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SYSYEM TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE REVIEW REPORT

Baker County Schools

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1870 Twin Towers East Atlanta, Georgia 30334 404-656-3963 The Division for Special Education Services continuously reviews statewide data for systems that have previously been selected for Focused Monitoring. As a state, there have been some positive changes in performance for students with disabilities, however, if statewide data indicates there are systems that have shown little to no improvement in the performance of students with disabilities in the priority indicator originally selected for monitoring, additional support will be provided. The Division has developed a process of monitoring to incorporate additional support and technical assistance to systems that continue to perform in the lower quartile and continue to show an opportunity for growth. This process is known as the System Technical Assistance Review (STAR).

Baker County was originally Focused Monitored December 6-8, 2005 in the area of reading. Baker County was selected to participate in the STAR process on March 15-17, 2010. The monitoring team consisted of:

Kachelle White, Divisions for Special Education Services and Supports, GaDOE Kimberly Simmons, Divisions for Special Education Services and Supports, GaDOE Pam Summey, Special Education Director, Commerce City Schools Susan Eckhart, Divisions for Special Education Services and Supports, GaDOE Tracey Rogers, Parent of a student with a disability and Parent Mentor

The following data was reviewed prior to the on-site visit:

CRCT Results

SWD % Meets/Exceeds	FY09	FY08	FY07
Math	7.4	11.8	13.5
RELA	35.2	35.3	32.4

School Improvement Plan
STAR Self- Assessment
Professional Learning Activities
Supplement Programs
Professional Survey Results
System Data Profiles
Focused Monitoring Report and Corrective Action Plan
Annual Yearly Progress Data
GLRS Initiatives

During the on-site visit the following activities took place:

Interviewed 13 teachers (5 General Ed./8 Special Ed.)
Interviewed 3 administrators
Interviewed 1 special education director
Interviewed 11 parents
Interviewed 5 paraprofessionals
Conducted 9 observations
Reviewed 19 Individual Education Programs (IEPs)
Reviewed 9 Professional Survey Responses

SUMMARY AREA An asterisk (*) indicates that the topic was previously discussed as an area of concern/compliance issue in the original Focused Monitoring Report. According to the interviews conducted, Baker County special education teachers need additional Georgia **INSTRUCTION** Performance Standards (GPS) training in the content area they are currently teaching. They also need follow-up classroom coaching support in implementing the GPS and additional training in order to implement the reading and/or math curriculum more effectively. Classroom observations showed limited use of differentiated instruction. Interviews indicated that some teachers had limited knowledge of differentiated instruction and need comprehensive differentiated instruction training that would allow them to observe it in practice and provide support in differentiating actual classroom lessons. According to the limited survey responses, 89% responded that co-taught instruction is "somewhat effective" in increasing the performance of students with disabilities. Observational data revealed that co-teaching teams mainly use one model of co-teaching. The model most frequently observed in Baker County was one teach: one support. Teachers reported during interviews that general educators and special educators do not plan together and have not had co-teaching training as co-teaching teams. Surveys and interviews also showed a need for training and support to better utilize two teachers effectively. Interviews indicated that, at times, special education teachers are absent from the classroom due to additional duties during their co-taught classroom segment, which interferes with the instruction in the co-taught class. According to survey respondents, only 11% indicated that they "always" receive follow-up support and coaching when implementing new classroom practices (i.e., co-teaching, differentiation, GPS, etc.). Observations and interviews indicated that special education teachers need equitable access to grade level materials, including textbooks, teacher's editions, and other classroom resources that are available to general education teachers. **RECOMMENDATIONS** Provide professional development on the GPS, Differentiation, and Co-teaching. Collaborate with the local Georgia Learning Resource System (GLRS) to utilize their available resources. Prepare a systemic plan for follow-up and on-going support after professional development workshops. Teachers should have detailed coaching, modeling and follow-up support to increase the effectiveness of co-teaching teams. Teams should become knowledgeable of the different co-teaching approaches and when to use them in the classroom setting to meet the needs of the students. Teachers should also begin to plan lessons together and define the roles of each teacher during the entire lesson. **DOCUMENTATION** Baker County will submit sample copies of completed classroom observation feedback forms. These observation forms must include specific feedback on the implementation of co-teaching practices. Baker County will provide documentation of GPS training for all teachers that have not received training in the subject area they are currently teaching, based on a needs assessment. In addition, provide followup "re-fresher" training for teachers that have received training in the past. Documentation will be submitted to include GPS training schedule, agenda, and sign-in sheets. Baker County will provide a written description of current materials provided to special education teachers and classrooms, to include general education textbooks, teachers' edition textbooks, and any other resource that is available to the general education teacher and student. **RESOURCES** GLRS professional learning support

