

**Eastern Suffolk BOCES**

**Strategic Action Plan III.A: Educational Support Services to School Districts to Improve Student Outcomes**

**ADDRESSES BOCES GOAL(S):**

- I. High Standards for Student Achievement
- II. Staff Development
- III. Shared Services
- IV. Program and Services Availability
- V. Cost-Effectiveness, Quality Management and Operational Efficiency
- VI. Technology
- VII. Strategic Planning
- XII. Research, Program Improvement and Regional Advocacy

**RESPONSIBLE ADMINISTRATOR:**

Director, Educational Support Services  
 Divisional Administrator, Educational Support Services  
 Program Administrator, Educational Support Services

**COLLABORATOR(S):**

Administrative Coordinator, Arts-in-Education  
 Administrative Coordinator, Curriculum and Assessment  
 Administrative Coordinator, Model Schools  
 Administrative Coordinator, Professional Development  
 Administrative Coordinator, School Library System  
 Asst. Administrative Coordinator, Curriculum and Assessment

**STRATEGIC PLANNING STRATEGY:** By July 2016, Eastern Suffolk BOCES will support improved student learning by increasing the quality and quantity of educational support services/programs offered regionally to its component school districts and Eastern Suffolk BOCES programs, as measured by district participation rates, attendance at activities, CoSer survey results, and regional student assessment data.

<b>ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>Target Date for Completion</b>	<b>Responsible Person/Group</b>	<b>Status/Outcome</b> <i>(include dates - mm/dd/yy)</i>
<p><b>1.</b> The Arts-in-Education Program will increase the number of districts that participate by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Surveying non-participating districts to determine why they are not participating</li> <li>▪ Increasing the number of meetings with non-participating school districts</li> <li>▪ Insuring that non-participating districts receive Arts-in-Education communications</li> </ul>	<p>Ongoing through June 30, 2016</p>	<p>Administrative Coordinator, Arts-in-Education</p>	

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including the AIE listserv and the Arts-in-Education newsletter, <i>The Star</i>			
<p><b>2.</b> The Professional Development Program (formerly Curriculum &amp; Development Service) will increase student achievement in ELA by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Analyzing trend data of Suffolk County ELA assessments</li> <li>▪ Offering workshops on addressing these trends</li> <li>▪ Offering more workshops on critical thinking strategies</li> <li>▪ Providing in-district classroom embedded support for teachers</li> <li>▪ Working with programs within Educational Support Services to offer services to help the students in our region become analytically and critically adept.</li> </ul>	Ongoing through June 30, 2016	Administrative Coordinator, Professional Development	
<p><b>3.</b> The School Library System will support student achievement and promote awareness of student performance in the region by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Offering workshops for librarians on using data to improve instruction.</li> <li>▪ Bringing teacher-librarian teams together to create units to strengthen student performance and target strategies to address areas of concern.</li> </ul>	Ongoing through June 30, 2016	Administrative Coordinator, School Library System	
<p><b>4.</b> The Curriculum and Assessment program will increase the number of districts that participate in summer enrichment programs by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Increasing communication to component districts.</li> <li>▪ Outlining the benefits of the program with data from student assessments and feedback from student surveys.</li> </ul>	Ongoing through June 30, 2016	Administrative Coordinator, Curriculum and Assessment	

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<p><b>5.</b> The Model Schools program will increase the number of districts participating by:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Increasing the number of instructional technology professional development activities available.</li> <li>▪ Increasing the number of subscribers to the Model Schools listserv.</li> <li>▪ Utilizing an online survey tool for all workshop and job-embedded professional development to assess teacher perception of impact of staff development on student achievement.</li> </ul>	<p>Ongoing through June 30, 2016</p>	<p>Administrative Coordinator, Model Schools</p>	

**RESOURCES REQUIRED:**

- Planning time
- Funding through program budgets

**POSSIBLE SOURCES OF FUNDING:**

- District subscriptions to programs

**BASELINE DATA:**

**1) Measurement A. District Participation Rates**

Baseline Year: 2007-2008

Baseline Data:

- Arts In Education: 64 out of 69 school districts participate or subscribe to this service
- Library Services: 51 out of 51 school districts participate or subscribe to this service
- NYS Curriculum and Development Services: 37 out of 51 school districts subscribe to this service
- Summer Enrichment Program: 7 out of 51 school districts subscribe to this service
- Model Schools: 32 out of 51 school districts participate or subscribe to this service

2016 Projection:

- Arts In Education: 69
- Library Services: Continue to have all component (51 school districts) subscribe to this service
- NYS Curriculum and Development Services: 51 school districts subscribe to this service
- Summer Enrichment Program: 51 school districts subscribe to this service
- Model Schools: 51 school districts subscribe to this service

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#### 2) Measurement B. Attendance at Activities

Baseline Year: 2007-2008

Baseline Data:

- Arts In Education: Advisory Council meeting – 75 people in attendance
- Library Services: Symposium – 107 people in attendance
- NYS Curriculum and Development Services: Literacy and Learning Conference - 475 people in attendance
- Summer Enrichment Program: 7 districts totaling 2,481 registrants (Please note some of the programs offer 4 sessions. If a child signed up for two sessions, that child is counted twice in the total number.)
- Model Schools: Celebration of Technology in Education – 1,400 students, educators, parents in attendance

2016 Projection

- Arts In Education: 10% percent increase in attendance at Advisory Council meeting
- Library Services: 10% percent increase in attendance at Symposium conference
- NYS Curriculum and Development Services: 10-15% increase in attendance at the Literacy and Learning Conference
- Summer Enrichment Program: 5% increase in attendance for summer school programs
- Model Schools: 10% increase in attendance at Celebration of Technology in Education

#### 3) Measurement C. Program Evaluations/Co-Ser Survey Results

Baseline Year: 2006-2007

Baseline Data:

- Arts In Education: Co-Ser Survey Results, Average rating – 3.7
- Library Services: Co-Ser Survey Results, Average rating – 3.6
- NYS Curriculum and Development Services: Co-Ser Survey Results, Average rating – 3.4
- Summer Enrichment Institutes and Enrichment Programs: Co-Ser Survey Results, Average rating – 3.75
- Model Schools: Co-Ser Survey Results, Average rating – 3.5

2016 Projection:

- Arts In Education: Average rating – 3.9
- Library Services: Average rating – 3.8
- NYS Curriculum and Development Services: Average rating – 3.6
- Summer Enrichment Institutes and Enrichment Programs: Average rating – 3.9
- Model Schools: Average rating -3.7

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#### 4) Measurement D. Regional Student Assessment Data

Baseline Year: 2006-2007

Baseline Data:

- 77.42% of 4<sup>th</sup> grade ELA that reached proficiency according to NYSED state standards (level 3 or 4) 2007/2008
- 64.24% of 8<sup>th</sup> grade ELA that reached proficiency according to NYSED state standards (level 3 or 4) 2007/2008
- 93% of High School English Regents reached a level of 2, 3, or 4

2016 Projection:

- 3-5% increase in the amount of students reaching proficiency according to NYSED State Standards (level 3 or 4) for the 4<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> grade ELA Assessments
- 2-4% increase in the amount of students reaching a level of 2, 3, or 4 on the high school English Regents

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