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2011-2012 COMPREHENSIVE EDUCATIONAL PLAN (CEP)

SCHOOL NAME: P.S. 133Q

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SCHOOL LEADERSHIP TEAM (SLT) SIGNATURE PAGE

Use this page to identify SLT members and confirm their participation in the development of this Comprehensive Educational Plan (CEP), which includes goals and action plans, a summary of Academic Intervention Services, and the Parent Involvement Policy. The signatures of SLT members indicate their participation in the development of the CEP and serve as confirmation that consultation has occurred to align funding in support of educational programs. The SLT must include an equal number of parents and staff and have a minimum of 10 and a maximum of 17 members, in accordance with the Chancellor’s Regulation A-655, available on the NYC DOE Web site.

Directions:

1. List each SLT member in the left-hand column on the chart below. Specify any position held by the team member, e.g., Chairperson, SLT Secretary and the constituent group represented, e.g., parent, staff, student, or CBO. Core mandatory SLT members are indicated by an asterisk*.
2. Ensure that SLT members review this document and sign in the right-hand column in blue ink. If an SLT member does not wish to sign this plan, he/she may attach a written explanation in lieu of his/her signature.
3. Add rows as needed to ensure that all SLT members are listed.
4. The original copy, along with any written communications pertaining to this page, is to remain on file in the principal’s office and be made available upon written request.

Name	Position and Constituent Group Represented	Signature
Marianne Sheridan	*Principal or Designee	
Rhoda Ruchefsky	*UFT Chapter Leader or Designee	
Barbara Dorcean	*PA/PTA President or Designated Co-President	
Roxanne Ugas	DC 37 Representative, if applicable	
N/A	Student Representative (optional for elementary and middle schools; a minimum of two members required for high schools)	
N/A	CBO Representative, if applicable	
Indira Balkisoon	Member/ Parent	
Sue Anne Kane	Member/Parent	
Deirdre Noonan	Member/Parent	
Isabel Shon	Member/Parent	
Anita Thakkar	Member/Parent	
Gail Whelan	Member/Parent	
Madeline Cervantes	Member/ Teacher	
Renee Sabbagh	Member / Teacher	
Misty Santo	Member/ Teacher	
Ellen Schwartz	Member/ Teacher	

DIRECTIONS AND GUIDANCE FOR COMPLETING THE ANNUAL GOALS AND ACTION PLAN SECTION

The CEP goal-setting process serves both to support the identification and implementation of school-wide goals as well as to document how your school is meeting Federal, State, and City regulations.

As a result of principal feedback on this process, the CEP has been significantly streamlined to reduce the amount of time spent fulfilling requirements and to allow schools to focus on goal-setting and instructional priorities. The goal and action plan section, contained on pages 4 through 8 of this template, now serves as the central work of the CEP process and reflects a consolidation of numerous CEP requirements from prior years.

Below you will find guidance on documenting annual goals and action plans.

WHICH SCHOOLS NEED TO COMPLETE THIS?

- All schools should identify and submit annual goals and action plans in consultation with their School Leadership Team.

HOW DO CEP GOALS RELATE TO GOALS SET FOR THE PRINCIPAL PERFORMANCE REVIEW (PPR)?

- CEP goals are generally intended to guide school-wide planning and development. CEP goals may be adapted from goals set by the principal for the Principal Performance Review (PPR) if they are appropriate for use as school-wide goals.

HOW SHOULD A SCHOOL DEVELOP ITS GOALS AND ACTION PLANS?

- Your school should identify a minimum of three and a maximum of five annual goals.
- Goals should be “SMART” - specific, measurable, achievable, realistic, and time-bound.
- Goal development should be based on an assessment of your school’s needs.
- Your school should demonstrate the use of both qualitative and quantitative data in providing the rationale for each goal. Cite sources that contributed to the rationale, such as the Progress Report, Quality Review, School Survey, State Differentiated Accountability report (SQR, ESCA, or JIT), state and school assessment results, attendance records, inquiry team work, etc.
- Each goal and action plan requires your school to cite the strategies and activities in your Parent Involvement Policy (PIP) that will be implemented to achieve the goal identified. The PIP template is provided on pages 11 through 15. Your school is encouraged to use the template as it is provided, or align it in accordance with your school’s goals, or replace it entirely with a Parent Involvement Policy created by your school that meets federal requirements. You may use or amend relevant sections of your PIP directly to respond to the parental involvement section of each goal and action plan.
- Schools designated as Improvement, Corrective Action, Restructuring, and/or PLA/SURR by the New York State Education Department must identify a goal and complete an action plan related to improving student outcomes for the specific subject area and subgroups identified for improvement. For each subject area identified, a goal and action plan is required.

ANNUAL GOAL #1 AND ACTION PLAN

Use this template to identify an annual goal. Respond to each section to indicate strategies and activities in support of accomplishing this goal.

Annual Goal #1

Describe a goal you have identified for the year. Refer to the directions and guidance for assistance in developing your goals.