PROGRESS MONITORING

According to interviews, Baker County is implementing benchmark testing every nine weeks. Based on teacher interviews, some teachers are not able to describe how they are continually progress monitoring their students and adjusting their instruction based on the results. There is no evidence of a plan for teachers/administrators to progress monitor on a weekly/daily and/or monthly level that can be monitored to determine student progress.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Professional learning is needed to ensure all teachers (including special education) are aware of the system expectations for monitoring progress and that special education students are held to high expectations. Special education teachers should have a comprehensive understanding of progress monitoring requirements and how to use data from progress monitoring to drive instruction for students with disabilities.

DOCUMENTATION

Baker County will submit documentation on the use of progress monitoring to improve instructional practices.

Baker County will submit sample progress monitoring data for students with disabilities to demonstrate how the data is used to drive instruction.

RESOURCES

Book: Students With Disabilities Can Make AYP: What Every School Leader Should Know.

PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

Baker County has utilized RESA for some professional learning opportunities and is strongly encouraged to continue to do so. The GLRS should be utilized for specific trainings related to special education and related topics.

According to the professional survey, 55% responded they "sometimes" receive follow-up support and coaching when implementing new classroom practices (i.e. co-teaching, differentiation, GPS, etc.) and 22% responded "never" to the same statement.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Establish an on-going system to provide teachers with an in-depth understanding of:

- Content knowledge of GPS
- Differentiated instruction
- Co-teaching follow-up, modeling, lesson planning as a team and on-going support
- Progress monitoring expectations and ensuring data drives instruction
- Teachers need assistance in identifying the most productive way to utilize paraprofessionals in the classroom setting
- Georgia Alternate Assessment (GAA)
- Assistive technology (compliance)
- Transition Plans (compliance)
- Determining the Least Restrictive Environment (LRE) for students with disabilities (compliance)
- Writing Effective IEPs, including but not limited to detailed Present Levels of Academic Achievement Functional Performance and appropriate goals and objectives (compliance)

DOCUMENTATION

Baker County will update their Consolidated LEA Improvement Plan with the above mentioned professional learning activities.

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	RESOURCES Book: Students With Disabilities Can Make AYP: What Every School Leader Should Know. Thinkfinity Learning Village GLRS Elluminate Sessions: LRE, Standards Based IEPs, Transition, Math Strategies, Math Talks Implementation Manual, etc.							
COMPLIANCE/ON-SITE FINDINGS: APPLICABLE FEDERAL/STATE REGULATIONS	SUPPORTING EVIDENCE	REQUIRED EVIDENCE OF CORRECTION BY 05/25/2011						
C.F.R. 300.105*	"(a) Each public agency must ensure that assistive technology devices or assistive technology services, or both, are made available to a child with a disability if required" The majority of special education teachers interviewed stated they need additional training to determine whether or not a student needs Assistive Technology (AT). In addition, teachers need AT awareness training to meet the needs of all students with disabilities so that they can access the general curriculum. AT is not only used for students with significant cognitive disabilities. Tools that are available to all students do not necessarily need to be documented in the IEP.	Baker County will submit documentation of staff training on AT including information on the consideration process for determining the need for AT and the various devices for low and high incidence disabilities. Baker County will submit a list of students using AT, including the student's disability and the specific tools being used.						
C.F.R. 300.106*	Free and Appropriate Public Education: Extended School Year Services (ESY)* "(a)General. (1) Each public agency must ensure that extended school year services are available as necessary to provide FAPE." According to interviews, teachers need additional professional learning to understand the full consideration to determine the need for ESY. It was reported that	Baker County will submit a list of students who are receiving ESY services to include disability area and the services provided by the specific deficits and the services provided as indicated in the IEP. Baker County IEPs will be submitted to GaDOE in order to verify the consideration of ESY and evidence of how the decision was supported. If ESY was provided, documentation should include annual goals that will be continued during ESY services and the amount of time the services will be provided.						

as a school system, Baker does not provide ESY services and when they do it is used as remediation for the CRCT or GHSGT. According to documentation, Baker County has not provided any students with disabilities ESY services for the past two years.

