

Area 2 - St Clement
2019-2020 PROFESSIONAL LEARNING FORM

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<p>FOCUS GROUPS - Groups within the school who require additional support For each grade, we are asking teachers to identify “Students on the Move” in their classroom. These students are those that are presently achieving at roughly 2.7 to 2.9 in the strand of Number Sense and Numeration in Math. Our Goal is to move 50% of them into Level 3 Achievement. 8 students in Grade 6 EQAO Math were at a score of 2.9 11 students in Grade 3 EQAO Math were between 2.7 and 2.9</p>
<p>URGENT CRITICAL LEARNING NEED - Schools have many learning needs. This is the most urgent and critical learning need that will be addressed this year. Multi-step problem solving (any subject area) where students are expected to explain and clearly communicate their thinking.</p>
<p>SMART GOAL - School goal for student learning that school will focus on achieving throughout the year. Through our EQAO Data, teacher assessments, and teacher observations and communications with students, we are identifying students per grade who are obtaining 2.7-2.9 in Number Sense and Numeration, and moving 50% of them to Level 3 by the end of the year.</p>

REQUIRED PROFESSIONAL LEARNING

STAFF PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CRITICAL NEED - In order to address the student urgent critical need of the school and to work toward the school's SMART goal, the following professional development is required.

A day of PL that will introduce strategies that can be used in the classroom (ie. 'Problem of the Week', Teachers being able to accurately identify Open-Ended Thinking/Application Type Problems, effective Multiple Choice questions, Students on the Move) then have follow-up PL at a later date that will allow us to review how effective these strategies were, and to continue/tweak/change some of these strategies for each individual class/grade.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN - Professional learning topics that will be undertaken by staff throughout the year.

On October 11, we debriefed Staff on the Data that our SIT Members have poured over during the first month of the year (this was accomplished during both our Code Day meetings at school, as well as the group meetings we had with other Area 2 schools). We will also introduce the strategies and PL that our SIT Members have recommended for Staff, as well as show the UCLN we will be using all year. In January and May, we will be using Code Days for Grades and Divisions to collaborate with one another and share how well the strategies we agreed upon at the beginning of the year are working in each class, and what alterations are needed with programming throughout the year.