

# 2019/2020 Turtle River School Division Plan

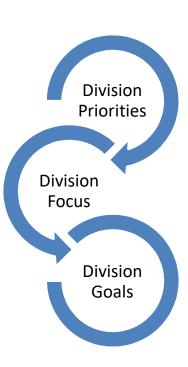
### **Division Priorities for 2019-2021:**

- 1. Literacy
- 2. Numeracy
- 3. School Climate
- 4. Student Engagement
- 5. Mental Wellness

<u>Division Focus for 2019/2020:</u> The Division will use the following Focus Areas in support of achieving our specific goals in each of the Division's 5 Priority Areas. These areas of focus support specific planning and improvement in broader areas that have an indirect impact on the larger goals. Focus Areas complement reaching the Division's Overall Goals and Improve the Education of students in the division overall.

## Areas of Focus for 2019-2020:

- 1. Inclusion
- 2. Indigenous Education
- 3. Disaggregated Data Usage
- 4. Continuous Improvement



**Grade 3 & 4 Provincial Assessment Data:** In the Fall of 2016, 38.5% of all students in Grade 3 met expectations in all three reading sub-competencies. 25.0% of self-declared Indigenous students met expectations in all three reading sub-competencies, 36.4% of boys met expectations in all three reading sub-competencies. *Note: Provincially – 47.3% of all students in Grade 3 met expectations in all three literacy sub-competencies.* 

**Grade 8 Provincial Assessment Data:** In January of 2017, 29.2% of all students in Grade 8 were meeting mid-grade performance in all three sub-competencies in reading comprehension, 30.4% of self-declared Indigenous students were meeting mid-grade performance in all three sub-competencies in reading comprehension. *Note: Provincially – 49.4% of all students in Grade 8 were meeting mid-grade performance in all three sub-competencies in reading comprehension.* **Grade 8 Provincial Assessment Data:** In January of 2017, 25% of all students in Grade 8 were meeting mid-grade performance in all three sub-competencies in expository writing, 26.1% of self-declared Indigenous students were meeting mid-grade performance in all three sub-competencies in expository writing.

16.7% of boys were meeting mid-grade performance in all three sub-competencies in expository writing.

Note: Provincially – 43.8% of all students in Grade 8 were meeting mid-grade performance in all three sub-competencies in expository writing. Jan 2019 at 44.7% provincially

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	Indicators	Strategies	Evaluation/
(benchmarked)			Assessment / Source of Data
<ol> <li>By January 2019, 40% of ALL mid-grade 8 students will meet expectations in all three sub-competencies in expository writing (Jan 2017 at 25%). (Jan 2018 at 44.3%). Jan 2019 at 40%</li> <li>By January 2020, 50% of ALL mid-grade 8 students will meet expectations in all three sub-competencies in expository writing (Jan 2017 at 25%). (Jan 2018 at 44.3%). Jan 2019 at 40%</li> </ol>	-Writing will be worked on in ALL subjects, not just ELA -Writing Feedback will be Visible -Increase in writing by students in ALL Grades -Increase in quality writing activities occurring in the classrooms at all grades and levels -Students receive feedback/marked work of writing reinforcing correct conventions, etc	<ol> <li>Focus on writing in all subject areas</li> <li>Support a variety of writing (fiction / non-fiction)</li> <li>Teachers will provide formative, immediate, and relevant feedback</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>→ Visible Feedback provided to students (based on principal anecdotal notes of writing samples of students in the classroom)</li> <li>→ Provincial Assessments results (Gr.3/4, 7/8, and 12)</li> </ul>
3. By January 2021, 60% of ALL mid-grade 8 students will meet expectations in all three sub-competencies in expository writing Jan 2017 at 25%). (Jan 2018 at 44.3%).  Jan 2019 at 40%	<ol> <li>By January 2020, 29% of mid-grade 8 self-declared Indigenous students will meet expectations in all three sub-competencies in expository writing (Jan 2017 at 33.3%). Jan 2019 at 27.3%</li> <li>By January 2020, 23% of mid-grade 8 boys will meet expectations in all three sub-competencies in expository writing (Jan 2017 at 16.7%). Jan 2019 at 35%</li> </ol>		*all images are copyright free and accessed from Pixabay at the following webpage <a href="https://pixabay.com/">https://pixabay.com/</a>
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**Grade 3 & 4 Provincial Assessment Data:** In the Fall of 2016, 34.6% of all students in Grade 3 met expectations in all four numeracy sub-competencies. 10% of self-declared Indigenous students met expectations in all four numeracy sub-competencies. Note: Provincially – 34.6% of all students in Grade 3 met expectations in all four numeracy sub-competencies.