C.F.R. 300.115

Least Restrictive Environment: Continuum Alternative Placements

Supplementary Instruction for special education students as indicated in the Special Education State Rule [C.F.R. 300.115(B)(1)-(2)] "Make provision for supplementary services (such as resource room or itinerant instruction) to be provided in conjunction with regular class placement" was not available in Baker County. A full continuum should be considered and available for each student.

Baker County will submit sample IEPs for students receiving supplementary services documenting the consideration of the full continuum of educational placements and placement decisions that indicate supplementary services are needed if necessary.

Baker County will submit a list of students with disabilities who have been identified as needing supplementary instruction in conjunction with regular class placement.

C.F.R. 300.116

Least Restrictive Environment: Determining Educational Placements

State Rule [C.F.R. 300.116(a)(1)-(2)] "In determining the educational placement of a child with a disability, including a preschool child with a disability; each LEA must ensure that the placement decision: is made by a group of persons, including the parents, and other persons knowledgeable about the child, the meaning of the evaluation data, and the placement options; and..."

Due to the size of the system, scheduling can be difficult; however placement decisions cannot be based on the availability of services and scheduling preferences. Placement is determined by the individual need of the learner and some students need instructional support in addition to the general education setting. The IEP team

Baker County will submit a sample of IEPs to document the evidence that current present levels of functional and academic performance were used to determine placement decisions.

needs to consider the individual needs of each child in order to identify students that need Supplementary Instruction. There should be a plan to document the services in the IEP. Interviews indicated that the administration makes the placement decision, not the IEP team. Interviews indicated that some students with disabilities are currently not receiving the additional academic support that they need.

C.F.R. 300.320

Individualized Education Programs: Definition of IEP

(b)(1)-(2)"Appropriate measurable postsecondary goals based upon age appropriate transition assessments related to training, education, employment, and, where appropriate, independent living skills,; and (2) The transition services (including courses of study) needed to assist the child in reaching those goals."

In reviewing the IEPs it was determined that Transition Plans did not have the required components.

C.F.R. 300.320(a)(ii)(4)

In reviewing IEPs it was determined that some students are not receiving occupational therapy (OT) services and/or occupational evaluations as stated in the IEP. According to additional documentation, Baker County does not have any students receiving OT services.

(a)(1) A statement of the child's present levels of academic achievement and functional performance, including - (i) How the child's disability affects the child's involvement and progress in the general education curriculum (i.e., the same curriculum as for nondisabled children).

Baker County will provide professional development for teachers on writing and planning for appropriate transition plans. Agendas for the training will be submitted, as well as documentation of ongoing monitoring.

Baker County's IEPs will be submitted to GaDOE to verify compliance of transition plans for age and/or grade appropriate students.

Baker County will conduct IEPs to correct selected students IEPs to include all the required components of a transition plan. The IEPs will be submitted to GaDOE by August, 2, 2010.

Baker County will document that Occupational Therapy services are provided to students based on need and supported in the IEP.

Baker County will submit a sample of IEPs documenting measureable IEP goals that are written to address specific needs and relate to the present levels of academic and functional performance. Present levels of academic achievement and functional performance that address the students' specific deficits in math and/or reading

In a review of the Present Levels of Academic Achievement and Functional Performance, it was determined that the students' individual needs were not consistently and clearly defined. This section of the IEP should be skill specific to address the areas of difficulty for the student and is essential in determining the goals to be addressed later in the IEP.

C.F.R.300.320(A)(6)(i)

In a review of the IEPs, it was determined that some students have the testing accommodation to mark the answers in the test booklet. However, the present levels of academic and functional performance do not support the need for this accommodation.