- By June 2012 students in grades K-5 will demonstrate an increase of at least two levels in reading comprehension as measured by the TCRWP Reading Inventory which correlates with the Fountas and Pinnel system of leveling books.

Comprehensive needs assessment

- Describe the identified need that generated this goal. The needs assessment should encompass the entire school and be based on the performance of students in relation to State academic content and student achievement standards.
- School needs assessments is an ongoing process conducted at School Leadership Team meetings, UFT Consultation Committee meetings, PTA, grade level conferences, PPC Committee meetings, Interdisciplinary and grade Inquiry Team meetings as well as informal and formal observations by administration. Student performance trends are assessed through informal and formal cumulative and summative assessments.
- The percentage of students achieving proficiency as measured on the 2011 State ELA was 77%- as compared to 74% in 2010. This change is consistent with a Citywide (and Statewide) pattern and reflects new criteria for determining levels of student achievement as measured on the State test. Leadership,
- Teachers, Inquiry Teams, Principal and the Data Specialist reviewed results from the 2011 ELA for grades 3-5. We noted that there was an ongoing trend. After looking at results over 3 years we have noticed that our Level 4 students keep decreasing in number. Therefore it is necessary to focus our attention on raising the achievement of our Level 3 students to move to Level 4.

The percentage of students scoring a level 4 on the 2010 State ELA assessment in the 3rd grade was 21% in 2010 as compared to 8% in 2011.

The percentage of students scoring a level 4 on the 2010 State ELA assessment in the 4th grade was 5 % in 2010 as compared to 1% in 2011.

The percentage of students scoring a level 4 on the 2010 State ELA assessment in the 5th grade was 18% in 2010 as compared to 10% in 2011.

This represents a relatively small group of students achieving level 4 status and indicates an area that needs to be addressed.

- Progress towards closing the achievement gap for our Students with Disabilities and English Language Learner students is reflected in the “additional credit” that we received for the past four years as noted on the Progress Reports. Efforts are ongoing to address the needs of these subgroups who continue to perform at levels significantly below their peers.
- As a school community, we continue to focus on increasing the percentage of students making at least 1 year of progress in ELA and Math. This remains a focal point of our work as a school community.

Instructional strategies/activities

- Describe the research-based instructional strategies and activities that will be used to achieve this goal. Include descriptions of the following in your response:
 - a) strategies/activities that encompass the needs of identified student subgroups,
 - b) staff and other resources used to implement these strategies/activities,
 - c) steps taken to include teachers in the decision-making regarding the use of academic assessments to evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies/activities,
 - d) timeline for implementation.
- Develop schedules to support the school’s instructional goals giving teachers the common planning time needed to meet with colleagues. Teachers on grade levels and Inquiry team members will meet regularly to effectively adjust curriculum and instruction to help students move toward the expectations of the CCLS.
- Principal and faculty engage students and families in reciprocal and ongoing discussions regarding student progress towards meeting school and class expectations.
- Develop structures with teachers, parent coordinator, PTA and School Leadership Team to support families using Internet tools such as ARIS and Parent Link.
- Teachers across all grade levels are invited to participate in voluntary professional study groups that explore various strategies to enhance student learning and that focus on developing units of study that are motivating and innovative.
- Teachers, Inquiry Teams, Principal and the Data Specialist reviewed students’ independent reading level progression data for September and November 2011 using the standardized Fountas & Pinnel running records.
- Provide parents the opportunities to gain a better understanding of goals and objectives for student learning and to better understand student performance by providing workshops, parent orientation meetings, conferences and information dialogs as part of the monthly PTA meetings.
- Organize and participate in Inquiry Teams to ensure that teachers have the opportunity to look closely at current student work to understand the steps needed to reach the level of performance that the common core demands.
- Meet at least bi monthly with PPC, Special Education Liaison and ELL teacher to ensure that students with IEP’s or special needs are provided with the supports and resources needed to succeed. Conference with teachers to make sure that all students who need extra support are receiving ongoing AIS services including extended day.
- Lead teacher will be identified and attend monthly sessions with Network literacy specialist.
- Full day professional development in September, November and June will be used to continue school wide focus and to share information, new initiatives and provide needed support.
- Data specialist will continue to provide training to teachers on the use of ARIS, Acuity, Study Island and other assessment tools to access and

analyze data.

