

BUSD Literacy Update: December, 2015 Accomplishments

Literacy Coaches staffed at all K-8 sites

Literacy Coaching Implementation:

- Continued training of all pre K-8 teachers and administrators in Common Core Standards in literacy as quality core instruction
- Model classroom TCRWP training for new teachers in K-5 classrooms twice a year
- Implementation of Common Core scope and sequences for K-8.
- Training of new Common Core aligned *TCRWP Units of Study* for K-5 literacy
- Quarterly Middle School Scope and Sequence- developed in collaboration with 6-8 teachers,
- Weekly meetings for TK-5 and 6-8 Literacy Coaches
- Ongoing teacher coaching during literacy lessons in classrooms
- Ongoing 1:1 coaching of teachers during and after the school day

Assessment:

- Trimester Middle School assessments using Accelerated Reader to determine reading levels
- Continued trimester assessment in elementary reading, writing and spelling using TCRWP assessments
- Levelled Literacy Intervention assessment- for Tier 2 student groups
- Formative and Summative Middle School writing assessments:
 - Literary Analysis
 - Argument
- Middle School Collaborative Scoring Days for Summative Assessments
Elementary School Collaborative Scoring Sessions during Wednesday collaboration

Intervention Services:

- **TK-5:** Levelled Literacy Intervention (LLI), Reading Recovery, Early Literacy Groups, *Language Lab targeted instruction, Pilot- Wilson Reading for students with IEPs, BUILD Tutors, *Quick Read Labs
- **6-8:** Read 180, System 44, Leveled Literacy Intervention

Teacher Professional Development

- Continued implementation and ongoing training of TK-5 and special education teachers in *TCRWP*, *Leveled Literacy Intervention* programs
- LLI Training for Middle School Literacy Coaches
- Continued implementation and bi-yearly training of select primary teachers in *Reading Recovery*

- Ongoing TCRWP training at Elementary Professional Development days
- Ongoing Secondary ELA Professional Development at Middle School Professional Development Day
- Professional Development during regular Wednesday staff collaboration
- Elementary Model Classroom full day sessions for new teachers- 2x yr.

Professional Development for Literacy Coaches

- Participation in District Pre-K-8 Professional Learning Community Trainings
- Weekly Literacy Coach meetings- TK-5 and 6-8
- Attendance at Columbia during summer 2015 sessions (6 TK-5 coaches)
- Attendance at TCRWP One Day Conference - San Francisco for 8 elementary coaches and 6 K-5 Model Classroom Teachers

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