Baker County will submit IEPs to document the appropriate use of accommodations and that the testing accommodations correlate to the present levels of academic and functional performance.

C.F.R. 300.530 (2)

Discipline Procedures

After a child with a disability has been removed from his or her current placement for 10 school days in the same school year, during any subsequent days of removal the public agency must provide services to the extent required under paragraph (d) of this section. (i) Continue to receive educational services, as provided in 300.101(a), so as to enable the child to continue to participate in the general education curriculum, although in another setting, and to progress toward meeting the goals set out in the child's IEP;...

Based on data provided by Baker County in the discipline report and student IEPs, several students were excluded from school beyond 10 days, which constitute a change in placement received no special education services.

Baker County will submit required documentation for individual students as requested in a separate document.

Professional Concerns	Parents are a vital part in a child's educational program. According to some parents interviewed, they were not aware of their child's disability and had limited or no knowledge of assistive technology used or available to their students. Baker County is encouraged to research hiring a Parent Mentor and/or collaborate with school systems in the region to provide resources and support on how to conduct workshops, trainings, and activities to promote parent participation. Baker County is strongly encouraged to review and revise their policies, practices and procedures							
	regarding how students are moved from one grade to another without detailed documentation indicating the reason a particular grade is skipped. At a minimum, the IEP must include documentation/reason why the IEP team makes a decision for a student to be placed in another grade.							
Resources	The following resources are available on the Georgia Department of Education website and Baker County is strongly encouraged to utilize these supports: Elluminate Sessions: LRE, Standards Based IEPs, Transition, Math Strategies, Math Talks Implementation Manual Testing Accommodations Manual Transition Manual Transition DVD LRE DVD series Book: Students With Disabilities Can Make AYP: What Every School Leader Should Know. Thinkfinity Learning Village GLRS: Online Co-Teaching and Differentiation Course, Coaching Support, AT Support RESA Content Area Specialist Georgia Department of Education Content Area Specialist							

CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN (CAP)	SYSTEM: BAKER COL	UNTY	COMPLIANCE	INSTR	UCTION	PROFESSIONAL LEARNING	— BIP
YEAR ONE CLEARANCE DATE: 8/11/11		FINAL	CAP SUBMISSION DATE	: 7/22/10	DRAFT CA	AP SUBMISSION DATE:	

	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Actions/Strategies/ Interventions or Programs	Professional Learning	Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost)	Person or Position Responsible for Supervision of Implementatio n	Timeline for Implementation (Specific Dates)	Means of Evaluation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	Documentation of CAP activities due to the DES with dates	Evidence of Impact (Student Learning Data)
Assistive Technology 1. Assistive Technology training 2. Documentation of training to include: a. Source/Provider b. Sign-In Sheet 3. Implementation of Assistive Technology 4. Documents of Implementation 5. A list of all students using Assistive Technology will be submitted to DOE by 5-25-2011. 6. The list will include as follows: a. Student's name b. Student's name b. Student's disability c. Specific AT tool d. Expected time for use of tool/tools 7. IEP will reflect AT decisions, and include expected time frame for use.	Assistive Technology Staff Training for Assistive Technology to include as follows: (a) Consideration process for determining the need for AT (b) Familiarity with various Assistive Technology devices for low incidence disability, and (c) Familiarity with various AT devices for high incidence disability (d) How to provide in the IEP if a need for At exist, and (e) Effective AT devices for individual needs	Assistive Technolog All SpEd teachers Tring materials Tring providers GLRS DOE System Contracted Workshop SIMS (Cost will depend on provider) Cost for AT devices Funding: GLRS annual fee \$1,500.00 DIDEA funds CPreschool State, federal as appropriate	Special Education Director And/or Professional Development Director	Assistive Technology Professional Development Training to be provided by 12- 2010 1. Documentation to DOE due by 1-25- 2011 2. Student List due DOE by 5-25-2011	Assistive Technology Special Education Director And/or Professional Development Director Principal	Assistive Technology Assistive Technology Training: Due DOE 1- 25-2011 Student list due 1/25/11 a. To include any student receiving Assistive Technology or b. To illustrate the decision making process supporting the final decision	Assistive Technology Increased student performance on reading and/or math CRCT; GHSGT; EOCT; etc Monitoring monthly by Special Education Director, or Professional Development Director, or principal Monitoring/ observation records on file

