

Strengthening Teacher and Leader Effectiveness 3 Program

Grantee Information:

Grantee: **Red Creek Central School District**

Partner: **WFL BOCES**

Abstract:

The Red Creek CSD will sustain six Teacher Leaders-Instructional Coaches, develop six Professional Teacher-Assistant Instructional Coaches, and one Teacher Leader - Common Core Development Leader to support the following areas:

- 6-12 Math; 6-12 ELA; 6-12 Science; 6-12 Social Studies
- K-5 Math; K-5 ELA and other subjects

Working collaboratively with teachers, these teacher leaders will provide professional development, coaching, and facilitate professional learning communities that will:

- Analyze current and past data trends to improve teacher instruction and effectiveness
- Establish new or update current curriculum maps for each of the cores
- Develop cross curricular integration and collaboration within and amongst the cores and non-core subject areas
- Work, communicate, and collaborate as a unified team across grade level, content area, and cross-curriculum to improve teacher effectiveness in positive classroom management techniques, instructional strategies, and common core curriculum

The district will also create the positions of Principal Leader and Professional Principal, and develop a professional learning community for K-12 administrators.

Additional initiatives and activities include:

- A Summer Common Core Math and ELA Academy that provides teachers with training and knowledge on the ongoing implementation of the Math and ELA common core modules

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- Leadership development training for principals and teacher leaders on effective teams and leading staff in: data-driven instruction, formative assessment, and common core.
- Benchmark assessment software training to assist instructional coaches in training and coaching data-driven instruction skills and provide teachers with the tools to implement and sustain these skills.
- Implementation of formative, benchmark assessments to drive effective data-driven instructional practices and curriculum.
- Principal and Superintendent coaching through the Warner-WFL BOCES Leadership Institute.
- Teacher development coaching and training for teachers in various areas to assist them in achieving a highly effective rating and becoming a professional teacher.

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