- Teachers will communicate clear learning goals to students and parents.
- Continue to focus on analyzing soft data to drive instruction including TCRWP assessments, reading inventories, IEP's, teacher tests, periodic assessments, and teacher conference notes.
- Identify at risk students and plan academic intervention to support classroom instruction
- ESL teacher will continue to support literacy during mandated periods by focusing on building vocabulary, listening comprehension, writing skills and higher order thinking skills.
- ESL teacher will participate in Inquiry team work to share effective strategies with classroom teachers that will assist with planning and classroom instruction.
- Identified students with disabilities in the self contained and SETTS program will have the opportunity to participate in the Wilson reading/ phonics program to support learning.
- Pupil Personnel Committee will meet regularly to support classroom teachers in developing intervention and strategies for improvement
- Curriculum maps and pacing calendars will be revisited to ensure continuity and rigor of instruction across the grades.
- Professional development will involve all teaching staff and will focus on data gathering and analysis in order to inform instruction, provide differentiation of instruction within the Common Core State Standards.
- Articulation/ congruence meetings between classroom teachers and support staff are scheduled throughout the year providing opportunities for teachers to provide best practices.
- The components in a Balanced Literacy Program will be used to scaffold the learning for students to become proficient readers.
- Shared reading will be used to teach explicit instruction around comprehension skills and word work.
- The Wilson Foundations' program will continue in grades K and 1 in order to provide consistent multisensory instruction in phonics.
- The special education network specialist will continue to provide training and support to teachers.
- School Leadership Training Opportunities for parents in November and January to obtain and review skills and strategies.
- Teachers will use assessments from Foundations, TCRWP and other formative assessments to drive and monitor instruction.
- Teachers in Grades K-5 will continue to use the Elements of Reading program that focuses on systematic and explicit vocabulary instruction in order to develop more sophisticated reading, writing and speaking skills.
- The Lead Teachers will attend monthly meetings with the Network Literacy Specialist, studying comprehension and the building of vocabulary and "accountable talk" to raise the level of critical thinking and student learning.
- Professional development will involve all teaching staff and will focus on data gathering and analysis in order to inform instruction.
- Inquiry Teacher teams will discuss and evaluate present practices, study current research and will implement change strategies, monitor the progress of targeted students and share strategies with the school community.
- Common planning time will be scheduled for teachers on the grade to meet weekly to plan instruction, to look at student work, to participate in the inquiry team process, to share ideas and resources and to discuss the Common Core State Standards.
- Individual student folders will be maintained by classroom teachers, tracking the goals and progress that students are making in comprehension skills, reading levels and word study.
- Listening and computer centers will be used to challenge and support the literacy skills for ELLs, students at-risk, and students who are performing at an advanced level.
- Study Island software internet program will be provided for students in grades K-5 to enhance their literacy skills and to monitor their progress.
- The computer, science and library/ social studies will incorporate the CCLS writing standards into their teaching to support student learning.
- In teams, teachers will look closely at current student work to understand the steps needed to reach the level of performance that the

Common Core demands. Student work will be analyzed and critiqued at monthly inquiry meeting to see evidence of improvement and successful teaching strategies and plan intervention when needed to support students.

- Teachers will assist students in identifying clear learning goals for increasing their writing skills when responding to informational texts.
- Articulation/ congruence meetings between classroom teachers and support staff are scheduled throughout the year providing opportunities for teachers to provide best practices.
- The SBO for an 8 period school day will continue and will provide opportunities for individual and/or small group tutoring for remediation and enrichment.

All staff members will be responsible for implementing and monitoring our Action Plan.

Timeline for implementation: September 2011 – June 2012.

Strategies to increase parental involvement

- School Leadership Training Opportunities for parents in November and January to support SLT responsibilities
- Orientation meetings for parents in September 2011 with teacher sharing grade goals and objectives for school year
- Monthly Parent Book Club.
- School Book Fairs in November and March.
- Monthly Parent –Teacher Association Meetings to provide and disseminate information from SLT and Instructional expectations.
- Parent workshops on ELA and at home resources will be provided including Study Island and ARIS.
- PS 133Q school website with online resources for parents.
- Parent coordinator outreach with e-mail, phone calls and meetings with parents in addition to monthly newsletter
- School Book Fairs in November and March.
- Monthly SLT meetings to discuss and ensure the implementation of our CEP goals.

Strategies for attracting Highly Qualified Teachers (HQT)

- Describe the strategies and activities that will be used to attract Highly Qualified Teachers, as defined by NCLB, or to ensure that current staff becomes highly qualified, in order to achieve this goal.
- ✓ **PS 133Q attracts highly qualified teachers by our rigorous interview protocols which include:**
 - Open Market search for candidates.
 - Candidates meet for Level 1 and level 2 interviews with Hiring Committee.
 - Candidates teach a demonstration lesson with children from PS 133.
 - Candidates are asked to supply a writing sample.
- ✓ **PS 133Q retains and nurtures teachers by:**
 - Providing numerous common planning periods with grade level colleagues.
 - Formal and informal observations by supervisor with effective feedback.
 - Professional development opportunities including September ,November and June Professional Development days, monthly grade

conferences, monthly Inquiry Team meetings, Cluster and Network 2.05 PD and DOE workshops.