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YEAR ONE CLEARANCE DATE: 8/12	1/11	FINAL CAP SUBMISSION	DATE: 7/22/10		DRAFT CAP SUBMISSION DATE:	

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Actions/Strategies/ Interventions or Programs	Professional Learning	Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost)	Person or Position Responsible for Supervision of Implementation	Timeline for Implementation (Specific Dates)	Means of Evaluation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	Documentation of CAP activities due to the DES with dates	Evidence of Impact (Student Learning Data)
Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum	Continuum
Alternative	Alternative	Alternative	Alternative	Alternative	Alternative	Alternative	Alternative
Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement
The full continuum of services, specifically supplementary services in conjunction with general education classes, will be considered for all SWD	PL that includes the decision making process for documenting consideration of supplementary services in conjunction with general education classes	SpEd Director	Special Education Director	As each new IEP is written, to begin September 2010 – May 2011	Random selection of IEPs monitored for supplemental service documented. Special Education Director	11/18/10 1/25/11 3/18/11 5 IEPs to DOE to document consideration of the continuum of placement, and decisions for	Improved test scores for students receiving supplemental instruction.

Individual, and/or			supplemental	
small group			services or no	
sessions			supplemental	
documented in the			services.	
IEP. Assignment to				
resource room or				
for itinerant service			List of SWD	
will be documented				
in IEP			needing	
			supplemental	
			services.	

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YEAR ONE CLEARANCE DATE: 8/11/11	FI	INAL (CAP SUBMISSION DATE	: 7/22/10	DRAFT CA	AP SUBMISSION DATE:	

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Actions/Strategies/ Interventions or Programs	Professional Learning	Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost)	Person or Position Responsible for Supervision of Implementation	Timeline for Implementation (Specific Dates)	Means of Evaluation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	Documentation of CAP activities due to the DES with dates	Evidence of Impact (Student Learning Data)
Documentation Change in Grade Placement	Documentation Change in Grade Placement	Documentation Change in Grade Placement	Documentation Change in Grade Placement	Documentation Change in Grade Placement	Documentation Change in Grade Placement	Documentation Change in Grade Placement	Documentation Change in Grade Placement
Policies, practices and procedures revised to include the decision making process used to Move from grade to grade Allow skipping one, or more, grades	PL to include the data and decision making for: • Moving students from grade to grade • Allowing students to skip one, or more grades.	 Review policies, practices, procedures Revise policies, practices, procedures 	 Principal Special Education Director 	September 1, 2010 – Last day of school	• Principal	Revised policies, practices, and procedures re/moving students from grade to grade	Increased performance of SWD on CRCT, GHSGT, EOCTs, etc.

