming in English from 27% (BOY) to 85% by May 2026, and increase the percentage of students who score On Track on Circle Rapid Vocabulary from 35% to 85% by May 2026. Evaluation Data Sources: CLI Circle Data

HB3 Goal

Evaluation Data Sources: CLI Circle Data

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews					
Strategy 1: Implement the Professional Learning Community (PLC) Cluster Cycles to strengthen Tier 1 instruction by embedding the	Formative		Formative			Formative	
Steps to Effective Learning into every PLC agenda. PLCs will: (1) identify student learning needs using evidence of student work and assessments; (2) obtain new instructional strategies aligned to standards; (3) develop expertise through modeling, practice, and peer coaching; (4) apply strategies in classrooms with monitoring and feedback; and (5) evaluate student work and results to determine next instructional steps.	Jan	Mar	June				
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teacher lesson plans and classroom observations reflect explicit instruction in letter naming and vocabulary. Increased teacher confidence and fidelity in using high-leverage literacy routines.							
Students show steady growth on Circle Letter Naming and Vocabulary assessments across the year. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Elementary Coordinator ECLC Campus Principal							
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discon	tinue	,	•				

Performance Objective 2: Increased proficiency in K-2 students' early literacy skills and/or reading proficiency. Kinder - at 2026 BOY, 38% were at or above GL; goal for 2026 EOY = 60%. Grade 1 - in Kinder, 74% were at or above GL at 2025 EOY; goal for 2026 EOY = 85%. Grade 2 - in Grade 1, 61% were at or above GL at 2025 EOY; goal for 2026 EOY = 75%.

HB3 Goal

Evaluation Data Sources: MCLASS

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 1: Across all classrooms, all BISD students will engage daily with TEKS-aligned, high-quality instructional materials (HQIM),	Form	Formative	
and assessments that support learning at appropriate levels of rigor. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Foundational reading skills in K-2 will improve, early literacy gaps will close more quickly,	Jan	Mar	June
and more students will meet or exceed grade-level expectations by the end of each year.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer, District Instructional Coordinators, Campus Principals, Campus Instructional Coaches			
Funding Sources: - 211 Title I, Part A, - 255 Title II, Part A, TPTR, - 199 General Fund			
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 2: Implement required components of HB3 as it relates to foundational reading practices specifically concise, direct, explicit,	Formative		Summative
and systematic phonics instruction with ample opportunities to practice and cumulative review through using the high quality instructional materials HMH.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: The anticipated result is an increased percentage of PK-2 students performing at/above grade level expectation in measurements of reading achievement.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer Elementary Curriculum Coordinator			
Elementary Campus Principals Instructional Coaches			
Reading Intervention Teachers			
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund - IMA Fund, - 211 Title I, Part A, - 255 Title II, Part A, TPTR			

Strategy 3 Details		Reviews		
Strategy 3: Implement the Professional Learning Community (PLC) Cluster Cycles to strengthen Tier 1 instruction by embedding the	Forn	native	Summative	
Steps to Effective Learning into every PLC agenda. PLCs will: (1) identify student learning needs using evidence of student work and assessments; (2) obtain new instructional strategies aligned to standards; (3) develop expertise through modeling, practice, and peer coaching; (4) apply strategies in classrooms with monitoring and feedback; and (5) evaluate student work and results to determine next instructional steps.	Jan	Mar	June	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students will demonstrate measurable growth from BOY to EOY on TEKS Ready, District Progress Measures and STAAR.				
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer District Instructional Coordinators Campus Principals Instructional Coaches Grade-Level Department Team Leaders				
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund, - 211 Title I, Part A, - 255 Title II, Part A, TPTR				
Strategy 4 Details		Reviews		
Strategy 4: Establish & implement a districtwide observation and feedback cycle focused on improving Tier 1 instruction by providing teachers with frequent, targeted coaching aligned to T-TESS dimensions, student work analysis, and lesson planning with high-quality			Summative	
instructional materials (HQIM).	Jan	Mar	June	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Consistent, high-quality instructional delivery across all classrooms will lead to increased student engagement, improved alignment to TEKS, and more effective use of instructional time.				
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Monitoring Chief Academic Officer, District Instructional Coordinators, Campus Principals				
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund, - 211 Title I, Part A, - 255 Title II, Part A, TPTR				
Strategy 5 Details		Reviews		
Strategy 5: Collaborate with the Literacy Committee to write and implement the Brenham ISD Literacy Framework, grounded in	Forn	native	Summative	
Research-Based Instructional Strategies (RBIS) to strengthen Tier 1 literacy instruction . Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: District and Campus Leaders and Teachers will have clear guidance for delivering	Jan	Mar	June	
foundational skills, language development, comprehension, and writing within Tier 1 instruction, leading to stronger instructional alignment, more effective interventions, and measurable improvement in student outcomes				
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer Elementary Curriculum Coordinator District Instructional Specialist				
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund				