**Grade 7 Provincial Assessment Data:** In January of 2017, 28.1% of all students in Grade 7 were meeting mid-grade performance in all five sub-competencies of number sense and number skills, 9.1% of self-declared Indigenous students were meeting mid-grade performance in all five sub-competencies of number skills, 29% of boys were meeting mid-grade performance in all five sub-competencies of number sense and number skills. *Note: Provincially — 32.5% of all students in Grade 7 were meeting mid-grade performance in all five sub-competencies of number sense and number skills.* Jan 2019 at 35.9% Provincially

Division	SMART Goal	Indicators	Strategies	Evaluation/
Priority	(benchmarked)			Assessment / Source of Data
<b>Numeracy</b>		By January 2020, 34% of	1. Continuation of implementation of mRLC project	→ Visible teacher observation of student confidence in math
	By January 2019, 40% of ALL	self-declared Indigenous	(Grades 6-9)	problem-solving.
	grade 7 students will meet	grade 7 students in will		→ Provincial assessments (Gr.3/4, 7/8, and 12) / department data
	mid-grade performance in all	meet mid-grade	2. All teachers use formative assessments to inform	
	five sub-competencies in	performance in all five sub-	instructional	
	number sense and number	competencies in number		
	skills (Jan 2017 at 28.1%). <mark>(Jan</mark>	sense and number skills (Jan	3. All teachers learn and implement the GRASS	
	2018 at 28.9%). Jan 2019 at	2017 at 9.1%). Jan 2019 at	problem solving method (or similar problem –	
	38.9%	38.9%	solving graphic organizer suitable to the age of their students)	
		By January 2020, 40% of		
	By January 2020, 45% of ALL	male grade 7 students will		
	grade 7 students will meet	meet mid-grade		
	mid-grade performance in all	performance in all five sub-		
	five sub-competencies in	competencies in number		
	number sense and number	sense and number skills (Jan		
	skills (Jan 2017 at 28.1%). (Jan	2017 at 29%). Jan 2019 at		
	2018 at 28.9%). Jan 2019 at	33.3%	243	
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	grade 7 students will meet	grade 7 students in care will	3×2 8 24	
	mid-grade performance in all	meet mid-grade	3 +	
	five sub-competencies in	performance in all five sub-		
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	2018 at 28.9%). Jan 2019 at	2019 - No Data Available	N	
	38.9%			*all images are copyright free and accessed from Pixabay at the following webpage <a href="https://pixabay.com/">https://pixabay.com/</a>

In Fall 2016, TTFM divisional data indicates that on average Grade 7-12 students indicated the following 6 school climate indicators as follows:

- -65% of students participated in sports, the Canadian norm was 48% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 63%). May 2019 at 69%
- -28% of students had a high rate of participation in clubs, the Canadian norm was 42% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 29%) May 2019 at 31%
- 68% of students in school had a high sense of belonging, the Canadian norm was 71% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 66%) May 2019 at 62%
- -26% of students were victims of moderate to severe bullying, Canadian norm is 22% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 23%) May 2019 at 24%
- -63% of students felt safe attending school, Canadian norm was 65% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 56%) May 2019 at 62%
- -Positive teacher-student relationships were indicated to be 6.2/10, Canadian norms are also 6/10 (In May 2018, TRSD was at 5.8/10) May 2019 at 6.2/10
- -Positive Learning climate was indicated as 5.9 out of 10, the Canadian norm was 5.9/10 (In May 2018, TRSD was at 5.6/10) May 2019 at 6.0/10

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<b>School</b>	By June 2019, Students in Grades 7-12 will	-Students will be involved	- Hands-on, interactive, high student interest,	-TTFM survey data
<b>Climate</b>	have a 2% improvement in the 6 identified	in more sports / clubs in	student choice activities and programming	
	positive school climate indicators.	schools		
	(participation in sports or clubs, school		- Breakfast / snack program for ALL students	
	sense of belonging, reduction of moderate	-reduction in bullying		
	to severe bullying, feelings of safety when		-Trades programming to meet the needs for	
•	attending school, positive teacher-student	-students feel safe	ALL students	
	relationships, and feelings of a positive	attending school		
	learning climate).			
	By June 2020, Students in Grades 7-12 will	-student attendance will		
	have a 2% improvement in the 6 identified	show improvement		
	positive school climate indicators.			
	(participation in sports or clubs, school			
	sense of belonging, reduction of moderate	-An increase in Grade 9		
	to severe bullying, feelings of safety when	"first-time" credit		
	attending school, positive teacher-student	achievement rates (TRSD		
	relationships, and feelings of a positive	2015/2016 at 90%, prov.		
	learning climate).	at 88.3%) (in Math)		
	By June 2021, Students in Grades 7-12 will	2017/2018 68.6% TRSD		
	have a 2% improvement in the 6 identified	and 87.7% prov. Avg.		
	positive school climate indicators.	(TRSD 2015/2016 at 96%,		
	(participation in sports or clubs, school	prov. at 90.2%) (in ELA)		
	sense of belonging, reduction of moderate	2017/2018 76.5% TRSD		
	to severe bullying, feelings of safety when	and 89.5% prov. Avg.		shutterstock.com • 251933845
	attending school, positive teacher-student			
	relationships, and feelings of a positive		shutterstock.com • 388660693	*all images are copyright free and accessed from Pixabay at the following webpage https://pixabay.com/
	learning climate).			Titepsty/ pindisdy.comy