- Providing numerous common planning periods with grade level colleagues
- Provides common planning periods with grade level colleagues
- Administration encourages staff to conduct P.D. at faculty and grade conferences in addition to “lunch and learn” meetings
- Administration conducts monthly faculty conferences, grade conferences and lead teacher meetings to inform staff of ant new DOE agenda/ mandates
- Formal and informal observations by supervisors
- informal observations with written feedback by supervisors USING Danielson’s Framework for Teaching

Service and program coordination

- Describe how Federal, State and local services, including programs supported under NCLB (i.e., violence prevention programs, nutrition programs, housing programs, Head Start) are being coordinated with the instructional strategies/activities to achieve this goal.
- P.S. 133Q’s school programs are enhanced by their partnership with Young Audiences which supplements the school curriculum with additional student opportunities in the arts – dance, music, theater, art. PS 133 also participates in violence prevention programs initiatives such as the anti-bullying campaign, the Respect for All programs, and the Healthy Choices focus.

Budget and resources alignment

- Describe the fiscal and human resources that will be used to achieve this goal, referencing specific FY’12 PS and OTPS budget categories (i.e>Title I, FSF, Title IIA, Title III, etc.) that will support the actions/strategies/activities described in this action plan.
- Per Session Monies (TL Fair Student Funding) will be budgeted for professional development activities and needed resources.
- Inquiry Grade teams will meet regularly beginning in September 2011 to continue inquiry work to best support student learning. Funds will be allocated for teacher coverage’s and per session activities including data specialist, parent workshops and professional development workshops.
- OTPS monies (FSF) budgeted for purchasing classroom resources to support teaching and student learning.
- Title III funds will be used to support ELL after school classes with a certified ELL teacher.

ANNUAL GOAL #2 AND ACTION PLAN

Use this template to identify an annual goal. Respond to each section to indicate strategies and activities in support of accomplishing this goal.

Annual Goal #2

Describe a goal you have identified for the year. Refer to the directions and guidance for assistance in developing your goals.

- By June 2012 80% of students in grades K-5 students will improve their ability to make sense of problems through modeling and demonstrations to construct viable arguments as measured by DOE Task Rubrics,

Comprehensive needs assessment

- Describe the identified need that generated this goal. The needs assessment should encompass the entire school and be based on the performance of students in relation to State academic content and student achievement standards.
- School needs assessments are conducted at School Leadership Team meetings, UFT Consultative Committee meetings, PTA, grade level conferences, PPC Committee meetings, Interdisciplinary and grade Inquiry Team meetings as well as informal and formal observations by administration. Student performance trends are assessed through informal and formal cumulative and summative assessments.
- The percentage of students achieving proficiency as measured on the 2011 State Math Test was 87% as compared to 93% in 2010. This change is consistent with a Citywide (and Statewide) pattern and reflects new criteria for determining levels of student achievement as measured on the State test. Leadership,
- Teachers, Inquiry Teams, Principal and the Data Specialist reviewed results from the 2011 ELA for grades 3-5. We noted that there was a decrease in the number of students of students achieving level 4 proficiency in Math. Based on analysis of this data teachers and principal identified the need to raise the level of comprehension in all grades,
- The percentage of students scoring a level 4 on the 2010 State Math assessment in the 3rd grade was 18% as compared to 50% in 2011. The percentage of students scoring a level 4 on the 2010 State Math assessment in the 4th grade was 66% as compared to 55% in 2011. The percentage of students scoring a level 4 on the 2010 State Math assessment in the 5th grade was 56% as compared to 60% in 2011. This represents a relatively small group of students achieving level 4 status and indicates an area that needs to be addressed.
- In 2009/2010 a total of 7% of all students did not meet proficiency in Mathematics. In 2010-2011 a total of 13% of students did not meet proficiency.
- As a school community, we continue to focus on increasing the percentage of students making at least 1 year of progress in Math. This remains a focal point of our work as a school community.
- Progress towards closing the achievement gap for our Students with Disabilities and English Language Learner students is reflected in the “additional credit” that we received for the past four years as noted on the Progress Reports. Efforts are ongoing to address the needs of these subgroups who continue to perform at levels significantly below their peers.

Instructional strategies/activities

Describe the research-based instructional strategies and activities that will be used to achieve this goal. Include descriptions of the following in your response:

- a) strategies/activities that encompass the needs of identified student subgroups,
 - b) staff and other resources used to implement these strategies/activities,
 - c) steps taken to include teachers in the decision-making regarding the use of academic assessments to evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies/activities,
 - d) timeline for implementation.
- Develop schedules to support the school’s instructional goals giving teachers the common planning time needed to meet with colleagues.
 - Students will achieve at least one year or level’s progress in mathematics (Novice to apprentice, apprentice to practitioner, or practitioner to expert) in problem solving skills.
 - Teachers on grade level teams will meet regularly and effectively to adjust curriculum and instruction to help students move toward the expectations of the CCLS in mathematics.
 - Teachers will incorporate the Mathematics Depth of Knowledge into their planning and teaching to improve critical thinking skills.