Strategy 6 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 6: Implement Districtwide reading program, Really Great Reading, in grades K-2 for targeted instruction for students	Form	native	Summative
determined to be at risk for dyslexia.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: More students will read on grade level following intervention.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Reading Specialists			
Special Services Coordinator			
Director of Special Services			
Funding Sources: - 199-PIC 37 Dyslexia			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Disco	ontinue		

Performance Objective 3: Brenham ISD will increase the number of students performing at Meets level according to the Texas Accountability System by June of 2026. In Math, for meets, moving from 43% to 60%; In RLA, for meets, moving from 46% to 60%; In Science, for meets, moving from 45% to 60%; In Social Studies, for meets, moving from 47% to 60%.

High Priority

Evaluation Data Sources: On Data Suite

Eduphoria TAPR

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews		
Strategy 1: Across all classrooms, all BISD students will engage daily with TEKS-aligned, high-quality instructional materials (HQIM),	Form	Formative		
and assessments that support learning at appropriate levels of rigor. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase % students performing at or above grade level standard in reading & math (as measured by STAAR assessment) Increase % of graduates who meet TEA's definition of CCMR ready Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer Curriculum Coordinators	Jan	Mar	June	
Strategy 2 Details	Reviews			
Strategy 2: Implement the Professional Learning Community (PLC) Cluster Cycle to strengthen Tier 1 instruction by embedding the	Forma	Formative Sun		Summative
Steps to Effective Learning into every PLC agenda. PLCs will: (1) identify student learning needs using evidence of student work and assessments; (2) obtain new learning on high -impact instructional strategies aligned to curriculum standards; (3) develop expertise	Jan	Mar	June	
through modeling, practice, and peer coaching; (4) apply strategies in classrooms with monitoring and feedback; and (5) evaluate student work and results to determine next instructional steps. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: PLC Framework will lead to improved instructional practices, enhanced collaboration among teachers, and increased professional growth. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer Curriculum Coordinators				
Campus Principals				

Strategy 3 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 3: Establish campus and district data monitoring systems that prioritize closing achievement gaps for TEA-reported student	For	mative	Summative
populations by monitoring student progress toward Meets, providing timely interventions, and ensuring access to high-quality instruction using high quality resources.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased student performance for lowest performing student populations.			
Strategy 4 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 4: Establish & implement a districtwide observation and feedback cycle focused on improving Tier 1 instruction by providing	For	mative	Summative
teachers with frequent, targeted coaching aligned to T-TESS dimensions, student work analysis, and lesson planning with high-quality instructional materials (HQIM).	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Consistent, high-quality instructional delivery across all classrooms will lead to increased student engagement, improved alignment to TEKS, and more effective use of instructional time.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer, District Instructional Coordinators, Campus Principals			
Strategy 5 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 5: Increase the effectiveness of the mentorship program where experienced teachers are paired with novice teachers. Mentors	For	Formative	
will provide guidance, model effective practices, and offer feedback on classroom management and instructional strategies. Regular check-ins and collaborative planning sessions are scheduled to support ongoing development.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: increased teacher retention, Novice teachers will demonstrate improved classroom management, higher-quality instructional delivery.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Cheif Academic Officer Campus Principals			
Strategy 6 Details		Reviews	'
Strategy 6: Create a District PLC in core content area once a 9 weeks that includes aDDI Meeting in which teachers examine student	For	mative	Summative
work/quick checks, name the gap, and plan the reteach in order to ensure all students attain mastery of the lesson objective. Quick checks and DPM assessments will be analyzed to adjust instruction and interventions for students making limited progress and, when needed, MTSS plans will be developed and implemented.	Jan	Mar	June
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Performance Objective 4: Brenham ISD will increase the number of students scoring a 5 or higher in writing in extended constructed responses in all grades as measured on the Texas Accountability System from 37% to 50%.