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Professional Learning	Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost)	Person or Position Responsible for Supervision of Implementation	Timeline for Implementation (Specific Dates)	Means of Evaluation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	Documentation of CAP activities due to the DES with dates	Evidence of Impact (Student Learning Data)
Educational	Educational	Educational	Educational	Educational	Educational	Educational
Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement	Placement
PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement	GLRS StaffSpEd Director	Sp Ed Director	As IEPs are written in 2010-2011	Sp Ed Director	Agenda/Sign-in sheets from staff training	Increase in the performance of SWD on CRCT, GHSGT, EOCT, etc.
decisions:					IEPs that document placement decisions made based on data in	
 GenEd Class w/ accomm Co-Taught Cls Separate Class Full Day 					the PLAAF:	
	Professional Learning Educational Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement decisions: Inclusion: GenEd Class w/ accomm Co-Taught Cls Separate Class	Professional Learning Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Educational Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement decisions: Inclusion: GenEd Class w/ accomm Co-Taught Cls Separate Class o Full Day	Professional Learning Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Educational Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement decisions: Inclusion: GenEd Class w/ accomm Co-Taught Cls Separate Class Full Day Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Educational Placement Fducational Placement Fducational Placement Sp Ed Director Sp Ed Director	Professional Learning Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Reducational Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement decisions: Inclusion: GenEd Class w/ accomm Co-Taught Cls Separate Class Fig. 12 Resources or Materials Needed Responsible for Supervision of Implementation Specific Dates) Fducational Placement Placement Sp Ed Director As IEPs are written in 2010-2011	Professional Learning Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Responsible for Supervision of Implementation (Specific Dates) (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?) Educational Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement PLourional Placement PLourional Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement PLourional Placement PLourional Placement Sped Director As IEPs are written in 2010-2011 Sped Director Sped Director Sped Director Find Day Find Day	Professional Learning Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Reducational Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement decisions: GenEd Class w/ accomm GenEd Class w/ accomm Co-Taught Cls Separate Class Figure 1920 Separate Class Figure 1920 Ferson or Position Responsible for Supervision of Implementation (Specific Dates) Responsible for Supervision of Implementation (Specific Dates) Feducational Placement PL to include the types of data and decision making process used to make placement decisions: Responsible for Supervision of Implementation Specific Dates) Feducational Placement Placement Feducational Placement Placement Sp Ed Director As IEPs are written in 2010-2011 Sp Ed Director Agenda/Sign-in sheets from staff training IEPs that document placement decisions made based on data in the PLAAF: Feducational Placement Agenda/Sign-in sheets from staff training IEPs that document placement decisions made based on data in the PLAAF: Feducational Placement As IEPs are written in 2010-2011 IIPS that document placement decisions made based on data in the PLAAF:

Separate Class, Part Day with			1/25/11	
GenEd or CO-T Class			3/18/11	

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Extended School Year	Extended School Year	Extended School Year	Extended School Year	Extended School Year	Extended School Year	Extended School Year	Extended School Year
1. Special Education teachers will be trained to use the ESY Consideration Form.	ESY Training conducted for all Special Education teachers.	ESY Training on the consideration of ESY, as needed.	Special Education Director	1. To follow training: 10-26- 2010	Special Education Director	1. Agenda from staff training 11/18/10	1. Increased performance on Reading and Math CRCT
2. Special Education teachers will document Consideration for ESY	Conducted by: A. Special Education Director Or B. Other County Personnel	Materials: • Handouts • ESY manual		2. All IEPs for 2010- 2011 will include documentation of ESY Consideration		2. Sign-in sheets from staff training 11/18/10 3. The ESY Consideration	2. Increased performance on EOCT and GHSGT
	Director Or B. Other County						3. The ESY

GLRS (if		IEPs	
available, as			
needed)			
		4. Five IEPs with	
		ESY Consideration	
		Form attached to	
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		1/25/2011 (5)	
		3/18/11 (5)	
		5. To DOE, list of	
		students to receive	
		ESY. 5/25/11	
		L31. 3/23/11	
		a. disability	
		b. when services	
		are to be	
		provided, must	
		relate to the	
		specific deficit	
		c. services	
		indicated in IEP	
		d. If ESY is to be	
		provided, IEP	
		should include	
		annual goals to	
		be continued	
		during ESY	
		Services	

			e. If ESY services	
			are to be	
			provided, the	
			IEP should	
			document the	
			time frame of	
			the ESY Services.	
			6. If ESY is not	
			provided, evidence	
			of consideration	
			should be included	
			in the IEP	
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Actions/Strategies/	Professional	Resources or	Person or Position	Timeline for	Means of	Documentation of CAP	Evidence of
Interventions or Programs	Learning	Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost)	Responsible for Supervision of Implementation	Implementation (Specific Dates)	Evaluation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	activities due to the DES with dates	Impact (Student Learning Data)
IEP: Measurable	IEP: Measurable	IEP:	IEP: Measurable	IEP: Measurable	IEP:	IEP: Measurable	IEP: Measurable
Goals Addressing	Goals	Measurable	Goals	Goals	Measurable	Goals Addressing	Goals
Specific Needs	Addressing	Goals	Addressing	Addressing	Goals	Specific Needs	Addressing
	Specific Needs	Addressing	Specific Needs	Specific Needs	Addressing		Specific Needs
		Specific Needs			Specific Needs		
Specific reading and/or math deficits will be indentified in the	PL that focuses on documentation of specific reading	GaDOE Elluminate Sessions	SpEd Director	October 2010	SpEd Director	Agenda/Sign-in sheets from staff training	Increased performance on statewide tests.
Present Levels of Academic And Functional Performance (PLAAF):	and math deficits in the PLAAF. PL that focuses on	SpEd Director GLRS Staff	GLRS staff	Request to GLRS for training 7/19/2010		reading and/or math deficits measurable goals	
IEP Goals will be :	developing measurable goals			Training date to be set by GLRS		11/18/10	