- Principal and faculty engage student and families in reciprocal and ongoing discussions regarding student progress towards meeting school and Citywide Instructional Expectations.
- Teachers across all grade levels are invited to participate in voluntary professional study groups that explore various strategies to enhance student learning and that focus on developing units of study that are motivating and innovative.
- The computer, science and teachers will incorporate the CCLS math standards into their teaching to support student learning.
- Meet at least bi monthly with PPC, Special Education Liaison and ELL teacher to ensure that students with IEP's or special needs are provided with the supports and resources needed to succeed. Conference with teachers to make sure that all students who need extra support are receiving ongoing AIS services including extended day.
- Data from "Every Day Mathematics" assessments, exemplars, teacher judgment and periodic assessments will be used to plan instructional strategies to meet goals.
- Use of "Math Exemplars" in grades 3-5 to focus on problem solving.
- Data gathering and analysis of information to inform the differentiation of instruction and monitor student progress.
- Lead teacher will be identified and attend monthly sessions with Network Math Specialist and "turn key" information to classroom teachers.
- Full day professional development in September, November and June will be used to continue school wide focus and to share information, new initiatives and provide needed support.
- Math Committee will be organized to offer teachers support and resources to share successful math strategies to complete tasks and improve learning.
- The Data Specialist will collect data from existing management systems, conducting assessment item analysis and assisting administration and Inquiry Team members in how best to utilize that data to improve student learning outcomes.
- Articulation/ congruence meetings between classroom teachers and support staff are scheduled throughout the year providing opportunities for teachers to provide best practices.
- Teachers will communicate clear learning goals to students and parents.
- Identified students will be provided with AIS in math during the 37 ½ minute extended day Monday-Thursday.
- Grade conferences and faculty meetings will focus on sharing ideas, resources, issues and concerns to will support learning goals.
- Teachers will participate in training around the use of open ended responses in the Everyday Mathematics curriculum in order to engage students in mathematical conversations and raise the level of student thinking and understanding of mathematical concepts.
- Teachers will utilize pacing and alignment calendars at each grade level to ensure continuity of instruction.
- Professional development will involve all teaching staff and will focus on data gathering and analysis in order to inform instruction, differentiation of instruction and the Common Core State Standards.
- Teachers will utilize math manipulative in centers and flexible grouping to develop mathematical concepts and problem solving skills and to differentiate instruction.
- Articulation/ congruence meetings between classroom teachers and support staff are scheduled throughout the year providing opportunities for teachers to provide best practices.
- Teachers will continue to incorporate the use of technology, including online resources and tutorials and interactive white boards, as instructional aids in math instruction.
- Teachers will maintain individual student folders that track student learning and progress.
- Teachers will schedule 60 minutes of daily math instruction.
- "Math Exemplars" will be incorporated into the math curriculum as an instructional aid for differentiating instruction in problem solving.

- Teachers incorporate the use of open ended responses in the Everyday Mathematics curriculum in order to engage students in mathematical conversations and raise the level of student thinking and understanding of mathematical concepts.
- Teachers will model “accountable talk” in daily math instruction and foster critical thinking skills through discussion and sharing of explanations and alternative solutions to mathematical problems.
- Common planning time will be scheduled for teachers on each grade at least twice a week to provide opportunities for teachers to meet and share ideas around instructional issues in mathematics and to discuss the Common Core State Standards.
- If budget allows monies will be used for per diem days for teachers to attend workshops to increase their content knowledge in mathematics and to deepen their understanding of how students learn and think about math.
- Small group tutoring will be provided for students that are at risk in mathematics.

All staff members will be responsible for implementing and monitoring our Action Plan.

Timeline for implementation: September 2011 – June 2012.

Strategies to increase parental involvement

- Orientation meetings for parents in September 2011 to share math learning goals for year with parents.
- Monthly Parent –Teacher Association Meetings to provide and disseminate information from SLT and Instructional expectations.
- Parent workshops on Math and at home resources will be provided including Study Island and ARIS will be provided.
- PS 133Q school website with online resources for parents.
- Parent coordinator outreach with e-mail, phone calls and meetings with parents in addition to monthly newsletters
- School Book Fairs in November and March.
- Monthly SLT meetings to discuss and ensure the implementation of our CEP goals.
- School Leadership Training Opportunities for parents in November and January.
- Parent workshops will focus on activities and strategies for parents to support students’ mathematical development.
- Orientation meetings for parents in September 2011 to share math learning goals for year with parents.
- Develop structures with teachers, parent coordinator, PTA and School Leadership Team to support families using internet tools (ARIS, Parent Link) provide workshops, parent orientation and conferences information as part of the monthly PTA meetings to better provide an understanding of goals and objectives for student learning and to better understand student performance.
- Parent workshops will focus on activities and strategies for parents to support students’ mathematical development.