Evaluation Data Sources: 2026 STAAR ELAR Assessment District Progress Measures BOY-MOY-EOY

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews			
Strategy 1: Engage in consistent review, calibrating and scoring of student writing, including ECRs, using the state rubric after DPMS,	Formative		Formative		Summative
class assignments, benchmark assessments and previous year STAAR results.	Jan	Mar	June		
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews			
trategy 2: District wide focus of integrating nonfiction writing across all content areas. Students will engage in daily writing tasks that		Formative		native Summative	
build critical thinking through writing in ways that require processing, evaluating, and applying knowledge across all content areas	Jan	Mar	June		
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: An increase in the percentage of students scoring a 5 or higher on writing assessments, with improved clarity, organization, and use of academic language in student writing across all grade levels and subject areas.					
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer, Campus Principals, Instructional Coaches, PLC Facilitators					
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discont	tinue				

Performance Objective 5: By May 2026, Brenham ISD will maintain a four-year graduation rate at or above 95%.

Evaluation Data Sources: TAPR

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 1: Brenham Junior High and Brenham High School will remain certified and accredited by AVID (Advancement Via Individual	Forn	native	Summative
Determination) in grades 7 through 12 as an elective class.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase the number of students who are college and career ready.		1,14,1	
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: AVID Campus Coordinators			
Funding Sources: - 199-PIC 38 College, Career, and Military			
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 2: BHS Counselors will meet with every student about their endorsement and ensure that course requests match students'	Forn	native	Summative
Program of Study.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students will follow a coherent sequence of courses to earn Industry Based Certifications to prepare them to enter the workforce, college, or the military.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Lead Counselor High School Principal			
Strategy 3 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 3: Investigate, develop, and implement relevant CTE programs of study and certifications by collaborating with Secondary	Forn	native	Summative
Leadership Team to review TEA Program of Study related to Accountability 2026 expectations to ensure programs of study and certifications meet expectations.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase the percent of students who graduate Brenham High School College, Career or Military Ready			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer Brenham High School Principal			
Brenham Junior High School Principal CTE Coordinator			
No Progress Accomplished Continue/Modify X Discont	inue		

Performance Objective 6: By May 2026, Brenham ISD will increase the percentage of graduates meeting College, Career, and Military Readiness (CCMR) indicators from 69% (2025 Seniors) to 79% (+10 points) (2026 Seniors) through targeted TSI preparation, teaching to the level of rigor for the dual credit/AP courses, and increased IBC attainment.

HB3 Goal

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 1: Strengthen counselor and advisory systems so that every student has an individualized graduation plan that includes a clear	Form	native	Summative
CCMR pathway (TSI readiness, advanced academics, or IBCs)	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase of graduates with post-secondary readiness.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer			
District Lead Counselor			
BHS and BJH Principal and Counselors CCMR Coodinator			
CCIVIK Coodinator			
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews	L
Strategy 2: Implement TSI prep courses, boot camps, and embedded interventions during the school day or Saturday School for juniors	Formative		Summative
and seniors not yet meeting benchmarks.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase graduates post secondary readiness			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer			
District Counselor			
Principals and Counselors CCMR Coordinator			
CCIVIR Coordinator			
Strategy 3 Details	Reviews		•
Strategy 3: Increase college and career readiness by providing targeted TSI preparation, aligning instruction to the rigor of dual credit and	Form	native	Summative
AP courses, promoting participation in pre-collegiate exams, and guiding students and families through FAFSA, scholarship, and college application processes.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased number of students taking pre-collegiate exams, and increased number of students receiving financial assistance in the college enrollment process.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Testing Coordinators, AVID Elective Teachers			
Funding Sources: - 199-PIC 38 College, Career, and Military			

Strategy 4 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 4: Secondary CCMR Leadership team meets regularly to review CCMR data tracker to monitor student progress on indicators	Formative		Summative
and make recommendations on how to move forward with each individual student.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase the % of students who graduate from Brenham High School College Career, Military		1,141	+ June
Ready.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer			
Brenham High School Principal			
District Lead Counselor			
District CTE Coordinator			
Brenham High School CCMR Coordinator			
No Progress Accomplished Continue/Modify X Discontinue/Modify	inue		

Performance Objective 7: By June 2026, Brenham ISD will increase TELPAS composite growth from 48% to 58% and raise the EB reclassification rate from 6.9% to 10% through intentional instructional support and progress monitoring systems.