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				1/25/11	
Based on				3/18/11	
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reading and/or					
math deficits in					
the PLAAF					
• written in					
measurable					
terms					

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Professional Learning	Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost)	Person or Position Responsible for Supervision of Implementation	Timeline for Implementation (Specific Dates)	Means of Evaluation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	Documentation of CAP activities due to the DES with dates	Evidence of Impact (Student Learning Data)
Occupational Thorapy	Occupational	Occupational	Occupational	Occupational	Occupational	Occupational Therapy
Special Education Teachers Baker County will document that Occupational Therapy services are provided to students based on need an supported in the IEP	GLRS to provide training	Special Education Director Corrected IEPs will be reviewed by GLRS	To be scheduled by GLRS	SpEd Director	Agenda/Sign-in sheets from staff training IEPs where OT Evaluations and/or Services were (1) referenced, but not appropriate are corrected (2) new reference to OT	Increase in supports for reading and/or math performance.
	Cocupational Therapy Special Education Teachers Saker County will document that Occupational Therapy services are provided to students based on need an supported	Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Occupational Therapy Special Education Feachers GLRS to provide training Baker County will document that Occupational Therapy services are provided to students based on need an supported	Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Occupational Therapy General Education Feachers Corrected IEPs will be reviewed by GLRS GL	Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Occupational Therapy General Education Feachers Gaker County will document that Occupational Cherapy services are provided to students based on need an supported Materials Needed (Include funding supervision of Implementation Supervision of (Specific Dates) Occupational Therapy Therapy Occupational Therapy Special Education Director To be scheduled by GLRS Corrected IEPs will be reviewed by GLRS	Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Implementation (Specific Dates) Implementation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost) Occupational (Specific Dates) Occupational activities in columns 1-5 are completed?) Occupational Therapy Occupational Occupational Therapy services occupational Occupational Therapy services occupational Occupat

			and	
			(3) services provided if OT evaluation recommends services	
			11/18/10 1/25/11	
			3/18/11	

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Parenting	Parenting	Parenting	Parenting	Parenting	Parenting	Parenting	Parenting
During IEP meetings teachers will provide explicit, "parent friendly" information about the student's:	PL that includes strategies for ensuring that parents understand:	GLRS Sp Ed Director	SpEd Director	October, 2010	SpEd Director	Teacher Survey Results 11/18/10	Increase in teacher's ability to provide explicit, "parent friendly" information relate to:
 (a) Disability (b) Current level of performance 1) Academic performance 2) Functional performance (c) AT used with student or proposed for use, if any. 	 (a) Disability (b) Current level of performance 1) Academic performance 2) Functional performance (c) AT used with student or proposed for use, if any. 						(a) disability (b) current level of performance (1) academic performance (2) Functional performance (c) AT used with student or proposed for use. Increase in parent's ability to participate in IEP meetings relate to:
A Teacher Survey will be developed that							IEP meetings relate to:

assesses teachers		
knowledge about		
providing " <u>explicit,</u>		(a) disability
parent friendly"		(b) current level
information about the		of
student's:		performance
student 3.		(1) academic
		performance
		(2) functional performance
(a) Disability		(c) AT used with
(b) Current level of		student or
performance		proposed for
1) Academic		use.
performance		
2) Functional		
performance		
(c) AT used with		
student or		
proposed for use, if		
any.		
A Parent Survey will be		
developed that		
assesses parent		
involvement in the IEP		
process related to:		
(a) Disability		
(b) Current level of		
performance		
1) Academic		
performance		
2) Functional		

	performance		 		
(c)	AT used with				
(-)	student or				
	proposed for use, if				
	any.				
				Parent Survey	
				Results	
				11/18/10	