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- Candidates are asked to supply a writing sample.
- ✓ **PS 133Q retains and nurtures teachers by:**
 - Providing numerous common planning periods with grade level colleagues.
 - Formal and informal observations by supervisor with effective feedback.
 - Professional development opportunities including September P.D. day, Election Day, Brooklyn Queens day, Monthly grade conferences, Monthly Inquiry Team meetings, Monthly Inquiry Team Grade meetings, Cluster and Network 2.05 PD and DOE workshops.
 - Providing numerous common planning periods with grade level colleagues
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Service and program coordination

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Budget and resources alignment

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- Per Session Monies (TL Fair Student Funding) will be budgeted for professional development activities and purchases of needed resources
- Inquiry Grade teams will meet regularly beginning in September 2011 to continue inquiry work to best support student learning. Funds will be allocated for teacher coverage’s and per session activities including data specialist, parent workshops and professional development workshops.
- OTPS monies (FSF) budgeted for purchasing classroom resources to support teaching and student learning
- Title III funds will be used to support ELL after school classes with a certified ELL teacher.

ANNUAL GOAL #3 AND ACTION PLAN

Use this template to identify an annual goal. Respond to each section to indicate strategies and activities in support of accomplishing this goal.

Annual Goal #3

- Describe a goal you have identified for the year. Refer to the directions and guidance for assistance in developing your goals.

Teachers will evaluate periodic writing pre-assessments (Quick Writes, On Demand) based on writing rubrics. By June , 2012 80% of students in grades K-5 will improve their ability to write opinion or argument based responses / essays from analysis of informational text read in class as measured by DOE rubrics upon completion of the CCLS aligned writing task.

Comprehensive needs assessment

- Describe the identified need that generated this goal. The needs assessment should encompass the entire school and be based on the performance of students in relation to State academic content and student achievement standards.

School needs assessments are conducted at School Leadership Team meetings, UFT Consultative Committee meetings, PTA, grade level conferences, PPC Committee meetings, Interdisciplinary and grade Inquiry Team meetings as well as informal and formal observations by administration. Student performance trends are assessed through informal and formal cumulative and summative assessments As part of our commitment to support all students in grades K-5 to be college and career ready, informational writing has been targeted as an area that needs to be strengthened in our educational program as indicated in the new Common Core Learning Standards. During the 2010-2011 school year Inquiry teams analyzed student writing work using the CCLS. We determined that the ongoing use of well crafted writing rubrics and effective feedback from teachers will support the CEP goal to strengthen student's ability to provide grade level written response to nonfiction/ informational tasks by forming opinions and arguments.

Instructional strategies/activities

- Describe the research-based instructional strategies and activities that will be used to achieve this goal. Include descriptions of the following in your response:
 - a) strategies/activities that encompass the needs of identified student subgroups,
 - b) staff and other resources used to implement these strategies/activities,
 - c) steps taken to include teachers in the decision-making regarding the use of academic assessments to evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies/activities,
 - d) timeline for implementation.
- Teachers will align instruction to strategic CCLS when assessing writing pre assessments (Quick Writes, On Demand) to differentiate, evaluate and track student progress in writing skills.
- Students in grade K-5 will improve their ability to respond to nonfiction text using the Social Studies and Science curriculum and Depth of Knowledge.
- Teachers will use data based on pre and post writing assessments, writing rubrics teacher judgment / conference notes, and student writing portfolios to differentiate instruction.

- Teachers will encourage students to use tools that help support writing including word processing, design software and computer level resources.
- Students will effectively use evidence to support arguments across areas and grades and be able to use teacher made rubric to support work
- Teachers will meet during common planning time to develop non- fiction writing rubrics that are aligned with their units of study and CCLS.
- Days will be budgeted for sub coverage so teachers can participate in professional development activities to increase their content knowledge, share best practices and adjust their curriculum and instruction to help students move towards the higher expectations of CCLS.
- Lead teacher for upper and lower grades will be identified and attend monthly meetings with Network Literacy specialist.
- The Network Literacy Specialist will assist teachers in using student work to develop assessment tools to measure progress in responding to informational text.
- This will be provided through rigorous classroom instruction that is aligned to the Common Core Learning Standards.
- The computer, science and library/ social studies will incorporate the CCLS writing standards into their teaching to support student learning.
- In teams, teachers will look closely at current student work to understand the steps needed to reach the level of performance that the Common Core demands. Student work will be analyzed and critiqued at monthly inquiry meeting to see evidence of improvement and successful teaching strategies and plan intervention when needed to support students.
- Teachers will assist students in identifying clear learning goals for increasing their writing skills when responding to informational texts.
- Articulation/ congruence meetings between classroom teachers and support staff are scheduled throughout the year providing opportunities for teachers to provide best practices.
- All staff members will be responsible for implementing and monitoring our Action Plan.
- Timeline for implementation: September 2011 – June 2012.