Evaluation Data Sources: LPAC progress monitoring meetings

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 1: Provide targeted staff development to secondary teachers to incorporate sheltered instruction strategies, such as scaffolding,	Forn	Formative	
explicit vocabulary instruction, and visual aids, into daily lesson plans to make academic content comprehensible while promoting language development.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase the percentage of secondary emergent bilingual students progressing by at least one composite level on TELPAS from 23% to 33%. Improved teacher effectiveness in delivering content using sheltered instruction and language acquisition strategies Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Bilingual Coordinator High School Principal Junior High Principal			
Strategy 2 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 2: Utilize SummitK12 to elevate EB students' language development and academic performance.	Formative St		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improved academic performance on state assessments and course completion.	Jan	Mar	June
Increase in student reading proficiency levels by the end of the year Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Bilingual/ESL Coordinator			
Strategy 3 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 3: Provide targeted professional development for teachers of EB students focused on language-rich instruction, content-based	Forr	native	Summative
language development, and TELPAS calibration.	Jan	Mar	June
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discon	tinue	1	

Performance Objective 8: By June 2026, Brenham ISD will increase STAAR Academic Growth in RLA from 41% to 50% and in Math from 48% to 55% for special education students by addressing systemic gaps in instructional alignment, intervention delivery, and program implementation to ensure consistent progress monitoring, differentiated instruction, and integrated classroom supports.

Evaluation Data Sources: STAAR Academic Growth Measures

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 1: Across all special education classrooms and settings, all special education students will engage daily with TEKS-aligned,	Formative		Summative
high-quality instructional materials (HQIM), and assessments that support learning at appropriate levels of rigor Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Students will demonstrate measurable growth from BOY to EOY on TEKS Ready, District Progress Measures and STAAR	Jan	Mar	June
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Special Services Director			
Curriculum Coordinators			
Results Driven Accountability			
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 2: Establish campus and district data monitoring systems that prioritize closing achievement gaps for special education students.	Formative Sur		Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase student academic growth.	Jan	Mar	June
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Special Services Director Special Services Coordinator Campus Administrators Curriculum Coordinator			
Results Driven Accountability			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discon	tinue	•	

Performance Objective 1: Brenham ISD will increase our attendance rate to an Average Daily Attendance Rate from 94.29% in the 2024-2025 school year to 95% for the 2025-2026 school year.

High Priority

Evaluation Data Sources: 6 Weeks Data Reports by campus and district

Growth measurements to prior years (ODS)

6 Weeks FTE Reports

TEA tracking reports: District - Campus Data Entry Summary Reports

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 1: At each campus, the PEIMS attendance staff member(s) will implement consistent coding and verification systems for	Form	Formative	
accurate attendance posting that includes: verification of enrollment, pre-coding for all school related absences, pre-coding for assigned out of placement discipline, pre-coding and updating homebound attendance rosters, and updating parent and doctor's notes daily. Attendance data collection will be validated and documented daily with the Brenham ISD Campus PEIMS Data - Official Attendance Daily Work Folder Checklist. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Limit attendance posting errors that result in the loss of FSP. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: PEIMS Coordinator, PEIMS Support Specialist, PEIMS campus attendance personnel Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund	Jan	Mar	June
	Reviews		
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews	L
Strategy 2: Utilize the use of Parent Square to notify parents of student absences at 9:00 am for the pre-attendance message and at 10:00	Form		Summative
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Strategy 2: Utilize the use of Parent Square to notify parents of student absences at 9:00 am for the pre-attendance message and at 10:00 am for the official attendance absent message, and to notify parents of needed notes and allow parents to submit those through the		ative	
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Strategy 2: Utilize the use of Parent Square to notify parents of student absences at 9:00 am for the pre-attendance message and at 10:00 am for the official attendance absent message, and to notify parents of needed notes and allow parents to submit those through the platform. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Reduction in the number of absences and unexcused absences		ative	

