

School Improvement Plan 2022 - 2023



Hall County **Martin Elementary School**

SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

1 General Improvement Plan Information

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District	Hall County
School Name	Martin Elementary School
Team Lead	Jeri Lynn Hutchins
Federal Funding Options to Be	Traditional funding (all Federal funds budgeted separately)
Employed (SWP Schools) in this	
Plan (Select all that apply)	

Fact	tors(s) Used by District to Identify Students in Poverty (Select all that apply)
✓	Free/Reduced meal application
	Community Eligibility Program (CEP) - Direct Certification ONLY
	Other (if selected, please describe below)

2. SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

2.1 Overarching Need # 1

Overarching Need

Overarching Need as identified in	The percentage of grade 3-5 students meeting proficient or exemplary in ELA is lower
CNA Section 3.2	than DOE performance targets for MTA.
Root Cause # 1	Classroom libraries and guided reading materials lack high interest text
Root Cause # 2	Looking at student data across all areas of ELA and implementing instructional strategies.
Root Cause # 3	Implementation of Fountas and Pinnell word study, guided reading groups, and strategy
	groups.
Root Cause # 4	Parent engagement is low. Parents do not know how (or have resources) to support their
	students at home
Root Cause # 5	Impacts of the pandemic, particularly student learning gaps and attendance.
Goal	During the 2022-23 school year, increase by 3% the number of students performing at or
	above proficiency in grades 3-5 as measured by the EOG Milestones (Lexile scores).

Action Step	Hire/utilize an intervention teacher to provide additional supportive and small group
Action Step	instruction in reading, and modify intervention schedule to provide increased focus on
	moving students from "developing" to "proficient".
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through staffing/HR documentation,
Implementation	school intervention schedules, intervention teacher rosters, TKES walkthroughs,
	Milestones ELA data, and school-wide monthly student reading assessment data and PL
	sign in sheets.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student ELA data sources-BAS, MAP, Milestones,
Student Achievement	GKIDS, Running Records and Unit Assessments.
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Title I Intervention teacher
Timeline for Implementation	Weekly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Hire/utilize an instructional coach to build teacher capacity by providing professional
•	learning, coaching and modeling of instructional strategies, assessment, and data analysis.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Professional Capacity
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through staffing/HR documentation,
Implementation	Professional Learning Agendas and minutes, instructional coach's schedule and notes,
	TKES walkthroughs, Milestones ELA data, and school-wide monthly student reading
	assessment data.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student ELA data sources-BAS, MAP, Milestones,
Student Achievement	GKIDS, Running Records and Unit Assessments.
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Coach
Timeline for Implementation	Weekly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
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out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Provide additional professional learning on reader's workshop model, how to teach and organize strategy groups and guided reading groups, Fountas and Pinnell strategies, utilizing student ELA data to inform instruction
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A Title II, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged Foster Homeless
	English Learners Migrant Race / Ethnicity / Minority Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction Professional Capacity
Success Criteria for Implementation	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through Professional Learning Agendas & minutes, instructional coach's schedule & notes, TKES walkthroughs, Milestones ELA data, and school-wide monthly student reading data and PL sign in sheets.
Success Criteria for Impact on Student Achievement	Success will be monitored through student ELA data sources-BAS, MAP, Milestones, GKIDS, Running Records and Unit Assessments.
Position/Role Responsible Timeline for Implementation	Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Coach Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Provide parents with information, strategies and materials to use at home to support
	reading.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners

Subgroups	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Family and Community Engagement
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through parent-sign in sheets,
Implementation	agendas and minutes afrom meetings/workshops and events where materials are
	distributed, records of materials in parent information center.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student ELA data sources-BAS, MAP, Milestones,
Student Achievement	GKIDS, Running Records and Unit Assessments.
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Parent Liaison
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Augment classroom reading libraries and guided reading sets with high-interest, engaging texts and reading materials.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through student utilization of
Implementation	classroom libraries, TKES walkthroughs, Milestones ELA data, and school-wide monthly
	student reading data.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student ELA data sources-BAS, MAP, Milestones,
Student Achievement	GKIDS, Running Records and Unit Assessments.

Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Coach, Media Specialist, Classroom Teachers
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Provide extended learning opportunities for students to increase reading achievement through the implementation of summer school.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Family and Community Engagement
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored using walkthroughs during summer
Implementation	school and reading level data at the beginning of the school year, as well as attendance
	records.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student ELA data sources-BAS, MAP, Milestones,
Student Achievement	GKIDS, Running Records and Unit Assessments.
Position/Role Responsible	Principal , Assistant Principal, Summer School Coordinator
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Utilize technology devices and software to support student literacy and reading materials
	and provide Professional Learning to teachers for implementation.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
_	Title I, Part A SIG
	Title I, Part C
	Title I, Part D
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
	N/A
	Immigrant
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Family and Community Engagement
	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Implementation will be monitored through walkthroughs, student data, student use of
Implementation	devices and software and PL agendas and sign in sheets.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student ELA data sources-BAS, MAP, Milestones,
Student Achievement	GKIS, Running Records and Unit Assessments.
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Coach
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

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2. SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

2.2 Overarching Need # 2

Overarching Need

Overarching Need as identified in	The percentage of grade 3-5 students meeting proficient or exemplary in math is lower
CNA Section 3.2	than DOE performance targets for MTA.
Root Cause # 1	3rd, 4th & 5th Grade math fluency is weak
Root Cause # 2	Teacher support of implementation of Eureka Math in grades K-3.
Root Cause # 3	Parent engagement is low. Parents do not know how (or have resources) to support their
	students at home
Root Cause # 4	Impacts of the pandemic, particularly student learning gaps and attendance.
Goal	During the 2022-23 school year, increase by 3% the number of students performing at or
	above proficiency in grades 3-5 as measured by the Math EOG Milestones.

Action Step	Provide professional learning on strategies to support Eureka Math implementation,
	fluency and numeracy strategies
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
	Title II, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Professional Capacity
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through professional learning sign-in
Implementation	sheets, agendas and minutes, TKES walkthroughs, Milestones Math data, and monthly
	school-wide math fluency monitoring data.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student Math data sources-MAP, Milestones, Unit
Student Achievement	Assessments, Fluency scores, IKAN and GLOSS, GKIDS
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Coach
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Hire/utilize an intervention teacher to provide additional supportive and small group instruction in math fluency, and modify intervention schedule to provide increased focus on moving students from "developing" to "proficient"
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Professional Capacity
	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through staffing/HR documentation,
Implementation	school intervention schedules, intervention teacher rosters, TKES walkthroughs,
	Milestones math data, and school-wide monthly student math fluency data.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student Math data sources-MAP, Milestones, Unit
Student Achievement	Assessments, Fluency scores, IKAN and GLOSS, GKIDS
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Intervention Teacher
Timeline for Implementation	Weekly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Hire/utilize an instructional coach to build teacher capacity by providing professional learning, coaching and modelling of instructional strategies, assessment and data analysis.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Professional Capacity
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored through staffing/HR documentation,
Implementation	Professional Learning agendas and minutes, instructional coach's schedule and notes,
	TKES walkthroughs, Milestones Math data, school-wide monthly math fluency data, unit
	assessment data, benchmark data.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student Math data sources-MAP, Milestones, Unit
Student Achievement	Assessments, Fluency scores, IKAN and GLOSS, GKIDS
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Provide professional learning opportunities for teachers to identify and address gaps
	between grade levels implementing Eureka Math and those that are not.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
	Title II, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners

Subgroups	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Professional Capacity
Success Criteria for	Sign-in sheets, agendas, minutes and notes from vertical professional learning sessions,
Implementation	Milestones Math data, school-wide math fluency data, benchmark and unit assessment
	data.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student Math data sources-MAP, Milestones, Unit
Student Achievement	Assessments, Fluency scores, IKAN and GLOSS, GKIDS
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Coach, Classroom Teachers
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Provide extended learning opportunities for students to increase mathematics achievement through the implementation of summer school.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Family and Community Engagement
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored using walkthroughs during summer
Implementation	school and reading level data at the beginning of the school years as well as attendance
	records.