Strategies to increase parental involvement

- School Leadership Training Opportunities for parents in November and January to support SLT responsibilities.
- Orientation meetings for parents in September 2011 with teacher sharing grade goals and objectives for school year.
- Monthly Parent Book Club.
- School Book Fairs in November and March.
- Monthly Parent –Teacher Association Meetings to provide and disseminate information from SLT and Instructional expectations.
- Parent workshops on ELA and at home resources will be provided including Study Island and ARIS.
- PS 133Q school website with online resources for parents.
- Parent coordinator outreach with e-mail, phone calls and meetings with parents in addition to monthly newsletters.
- School Book Fairs in November and March.
- Monthly SLT meetings to discuss and ensure the implementation of our CEP goals.

Strategies for attracting Highly Qualified Teachers (HQT)

- Describe the strategies and activities that will be used to attract Highly Qualified Teachers, as defined by NCLB, or to ensure that current staff become highly qualified, in order to achieve this goal.
- ✓ **PS 133Q attracts highly qualified teachers by our rigorous interview protocols which include:**
- Open Market search for candidates.

- Candidates meet for Level 1 and level 2 interviews with Hiring Committee.
 - Candidates teach a demonstration lesson with children from PS 133
 - Candidates are asked to supply a writing sample
- ✓ **PS 133Q retains and nurtures teachers by:**
- Providing numerous common planning periods with grade level colleagues
 - Provides common planning periods with grade level colleagues
 - Administration encourages staff to conduct P.D. at faculty and grade conferences in addition to “lunch and learn” meetings
 - Administration conducts monthly faculty conferences, grade conferences and lead teacher meetings to inform staff of ant new DOE agenda/ mandates
 - Formal and informal observations by supervisors
 - informal observations with written feedback by supervisors USING Danielson’s Framework for Teaching

Service and program coordination

- Describe how Federal, State and local services, including programs supported under NCLB (i.e., violence prevention programs, nutrition programs, housing programs, Head Start) are being coordinated with the instructional strategies/activities to achieve this goal.

P.S. 133Q’s school programs are enhanced by their partnership with Young Audiences which supplements the school curriculum with additional student opportunities in the arts – dance, music, theater, art. PS 133 also participates in violence prevention programs initiatives such as the anti-bullying campaign the Respect for All programs, and the Healthy Choices focus.

Budget and resources alignment

- Describe the fiscal and human resources that will be used to achieve this goal, referencing specific FY’12 PS and OTPS budget categories (i.e., Title I, FSF, Title IIA, Title III, etc.) that will support the actions/strategies/activities described in this action plan.
- Per Session Monies (TL Fair Student Funding) will be budgeted for professional development activities and purchases of resources.
- Inquiry Grade teams will meet regularly beginning in September 2011 to continue inquiry work to best support student learning. Funds will be allocated for teacher coverage’s and per session activities including data specialist, parent workshops and professional development workshops.
- OTPS monies (FSF) budgeted for purchasing classroom resources to support teaching and student learning.
- Title III funds will be used to support ELL after school classes with a certified ELL teacher.

ANNUAL GOAL #4 AND ACTION PLAN

Use this template to identify an annual goal. Respond to each section to indicate strategies and activities in support of accomplishing this goal.

<p>Annual Goal #4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe a goal you have identified for the year. Refer to the directions and guidance for assistance in developing your goals.
<p>Comprehensive needs assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe the identified need that generated this goal. The needs assessment should encompass the entire school and be based on the performance of students in relation to State academic content and student achievement standards.
<p>Instructional strategies/activities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe the research-based instructional strategies and activities that will be used to achieve this goal. Include descriptions of the following in your response:<ol style="list-style-type: none">a) strategies/activities that encompass the needs of identified student subgroups,b) staff and other resources used to implement these strategies/activities,c) steps taken to include teachers in the decision-making regarding the use of academic assessments to evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies/activities,d) timeline for implementation.
<p>Strategies to increase parental involvement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cite the strategies and activities in your school's Title I Parent Involvement Policy (PIP) that will be implemented to achieve this goal. The PIP template is provided on pages 11 through 15 in this CEP.
<p>Strategies for attracting Highly Qualified Teachers (HQT)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe the strategies and activities that will be used to attract Highly Qualified Teachers, as defined by NCLB, or to ensure that current staff become highly qualified, in order to achieve this goal.
<p>Service and program coordination</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Describe how Federal, State and local services, including programs supported under NCLB (i.e., violence prevention programs, nutrition programs, housing programs, Head Start) are being coordinated with the instructional strategies/activities to achieve this goal.

ANNUAL GOAL #5 AND ACTION PLAN

Use this template to identify an annual goal. Respond to each section to indicate strategies and activities in support of accomplishing this goal.

Annual Goal #5

- Describe a goal you have identified for the year. Refer to the directions and guidance for assistance in developing your goals.

Comprehensive needs assessment

- Describe the identified need that generated this goal. The needs assessment should encompass the entire school and be based on the performance of students in relation to State academic content and student achievement standards.