Strategy 3 Details		Reviews	
tegy 3: At each campus, Principals and Assistant Principals will receive weekly attendance reports provided by the PEIMS		Formative	
attendance staff member(s) to closely monitor attendance posting discrepancies for assigned discipline out of placements and potential truant candidates.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Reduction in the number of chronically absent students			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus administration and campus PEIMS attendance personnel			
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund			
Strategy 4 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 4: In order to clearly communicate with parents and the community about Brenham ISD's attendance procedures, local	Fori	native	Summative
expectations, and state law, the following communication sources will be consistently updated and accessible: Parent Square, district newsletters, Brenham ISD's Attendance Manual, and the updated "Attendance" hub on BISD's website.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Through understanding of processes and expectations, we will see a reduction in the number			
of absences and unexcused absence			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: PEIMS Coordinator and Communication Department			
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund			
Strategy 5 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 5: Continue to allocate district Title I Funds to identify and serve homeless students at every campus. Focus of funds include	Fori	native	Summative
ensuring increasing levels of academic progress, attendance rates, and graduation rates for homeless students.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Attendance rates for students identified as homeless will increase by 1%.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Administrators McKinnay Venta Ligican			
McKinney Vento Liaison Chief of Staff			
Funding Sources: Supplies, resources, and travel for Homeless students - 211 Title I, Part A			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discon	tinue	•	•

Performance Objective 2: By May 2026, Brenham ISD will implement a Multi-Tiered System of Support (MTSS) across 100% of campuses, ensuring that each campus meets at least 80% of established MTSS fidelity benchmarks as measured by district monitoring tools, intervention documentation, and progress monitoring data.

Evaluation Data Sources: Branching Minds campus reports (K-4) Branching Minds professional development Branching Minds Infrastructure Workshop (K-12) Campus Student Support Teams (SST) District Student Support Team Enriching Students data reports

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 1: Support and monitor the implementation of Effective Behavior Interventions and Supports (EBIS) at the schoolwide,	Formative S		ive Summative
classroom, and individual student levels. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: School-wide processes and procedures Professional learning Decrease in out-of-placement and office referrals Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Assistant Principals Campus Principal Chief of Staff Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund, - 199-PIC 23 State Special Education (SpEd)	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy 2 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 2: Support campuses in evaluating the implementation and success of interventions by monitoring individual student plans and	Form	ative	Summative
the overall fidelity of interventions on campus. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Use Branching Minds to identify students, create intervention plans, progress monitor, and evaluate intervention plans (K-4). Branching Minds intervention usage indicates recommended research-based interventions and supports. Monitor the movement of student supports (tier 1, tier 2, & tier 3).	Jan	Mar	June
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Special Services Coordinator Campus SST Campus Principal Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund, - 199-PIC 23 State Special Education (SpEd)			

Strategy 3 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 3: Establish a districtwide system for intentional integration of IXL, aligning skill practice to key standards assessed on District	Formative		Summative
Progress Measures, STAAR, and EOC.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: 80% of students will demonstrate a 10% increase in mastery of targeted skills. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Principal, Special Services Coordinator Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discon	tinue		

Performance Objective 3: By June 2026, Brenham ISD will reduce out-of-school suspensions by 20% and decrease discretionary discipline referrals students by 15%, through implementation of responsive behavior supports, and consistent positive behavior interventions and supports across all campuses.

High Priority

Evaluation Data Sources: Success-ed Student Intervention Plans

MTSS Data Branching Minds 504 Service Plans

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews			
Strategy 1: Implement and reinforce a campus-wide EBIS framework with clearly defined behavior expectations that are explicitly	Form	native	Summative	
taught, modeled, and positively reinforced through consistent routines, visuals, and incentives at all grade levels. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Reduced number of MTSS behavior referrals/sped behavior referrals/ and 504 behavior referrals Increased teacher skills in classroom behavior management Build teacher Classroom management skills Build teacher behavioral intervention skills Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief of Staff EBIS Campus Teams Behavior Coordinators Special Services Coordinator Academic Coordinators Lifeskills Lead	Jan	Mar	June	
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews		
Strategy 2: Use data-driven behavior tracking systems (On Data Suites) to monitor discipline trends and guide campus behavior teams in	Form	native	Summative	
providing tiered interventions, reteaching opportunities, and supports for students. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improved campus behavior system systems and support Improved knowledge and understanding of how to better support teachers on management of student behaviors Decrease in student behavior referrals Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief of Staff Director of Special Programs Coordinator of Special Programs Behavior Coordinators Campus Principals	Jan	Mar	June	

Strategy 3 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 3: Provide districtwide professional development for special education and general education teachers on the process of MTSS behavior and special education behavior interventions.		ormative Mar	Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Reduced number of discipline referrals Reduced number of MTSS behavior referrals/sped behavior referrals/ and 504 behavior referrals Increased teacher skills in classroom behavior management Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Behavior Coordinator Campus MTSS Team	Jan	Jan Mar	
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discontinue	tinue	1	1

Performance Objective 4: Increase the number of opportunities to strengthen parent and family engagement in Title I schools by 20% through the implementation of ESSA-compliant activities such as annual Title I meetings, accessible parent workshops, and collaborative development of school-parent compacts.