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Actions/Strategies/ Interventions or Programs	Professional Learning	Resources or Materials Needed (Include funding source, personnel and cost)	Person or Position Responsible for Supervision of Implementation	Timeline for Implementation (Specific Dates)	Means of Evaluation (Who ensures that activities in columns 1-5 are completed?)	Documentation of CAP activities due to the DES with dates	Evidence of Impact (Student Learning Data)
Testing	Testing	Testing	Testing	Testing	Testing	Testing	Testing
Accommodations	Accommodations	Accommodations	Accommodations	Accommodations	Accommodations	Accommodations	Accommodations
1. Special	1. All special	Testing Director	Special Education	1. IEP corrected by	Special Education	Submit 15 IEPs to	Increase in the
Education Director	education teachers	will provide review	Director	1/10/2011	Director	document	performance of
requested list from	will review testing	for all special				appropriate use of	SWD on CRCT,
Testing Director of all students receiving accommodations to	regulations for all types of accommodations as stated in the	education teachers.	Testing Director	2. Teacher review: provided prior to 4/10/2010	Testing Director	accommodations for testing correlating to student's present	GHGT, EOCT. Only students
write in test booklet.	Georgia Test Accommodations Manual as well as allowing student to	Georgia Test Accommodations Manual		3. Students	Special Education teachers will document practice.	level of academic and functional performance.	meeting criteria for accommodations to write in test booklets will use
Review of the Georgia Test Accommodations	write in test booklets.	No cost anticipated		provided opportunities for practice with test		11/18/10 (5)	this accommodations
manual				sheets, at least 2 times per month		01/25/11 (5)	

	2. Alli-l		I	<u> </u>	02/40/44/5)	All an arial
accommodation	2. All special		January 2011 to		03/18/11 (5)	All special
rules and guidance.	education teachers		May 2010			education students
Acin	will be trained to					will receive
As in	make data driven				Note: All IEPs with	multiple
3. Review of IEP,	decisions in				accommodations	opportunities to
with	selecting all types				in place for Sprng	practice with test
accommodations	of appropriate				'11 testing, must	sheets.
accommodations						
	accommodations				have testing	
					accommodations	
4. Present Levels of					that are supported	
	3. Teachers will				in the PLAFF.	
Academic and	provide all student				If there are IEPs	
Functional	opportunities to				with testing	
Performance						
(PLAAF) will reflect	practice using				accomms listed,	
deficits that	testing sheets.				but not supported	
support the use of					in the PLAFF, it will	
the test					be necessary to	
accommodations	Teachers will be				amend those IEPs	
selected.	trained to develop				prior to Spring '11	
	a PLAAF that				testing <u>to either</u>	
	supports the use of				<u>provide</u> :	
	test					
	accommodations					
	accommodations				 Support in the 	
					PLAAF for the	
					accomms	
					selected	
					OR	
					Document the	
					reason that no	
					accomms. are	
					needed	

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Transition Plan	Transition Plan	Transition Plan	Transition Plan	Transition Plan	Transition Plan	Transition Plan	Transition Plan	
Transition Plans will contain all required components. System will be developed and implemented to monitor Transition Plans.	Training for writing transition plans in IEP to include all components of transition plans. 1. Trng date set. 2. In March 2010, SoEd teacher was assigned to the GLRS Transit. Team. 3. SpEd teacher on GLRS Transition Team will provide feedback to all	GLRS Cost: Annual fee Resources: Elluminate Sessions: Transition	 Special Education Director GLRS 	 Request to GLRS to provide training for writing transition plans made 7-19-2010 Training to be scheduled 	 Special Education Director GLRS – Transition Trainer 	 Training session agenda Sign-in Selected corrected transition plans in IEPs to DOE 11/18/10 Documentation of on-going monitoring of transition plans 11/18/10 	Increase in SWD placed for employment and postsecondary education	

SpEd teachers.			1/25/11	
	Transition Manual		3/18/11	
	Transition DVD			

Stakeholder Name	Position
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Thomas A. Rogers	Superintendent
Freddie Thompson	Testing Director/ Homebound Coordinator