Success Criteria for Impact on	Success will be monitored through student Math data sources-MAP, Milestones, Unit
Student Achievement	Assessments, Fluency scores, IKAN and GLOSS, GKIDS
Position/Role Responsible	Principal. Assistant Principal, Summer School Coordinator
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Utilize technology devices and software to support student literacy and reading materials
	and provide Professional Learning to teachers for implementation.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
	Title I, Part A SIG
	Title I, Part C
	Title I, Part D
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
	N/A
	Immigrant
Systems	Coherent Instruction
	Family and Community Engagement
	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Success will be monitored through walkthrough data on student use, teacher
Implementation	implementation, PL sign in sheets and agendas and student data.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Success criteria for impact on student achievement will be measured through student data
Student Achievement	sources: MAP, unit assessments, math fluency assessment, GKIDS, Milestones.
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Instructional Coaches

Timeline for Implementation	Yearly
What partnerships, if any, with	
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,	
Community based organizations,	
or any private entity with a	
demonstrated record of success is	
the LEA implementing in carrying	
out this action step(s)?	

2. SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

2.3 Overarching Need # 3

Overarching Need

Overarching Need as identified in	The percentage of students in K-5 defined chronically absent as defined by the DOE is
CNA Section 3.2	higher than the district average.
Root Cause # 1	Increased communication with parents on importance of attendance.
Root Cause # 2	Work with school counselor and school social worker to address specific attendance
	concerns
Goal	During the 2022-23 school year, decrease by 3% the number of students chronically absent
	in grades K-5.

Action Step	Communication with parents regarding the impact of student attendance on achievement.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Family and Community Engagement
	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored communication in parent meetings,
Implementation	school information sent out to parents.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Student attendance data
Student Achievement	
Position/Role Responsible	Principal, Assistant Principal, Counselor, Classroom Teachers
Timeline for Implementation	Yearly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	School counselor and social worker will work with teachers to specifically target and communicate with parents when there is an attendance concern and provide any supports
	needed.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
, and the second	Title II, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Family and Community Engagement
	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Implementation and effectiveness will be monitored using contact log in IC, counselor and
Implementation	social worker parent meetings, attendance contracts, home visits.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Student attendance data
Student Achievement	
Position/Role Responsible	Counselor, Social Worker, Teachers
Timeline for Implementation	Weekly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

2. SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS

2.4 Overarching Need # 4

Overarching Need

Overarching Need as identified in	During these ever evolving times, students need to have at least one trusted adult in the
CNA Section 3.2	building that they can go to if needed.
Root Cause # 1	Inconsistency in students being able to identify a trusted adult in the building.
Goal	During the 2022-23 school year, 100% of students will be able to name a trusted adult by
	the end of the school year.

Action Step	Continued PL and support for teachers on building relationships and mental health.
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
	Title II, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
Systems	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Counselor classroom guidance lessons, observations of building relationships, PL agendas
Implementation	and sign in sheets.
Success Criteria for Impact on	Student trusted adult survey data, state student health survey data
Student Achievement	
Position/Role Responsible	All Staff. Counselor and Administration will monitor data.
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

Action Step	Counselor classroom guidance lessons
Funding Sources	Title I, Part A
	Title II, Part A
Subgroups	Economically Disadvantaged
	Foster
	Homeless
	English Learners
	Migrant
	Race / Ethnicity / Minority
	Student with Disabilities
	N/A
	Immigrant
Systems	Supportive Learning Environment
Success Criteria for	Counselor classroom guidance lessons, observations of building relationships
Implementation	
Success Criteria for Impact on	Student trusted adult survey data, state student health survey data
Student Achievement	
Position/Role Responsible	All Staff. Counselor and Administration will monitor data.
Timeline for Implementation	Monthly

What partnerships, if any, with
IHEs, business, Non-Profits,
Community based organizations,
or any private entity with a
demonstrated record of success is
the LEA implementing in carrying
out this action step(s)?

3. REQUIRED QUESTIONS

3.1 Stakeholders, Coordination of Activities, Serving Children, and PQ

Required Questions

1. In developing this plan, briefly describe how the school sought advice from individuals (teachers, staff, other school leaders, paraprofessionals, specialized instructional support personnel, parents, community partners, and other stakeholders).

Martin Technology Academy has involved all teachers, support personnel and school leadership in developing the comprehensive needs assessment and school improvement plan. All staff were given the opportunity to participate in surveys regarding school needs and goals. Feedback from parents was obtained at multiple parent meetings throughout the year, including Title I parent Engagement meetings, and student-led conference feedback surveys and PTO meetings. Feedback from business and STEM partners was obtained at the STEM partner appreciation meeting in the spring. School leadership team meetings were held during the school year and the following summer to review data and determine school needs and appropriate goals. The school leadership team is comprised of representatives from administration, each grade-level and special area, including ESOL and special education, the school counselor, media specialist and instructional coach.