Evaluation Data Sources: As evidenced by sign in sheets, parental and family engagement at each of the Title I campuses will increase.

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 1: Maintain and regularly update both district and campus-level activity calendars to ensure transparency, alignment, and	Formative		Summative
accessibility.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased Parent & Community Participation Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Communications and Community Engagement Department			
No Progress Accomplished — Continue/Modify X Discon	tinue		

Performance Objective 5: BISD will recruit, support, and retain high quality CTE Teachers

Strategy

For teachers of specialized areas in CTE, provide ongoing professional learning and

training opportunities for career growth, specifically tailored to the needs, interest and expertise of teachers including methods such as workshops, conferences, masterclasses, opportunities for collaboration with other professionals in the field and opportunities to lead initiatives or projects. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Teacher retention and development

Staff Responsible for Monitoring:

CTE Coordinator, Principal, Executive Director of Leading and Learning

Evaluation Data Sources: Data can be collected by the retention rate of CTE teachers employed by the district.

Strategy 1 Details			Reviews	
Strategy 1: For teachers of specialized areas in CTE, provide ongoing professional learning and		Form	ative	Summative
training opportunities for career growth, specifically tailored to the needs, interest and expertise of teachers including methods such a workshops, conferences, masterclasses, opportunities for collaboration with other professionals in the field and opportunities to lead		Jan	Mar	June
initiatives or projects.				
No Progress Accomplished Continue/Modify	Discontinue	e)		

Performance Objective 6: BSD will connect high school to career and college.

Evaluation Data Sources: Data source will be pulled from Ascender and On Data Suites to cross-reference and confirm earned IBCs by students at Brenham High School

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews	
trategy 1: CAREER-Readiness: Refine and expand CTE course offerings and work-based learning opportunities by evaluating current	Formative		Summative
programs/pathways and providing supplemental resources and equipment that align with industry standards and credentialing opportunities.		Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Expanded career opportunities for students and improved career-readiness achievement and CCMR outcomes, increase the number of IBC earned from 222 in the 2024-2025 school year to 250 IBCs earned for the 2025-2026 school year. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer, CTE Coordinator			
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Goal 3: Provide a safe & secure environment at all BISD facilities

Performance Objective 1: By June 2026, the district will implement 100% of the safety standards and emergency preparedness requirements outlined by the Texas School Safety Center and Senate Bill 11, including facility audits, emergency drills, and threat assessment protocols.

Evaluation Data Sources: Target is implementation of recommendations, training records, and safety procedures.

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 1: Continue to review, coordinate, and implement district safety plans and improvements.	For	Formative	
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Detailed plans for the continuation of a safe and secure climate and environment at all district facilities. Strong partnership and frequent communication between BISD staff and the Brenham Police Department and all First Responders.	Jan	Mar	June
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Safety Coordinator			
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund			
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 2: Continue to employ School Resource Officers.	For	mative	Summative
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increased student safety and an increased perception of school safety and emergency preparedness.	Jan	Mar	June
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Superintendent Chief of Staff			
Safety Coordinator			
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund			
Strategy 3 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 3: Provide and promote opportunities for students, parents, and staff to report incidents of bullying or perceived threats to	For	mative	Summative
safety, including a way to do so anonymously. Continue annual training requirements for all BISD staff to be aware of David's Law and anti-bullying strategies.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Reductions of bullying and increased perception of safety by students.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Safety Coordinator			
Principals A solida at Principals			
Assistant Principals			
Funding Sources: - 199 General Fund			

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Goal 3: Provide a safe & secure environment at all BISD facilities

Performance Objective 2: Increase parent and family engagement within the school community by 10% through the effective use of the ParentSquare app, ensuring that at least 88% of parents and families actively engage with school alerts, messages, and updates by the end of the 2024-25 academic year, as measured by app analytics and feedback surveys.

Evaluation Data Sources: ParentSquare Analytics:

Including:

- -Current percentage of staff, students, parents, and community members using ParentSquare.
- -Number of staff members who have completed training on using ParentSquare effectively.

Current level of community engagement and participation in school events and activities promoted through ParentSquare.

Current usage rate of interactive features (e.g., surveys, event RSVPs, and feedback forms) on ParentSquare.

