



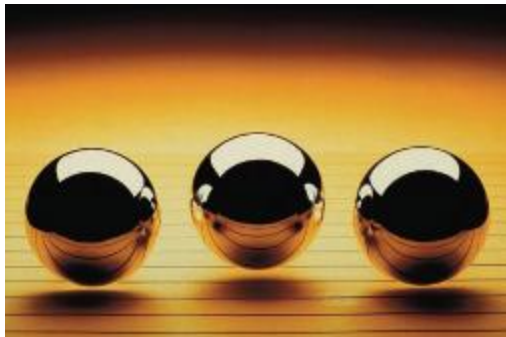
Quality Performance Department Newsletter

Thompson R2-J Systems Alignment Update

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Spotlight on Quality

Is there anything you would like to highlight from your department, building or office around quality performance? We would like to focus on your work. Let us know what process improvement you are completing, quality concept you are exploring or continuous improvement strategy you are discussing so we can showcase your work.



Updates

District Communication—This spirited and energetic team is busy completing their point-of-contact information and crisis communication one-pager for each TSD building. Thanks for your leadership, Dennis Rastatter and Wes Fothergill!

Updating Professional Development Practices—Under the leadership of Kellie Bashor and Maria Gabriel, this team has clarified all of the issues for professional development in TSD and has drafted a conceptual design for a new PD process. *YOU ALL ROCK!*

Differentiating Instruction—The Differentiated Instruction work team is gathering input from district administrators and Cabinet. We will be working on planning Phase III of our project soon. In this phase, we will be adding details to our design so that we will be ready to implement differentiating instruction's new design. We are still looking for staff members who want to have a voice in how differentiated instruction will look at your level or content area.

Do you know these people?



Recognizing Excellence—Have you seen your new Excellence poster? Keep your eyes open for the opportunity to recognize and celebrate your peers. The review committee is being formed now by Lamb Caro. *WAY TO GO, TEAM!*

L-PET—You may have heard about the PET focus groups happening now. They are reviewing the teacher standards draft. Thanks to Melissa Adams for facilitating the focus groups! *KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK, TEAM!*

C-PET Launch—Welcome our newest team leads for the classified performance management and evaluation tool team: Michelle Cable, Greg Peterson and Alicia Orebo. Stay tuned for more details.

Streamlining and Consolidating Initiatives—YEAH, TEAM! They completed their work *this week* by prioritizing all of the district's initiatives. THANKS, TODD BALL!

HR Hiring Process—New employees will have the opportunity to use Applicant Online this spring to help prin-

