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Indiana GPS: Indicator Updates



AGENDA

• Explain process for developing business rules for indicators.

Share key decision points regarding indicator business rules.

Highlight work supporting aspirational indicators.

• Explain next steps.



Guiding Principles

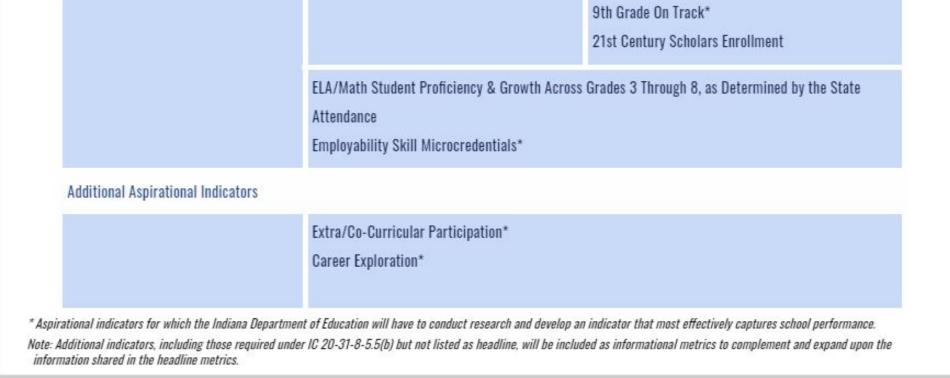


INDIANA GRADUATES PREPARED TO SUCCEED (GPS)

Guiding Principles:

- Foster learner-centered, future-focused systems that prioritize individual student growth and development
- Create access to pathways and opportunities that prepare students for employment, enrollment, or enlistment leading to service
- Encourage strategic partnerships between schools, communities, and the state leading to improved outcomes for students
- Develop a dashboard that is transparent and nimble as the global marketplace continues to change and as technology continues to advance





GRADE 3-5

3rd Grade Literacy

GRADE 6-8

8th Grade Math Proficiency

Advanced Coursework*

PRIMARY (PK-2)

Approved PK-8 Headline Indicators

Kindergarten Readiness*

PK-2 Literacy Progress*



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INDICATORS: CURRENT & ASPIRATIONAL

Currently Existing Indicators -

- Data supporting each indicator is maintained by IDOE or one of its state partner agencies (CHE, DWD, FSSA, etc.)
- Will be the first iteration of the Indiana GPS dashboard

Aspirational Indicators -

- Data to support these indicators will be developed using current data and best practices in partnership with stakeholders
- Aspirational indicators will be released through future updates to the Indiana GPS dashboard



Business Rules for Existing Indicators



DEVELOPMENT PROCESS OF BUSINESS RULES

Research & Analysis

Principle Alignment

Final Decision Process

- Literature review
- Analysis of relevant historical data
- Consultation with IDOE program teams and other experts
- Alignment to guiding principles of Indiana GPS
- Alignment across state agencies for consistency or strategic differences
- Alignment with themes from stakeholder feedback

- Finalize definition of each indicator
- Ensure data availability based on proposed definition
- Finalize business rules



K-8 BUSINESS RULE SUMMARY

Headline Indicator	IN GPS Characteristic(s)	Definition	Business Rules	Availability
3rd Grade Literacy	Academic Mastery Career & Postsecondary Readiness	Students demonstrating proficiency in essential early reading skills	Calculation: Number of grade 3 students who demonstrate proficiency on IREAD-3 divided by the total number of grade 3 students participating in the IREAD-3 assessment. Additional Details: Uses the students' best IREAD-3 score including summer data.	To Be Released in Fall 2022
Student Attendance	Work Ethic	Students maximize learning opportunities by attending school regularly	Calculation: Number of students with at least a 94% attendance rate divided by the number of total students.	To Be Released in Fall 2022
Advanced Coursework Prior to Grade 9	 Academic Mastery Career & Postsecondary Readiness Work Ethic 	Students completing advanced coursework (e.g., Pre-AP, Algebra I, Biology I, etc.) prior to 9th grade	Calculation: Number of grade 8 students who passed high school credit-bearing courses prior to entering grade 9 divided by the total number of students in the most recent cohort of eighth graders. Additional Details: This indicator is meant to expand access for students who are prepared for advanced coursework, not promote advanced coursework for all students in middle school.	To Be Released in Fall 2022