Strategy 1 Details		Reviews		
Strategy 1: Through extensive review of ParentSquare Analytics, and providing multiple professional development opportunities, and parent outreach nights, we will increase our district use of ParentSquare. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase the usage of interactive features by 10% within the next academic year. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief of Communications		native	Summative	
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Goal 3: Provide a safe & secure environment at all BISD facilities Performance Objective 3: By June 2026, reduce confirmed incidents of bullying across the district by 10% from the 2024-2025 baseline, using PEIMS discipline data.

Goal 3: Provide a safe & secure environment at all BISD facilities			
Performance Objective 4: By June 2026, ensure 100% of staff receive	annual training on bullying identification, rep	porting, and response procedures.	
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Goal 4: Cultivate a positive district-wide culture that promotes high - expectations, well-being, engagement, and success of students and staff.

Performance Objective 1: Brenham ISD will increase the recruitment, support, and retention of high-quality, certified teachers by implementing targeted strategies that improve hiring practices, enhance professional development, and foster a positive work environment--resulting in a 10% reduction in teacher turnover.

Evaluation Data Sources: Culture and Climate Survey to solicit feedback from teachers, school leaders, and the community to guide improvements and communicate successes.

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 1: Strengthen the New Teacher Academy Mentorship Program program for new hires, pairing them with experienced teachers	Formative		Summative
who can provide guidance, classroom management tips, and instructional support during their first year. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Reduce the turnover rate among new hires by providing them with the support needed to navigate the challenges of the first years in the classroom. Improve new teacher skills and confidence, and create a more supportive and collaborative school culture. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief of Staff Chief Academic Officer Chief of Communications District Coordinators Campus Principals	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy 2 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 2: Bilingual Coordinator, Instructional Coaches and Mentor Teachers will provide targeted mentorship and professional	Formative Su		Summative
development opportunities for teachers pursuing bilingual education certification, ensuring they receive ongoing support, guidance, and access to resources that enhance their skills in bilingual instruction. Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: improved instructional effectiveness in bilingual classrooms increase teacher retention by fostering professional growth, job satisfaction, and opportunities for career advancement. Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Coordinator for Bilingual Chief of Staff Campus Principals	Jan	Mar	June

Strategy 3 Details		Reviews	
Strategy 3: Provide on-going leadership development training opportunities aimed at building and sustaining a purposeful school	Formative		Summative
community with a focus on how to enhance collaboration, foster a shared vision, and promote a culture of continuous improvement and student success.		Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Increase in teacher retention, student success, teacher growth, and overall community engagement.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer Chief of Staff			
District Coordinators			
Strategy 4 Details		Reviews	•
Strategy 4: Brenham ISD will implement the Teacher Incentive Allotment (TIA) Program, as approved by TEA. In October 2026, BISD will submit the 2025-2026 TIA Data Collection evidencing correlation between T-TESS ratings and student growth outcomes to meet TIA system. As a result, by May 2027, TEA will approve pay BISD proposed.		Formative Summative	
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will submit the 2025-2026 TIA Data Collection evidencing correlation between T-TESS ratings and student growth outcomes to meet TIA system standards for a valid and reliable district TIA system. As a result, by May 2027, TEA will approve new BISD-proposed designations for 2025-2026 cohort teachers. Continue to explore program expansion to additional teacher groups.	Jan		

Goal 4: Cultivate a positive district-wide culture that promotes high - expectations, well-being, engagement, and success of students and staff.

Performance Objective 2: Every teacher will demonstrate measurable growth on the T-TESS evaluation, with each teacher improving by at least one level (Distinguished, Accomplished, Proficient, Developing) in one or more T-TESS domains (Planning, Instruction, Learning Environment, or Professional Practices and Responsibilities).