2. Describe how the school will ensure that low-income and minority children enrolled in the Title I school are not served at disproportionate rates by ineffective, out-of-field, or inexperienced teachers.

All Martin teachers are highly qualified in their position. Teachers new to Martin are partnered with an experienced mentor teacher.

3. Provide a general description of the Title I instructional program being implemented at this Title I school. Specifically define the subject areas to be addressed and the instructional strategies/methodologies to be employed to address the identified needs of the most academically at-risk students in the school. Please include services to be provided for students living in local institutions for neglected or delinquent children (if applicable).

Title I Instructional supports are provided through the Early Intervention Program. Students qualify for this service by using various data sources such as local assessments and EIP checklists. Students are served in reading and/or math utilizing the augmented, push-in, reduced class size, or self-contained models.

4. If applicable, provide a description of how teachers, in consultation with parents, administrators, and pupil services personnel, will identify eligible children most in need of services in Title I targeted assistance schools/programs. Please include a description of how the school will develop and implement multiple (a minimum of 2)

n/a Martin's Title I program is a schoolwide program, not a targeted assistance program.

objective, academic-based performance	
criteria to rank students for service. Also	
include a description of the measurable scale	
(point system) that uses the objective criteria	
to rank all students.	

3. REQUIRED QUESTIONS

3.2 PQ, Federally Identified Schools, CTAE, Discipline

Required Questions

5. If applicable, describe how the school will support, coordinate, and integrate services with early childhood programs at the school level, including strategies for assisting preschool children in the transition from early childhood education programs to local elementary school programs.

Currently, incoming kindergarten students are provided with a transition packet when they register for Kindergarten at Martin Technology Academy. This packet includes letter/sound practice, emergent readers, number recognition practice, list of sight words, list of websites that the students can use to work on math and literacy skills. In addition, there are many Pre-K classes in our area that are provided the opportunity to tour our school. This gives rising Kindergarten students a peek into the elementary school. Families are given the opportunity to sign up for a one week Kindergarten camp for incoming kindergarteners during the summer before entering kindergarten. . We also have an option for families to sign up for opportunities to tour our building as well. Special Education students are also allowed the opportunity to visit and tour the school. There are transition meetings with the parents of Special Education students prior to school beginning. All incoming students are given a kindergarten readiness assessment. This is designed by Hall County in order to provide information about individual levels of students. All ELL students are assessed using the W-APT. This determines those that would qualify for ESOL services.

6. If applicable, describe how the school will implement strategies to facilitate effective transitions for students from middle grades to high school and from high school to postsecondary education including:Coordination with institutions of higher education, employers, and local partners; andIncreased student access to early college, high school, or dual or concurrent enrollment opportunities or career counseling to identify student interest and skills.

Martin serves grades K-5 only. However, the program for elementary to middle school transition includes:

Sixth grade counselors visit fifth graders to discuss transition concerns of students and present information about classes, extra-curricular opportunities, and expectations.

Presentation provided by elementary counselor to answer typical questions fifth grade parents have concerning transitioning their child to middle school Middle school parent nights Middle school band and chorus visit to encourage students to participate in extra-curricular activities

Students can visit middle school during the summer during select days to ease transitional concerns-opening lockers, finding classes, etc

Counselor collaboration- Elementary and Middle school counselors discuss at-risk students to ensure student needs continue to be addressed at the middle school

7. Describe how the school will support efforts to reduce the overuse of discipline practices that remove students from the classroom, specifically addressing the effects on all subgroups of students.

Martin Technology Academy adheres to the Hall County Code of Conduct and Discipline Procedures, which requires schools to follow codes of conduct that focus on maintaining a good learning environment for all students. Integral to this Code of Conduct is a progressive discipline process wherein disciplinary actions are designed to teach students self-discipline and to help them replace inappropriate behaviors with those that are consistent with the character traits from Georgia's Character Education Program. At Martin Technology Academy, teachers utilize a progressive discipline procedure,

ADDITIONAL RESPONSES

8. Use the space below to provide additional	
narrative regarding the school's	
improvement plan.	