In Fall 2016, Grade 7-12 students indicated on average using the TTFM survey the following:

- -73% of students had aspirations for finishing high school, the Canadian norm is 82% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 80%) May 2019 at 82%
- -56% of students are intellectually engaged, the Canadian norm is 50% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 56%) May 2019 at 59%
- -78% had positive relationships, Canadian norm is 76% (In May 2018, TRSD was at 72%) May 2019 at 69%

Division Priority	SMART Goal (benchmarked)	Indicators	Strategies	Evaluation/ Assessment / Source of Data				
udent ngagement	By June 2019, Students in Grades 7-12 will report a 2% improvement in the following 5 identified academic engagement indicators (academic engagement, valuing school	Grade 7 Provincial Assessment - Engagement -In February 2020, 60% of students in Grade 7 will	-Cultural perspectives infused through classes and school -Increased community involvement (school	-TTFM survey data -Grade 7 student er Figure 1: Measures	gagement provinc			
$\checkmark$	outcomes, having positive relationships, aspirations on	indicate that they are engaged and have established an interest in	evening family-oriented activities, special events, social media, spirit weeks, cross-	Social Engagement	Institutional Engagement	Intellectual Engagement		
	finishing high school, and students reporting high levels of interest and motivation).	Indicate that they are	2016/2017 56.1%)In February 2020, 50% of students in Grade 7 will indicate that they are	2016/2017 56.1%)In February 2020, 50% of -Teachers using Lesson	grade interaction)  -Teachers using Lessons that are engaging	Sense of Belonging at School	Values Schooling Outcomes	Interest and Motivation
	By June 2020, Students in Grades 7-12 will report a 2% improvement in the following			students in learning and relevant to the real- world	Participation in Sports and Clubs	Positive School Behaviour	Effort	
	5 identified academic engagement indicators (academic engagement, valuing school			Positive Relationships at School	Positive Homework Behaviour	Quality Instruction		

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outcomes, having positive relationships, aspirations on finishing high school, and students

reporting high levels of interest and motivation).

By June 2021, Students in Grades 7-12 will report a 2% improvement in the following 5 identified academic engagement indicators (academic engagement, valuing school outcomes,

having positive relationships, aspirations on finishing high school, and students reporting high levels of interest and motivation).

- -In February 2020, 85% of students in Grade 7 will indicate that they are engaged and have established participation in lessons (currently in 2016/2017 -77.2%). -In February 2020, 75% of students in Grade 7 will
- indicate that they are engaged and have established accepting responsibility for assignments (currently in 2016/2017 -70.2%).

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In the Fall 2016, Canadian Norms for Grades 7-12 from the TTFM survey indicated that 20% of girls and 15% of boys indicated moderate or high levels of depression. 21% of girls and 14% of boys indicated moderate or high levels of anxiety based on Canadian norms.

The TTFM survey indicated that in our division students in grades 7-12 indicate on average of 20% having moderate or high levels of anxiety with the norm averaging to 18%. (In May 2018, TRSD was at 23%) May 2019 at 22%

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Division	SMART Goal	Indicators	Strategies	Evaluation/	
Priority	(benchmarked)			Assessment / Source of Data	
<mark>Mental</mark>		By June 2020, 100% of	-Students identify "safe adults" in the school	-TTFM survey data	
<b>Wellness</b>	By June 2019, 85% of Grade 7-12 students	students in every school	with whom they comfortable talking with	-Collected data tracked from the facilitator of classroom	
/	will report low levels of anxiety and	will identify two adults in	when needed.	presentations	
	depression.	the school they feel		-collected data of student slips indicating their "go to" people and	
		comfortable speaking	-Division social worker (class presentations,	recorded time provided a few times per year at every school to	
		with if and when needed.	interventions, workshops, individual student	help support the development of relationships	
			counselling)	-Div. Social worker caseload summary data	
	By June 2020, 88% of Grade 7-12 students	By June 2020, All			
	will report low levels of anxiety and	students in Grades 9-12	- Divisional Mental Health & Wellness		
	depression.	will have received the	Committee will meet and schools will		
		presentation "Everyone	discuss at staff meetings		
		Matters"			
	By June 2021, 90% of Grade 7-12 students		-All schools will have a presentation on		
	will report low levels of anxiety and		mental wellness		
	depression.			The second secon	
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