Evaluation Data Sources: T-TESS Evaluation Data

Frontline

Appraiser notes from walk-throughs, post-observation conferences to capture qualitative evidence

Strategy 1 Details	Reviews		
Strategy 1: Provide professional learning for all evaluators to enhance their skills in conducting frequent and consistent classroom observations, identifying targeted action steps for teacher growth, delivering actionable feedback, and ensuring follow-up support to improve teacher effectiveness and student achievement.		Formative	
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Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: As a result of more effective evaluations, feedback, and support, teachers will enhance their instructional practices, which should lead to increased student learning and growth. This also is a retention strategy because teachers stay when they are supported. The goal is to support teachers through feedback to improve the overall quality of teaching, which will contribute to better student performance, learning outcomes and teacher retention.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief of Staff Chief Academic Officer			
Strategy 2 Details	Reviews		•
Strategy 2: The Instructional Leadership Team analyzes T-TESS walk-through and evaluation data to identify performance trends, then	Forn	Formative Sumn	
allocates targeted time in Professional Learning Communities (PLCs) for teachers to collaboratively discuss instructional strategies, share best practices, and address classroom challenges aligned with T-TESS domains.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Improve teachers' ability to demonstrate growth in specific T-TESS domains and dimensions			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer			
District Coordinators			
Campus Principals Instructional Coaches			
Strategy 3 Details	Reviews		•
Strategy 3: Provide targeted support for teachers to achieve individual growth in their T-TESS instructional goals by utilizing K-6		Formative Sum	
instructional coaches and junior high and high school department chairs and PLC Facilitators.	Jan	Mar	June
Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: Enhanced teacher understanding and application of the T-TESS rubric. Improved instructional practices leading to better student learning outcomes.			
Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Campus Principals District Coordinators and Campus Instructional Coaches		1	

Strategy 4 Details		Reviews		
Strategy 4: Monitor and implement T-TESS calibration and congruence system (Domains 2-Instruction & 3-Learning Environment) for CAO, Principals, and Assistant Principals Strategy's Expected Result/Impact: :Increased efficiency and inter-rater reliability of T-TESS appraisers; teachers receive evidence-based feedback based on reliable and meaningful observation that improves instructional quality and student performance Staff Responsible for Monitoring: Chief Academic Officer, Chief of Staff		native	Summative	
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Goal 4: Cultivate a positive district-wide culture that promotes high - expectations, well-being, engagement, and success of students and staff.

Performance Objective 3: By May 2026, Brenham ISD will increase staff participation in professional learning by ensuring that at least 95% of teachers and instructional staff actively engage in Professional Learning Communities (PLCs), district coaching cycles, or professional development sessions, as measured by sign-in records, coaching logs, and PLC agendas/minutes.

Goal 5: Foster meaningful and intentional community partnerships with local businesses, community organizations, and higher education agencies to enhance student success and strengthen ties between the district, families, and the broader community.

Performance Objective 1: Increase participation in Brenham ISD Adult Ambassador Program by the end of the 2025-2026 school year, with the goal of recruiting at least 20 community members to participate in a minimum series of five workshops and school visits, providing them with an in-depth understanding of district operations, educational initiatives, and opportunities for community involvement.

Goal 6: Ensure fiscal responsibility and accountability by optimizing the use of resources, maintaining transparency, and aligning the budget with district priorities to support student success.

Performance Objective 1: Collaborate with the HR and PEIMS departments to ensure the accuracy of financial coding and data reporting, optimizing funding allocation for student programs and maximizing state and federal funding opportunities for the 2025-2026 school year.

Goal 6: Ensure fiscal responsibility and accountability by optimizing the use of resources, maintaining transparency, and aligning the budget with district priorities to support student success.

Performance Objective 2: Increase the transparency of the district's financial reports by providing detailed monthly budget updates at school board meetings throughout the 2025-2026 school year, ensuring community stakeholders have clear and accessible insight into how funds are allocated and used to support student success.

Policies, Procedures, and Requirements

The following policies, procedures, and requirements are addressed in the District Improvement Plan. District addressed Policies, Procedures, and Requirements will print with the Improvement Plan:

Title	Person Responsible	Review Date	Addressed By	Addressed On
Bullying Prevention	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Child Abuse and Neglect	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Coordinated Health Program	Ali Seilheimer	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Decision-Making and Planning Policy Evaluation	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Disciplinary Alternative Education Program (DAEP)	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Dropout Prevention	Jennifer Griffin	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Dyslexia Treatment Program	Kelly Fontenot	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Pregnancy Related Services	Deborah Saunders	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Post-Secondary Preparedness	Sara Borchgardt	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Recruiting Teachers and Paraprofessionals	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Student Welfare: Crisis Intervention Programs and Training	Joseph Merkley	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Student Welfare: Discipline/Conflict/Violence Management	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Texas Behavior Support Initiative (TBSI)	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Technology Integration	Brittni Kalich	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025
Job Description for Peace Officers, Resource Officers & Security Personnel	Christine Johnson	10/20/2025	Mary Gold	10/15/2025