9-12 BUSINESS RULE SUMMARY

Headline Indicator	IN GPS Characteristic(s)	Definition	Business Rules	Availability
High School Graduation On-Track	 Academic Mastery Career & Postsecondary Readiness Work Ethic 	Percentage of students earning the expected number and type of credits annually in order to graduate on time	Calculation: The total number of students who earn the expected number of high school credits in the most recent school year divided by the total number of students enrolled. Additional Details: The IDOE continues to research the definition of expected number of credits to promote Indiana GPS.	In Development (Winter 2022)
College and Career Coursework	 Academic Mastery Career & Postsecondary Readiness Work Ethic 	Students completing advanced coursework (e.g., AP, IB, DC, IC) prior to 12th grade	Calculation: Number of students who are completing advanced coursework (AP/IB/DC/Cambridge) prior to the end of grade 12 divided by the number of students in the 12th grade cohort.	To Be Released in Fall 2022
Strength of Diploma	 Academic Mastery Career & Postsecondary Readiness 	The percentage of students graduating with each type of Indiana diploma	Calculation: Percent/Number of students earning a General Diploma, Core 40 Diploma, Academic Honors Diploma, and Technical Honors Diploma in the most recent graduating cohort. Additional Details: The headline indicator will display separate totals for each diploma type.	To Be Released in Fall 2022



DETAILED INDICATOR BUSINESS RULES

Summary of Business Rules for Grades K-8

• Summary of Business Rules for Grades 9-12



Aspirational Indicator Updates



PROGRAM INSIGHTS AND TAKEAWAYS

IDOE is committed to:

- Evaluating program success,
- Meeting with and learning from grantees, and
- Identifying concrete lessons learned and implications for future practice.
- Insights and takeaways from program evaluation will be used to inform measurement and reporting of aspirational indicators



CAREER & POSTSECONDARY READINESS

The 3E Grant is aimed at helping schools and communities strengthen, expand, and create effective Pre-K to career pathways and linkages.

Increase the number of students earning a high-value postsecondary credential

Increase the number of students engaging in high-quality work-based learning opportunities during high school Increase the number of innovative career exploration and engagement opportunities in elementary and middle school

Indicator alignments: Work-based learning & Employed, Enlisted, Enrolled



COMMUNICATION, COLLABORATION, & WORK ETHIC

This grant promotes the design of micro-credentials and badges to assess student readiness in communication, collaboration, and work ethic.

Increase the number of students mastering communication, collaboration, and work ethic as measured through micro credentials and badges.

Implement programs that engage both internal and external stakeholders on cultivating communication, collaboration, and work ethic.

Develop tools or processes to measure student readiness and mastery in the skills of communication, collaboration, and work ethic.

Indicator alignments: Employability Skill Microcredentials



Next Steps



LOCAL INDICATOR DEVELOPMENT

- IDOE is committed to launching the first phase of the Indiana GPS dashboard in Fall 2022.
- Feedback from stakeholders will be used to determine future dashboard iterations and local indicator development.



TIMELINE & NEXT STEPS

Ongoing Updates to SBOE...

WINTER '22

Stakeholder engagement...

- Dashboard design and user experience
- Individual indicator rules and specifications

SPRING '22

Updates on...

- Aspirational indicator initiatives
- Final indicator specs and business rules
- Final expectations for local indicators

FALL '22

Launch...

- Initial iteration of Indiana GPS school performance dashboard
- Determine state and local goals
- Programs and supports designed to promote actions related to dashboard outcomes



THANK YOU!

Standards in Essential Need of Support



STANDARDS IN ESSENTIAL NEED OF SUPPORT: DEFINED

Standards in Essential Need of Support (SENS) are defined as:

- Standards which contain content and skills that are essential for student success (both at the current grade level and in future grades), and
- Standards where data indicates that students are performing significantly below expectations.





METHODOLOGY





COMMITTEE TASKS

- Examine the standards that have been identified:
 - Do the identified standards appear to align with overall content priorities, based on data and your experiences?
 - Are there identified standards that are outliers that should be discussed for potential removal, based on data and your experiences?
- Once the committee has determined the data at the state level, each district can determine which standards require the most support for their district using a very similar process.



NEXT STEPS

- IDOE will perform the statewide SENS analysis each year following the release of ILEARN data. Updated SENS are scheduled to publish each July.
- An initial publication will occur in April 2022 using assessment data (ILEARN and interim/benchmark data) from spring and fall 2021.
 - The initial publication provides schools time to understand the process and resources prior to the end of school year 2021-2022.
- Resources have been developed surrounding educator and family support (i.e. school template supporting methodology, "how-to" videos specific to content and grade bands, resources, and parent guidance and support).



THANK YOU!