Instructional strategies/activities

- Describe the research-based instructional strategies and activities that will be used to achieve this goal. Include descriptions of the following in your response:
 - a) strategies/activities that encompass the needs of identified student subgroups,
 - b) staff and other resources used to implement these strategies/activities,
 - c) steps taken to include teachers in the decision-making regarding the use of academic assessments to evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies/activities,
 - d) timeline for implementation.

Strategies to increase parental involvement

- Cite the strategies and activities in your school's Title I Parent Involvement Policy (PIP) that will be implemented to achieve this goal. The PIP template is provided on pages 11 through 15 in this CEP.

Strategies for attracting Highly Qualified Teachers (HQT)

- Describe the strategies and activities that will be used to attract Highly Qualified Teachers, as defined by NCLB, or to ensure that current staff become highly qualified, in order to achieve this goal.

Service and program coordination

- Describe how Federal, State and local services, including programs supported under NCLB (i.e., violence prevention programs, nutrition programs, housing programs, Head Start) are being coordinated with the instructional strategies/activities to achieve this goal.

Budget and resources alignment

- Describe the fiscal and human resources that will be used to achieve this goal, referencing specific FY'12 PS and OTPS budget categories (i.e., Title I, FSF, Title IIA, Title III, etc.) that will support the actions/strategies/activities described in this action plan.

ACADEMIC INTERVENTION SERVICES (AIS)

On the chart below, indicate the total number of students receiving AIS in each area listed for each applicable grade in your school.

Identified groups of students who have been targeted for AIS, and the established criteria for identification include:

- Students in Grades K – 3 who are considered at-risk for not meeting State standards as determined by their performance on ECLAS 2 or other identified assessments, or who have been identified as potential holdovers.
- Students in Grades 4 – 8 who are performing at Level 1 or Level 2 on New York State English language arts (ELA), mathematics, science, and social studies assessments.
- Students in Grade 9 who performed at Level 1 or Level 2 on NYS Grade 8 ELA, mathematics, science, and social studies assessments.
- Students in Grades 10 – 12 who scored below the approved passing grade on any Regents examination required for graduation in English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies.

	ELA	Mathematics	Science	Social Studies	At-risk Services: Guidance Counselor	At-risk Services: School Psychologist	At-risk Services: Social Worker	At-risk Health-related Services
	# of Students Receiving AIS	# of Students Receiving AIS	# of Students Receiving AIS	# of Students Receiving AIS				
K	20	10	N/A	N/A	0	0	0	0
1	27	11	N/A	N/A	0	0	0	1
2	30	10	N/A	N/A	1	0	0	0
3	30	12	N/A	N/A	1	1	0	0
4	46	15	2	2	2	2	1	0
5	35	15	2	2	2	3	0	0
6								
7								
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12								

On the chart below, provide a brief description of each of the Academic Intervention Services provided, and include:

1. type of program or strategy (e.g., Wilson, Great Leaps, etc.),
2. method for delivery of service (e.g., small group, one-to-one, tutoring, etc.),
3. when the service is provided (i.e., during the school day, before or after school, Saturday, etc.).

Name of Academic Intervention Services (AIS)	Description
ELA	<p>Small Group instruction is provided to identified students in kindergarten & grade 1(during the school day) to supplement the Foundations program utilized by classroom teachers.</p> <p>Small group instruction is provided to identified students in grades 1-5 (during the regular school day) based on TCRWP benchmarks, state tests, periodic assessments and teacher recommendations.</p> <p>Use of the Wilson Reading remedial program that supports students who require a highly structured multisensory approach.</p> <p>Small group or individual instruction is provided to identified students in grades 3-5 during the regular school day and as part of the extended day.</p> <p>Small group and individual instruction that focuses on decoding, comprehension and written communication skills is provided during the school day and as part of the extended day.</p>
Mathematics	<p>Small group and individual instruction that focuses on problem-solving strategies and the use of manipulatives is provided to identified students in grades 1-5 during the regular school day and as part of the extended day.</p>
Science	<p>The focus is on specific areas of need. A hands-on approach is used with small groups of students.</p>
Social Studies	<p>Social studies content is integrated with vocabulary development and in our literacy block. Students needing AIS receive services during the school day and in the extended day program.</p>

<p>At-risk Services provided by the Guidance Counselor</p>	<p>Small group and individual services are provided to identified students in grades K-5 during the regular school day and as part of the extended day. The focus is on improving social skills, building confidence and self-esteem and to increase the likelihood of each student reaching their full emotional, social and academic potential.</p>
<p>At-risk Services provided by the School Psychologist</p>	<p>Counseling services will be provided to students in grades K-5 individually and/or in small groups during the school day. The focus is on improving social skills, addressing school and home issues and building confidence and self-esteem. Provides interventions to students to support the teaching process and to maximize learning and adjustment. School Psychologist meets with several “Banana Splits” groups meets regularly to support students for children whose families are changing through separation, divorce, remarriage or death of a parent</p>
<p>At-risk Services provided by the Social Worker</p>	<p>Counseling services are provided to individual students in grades K-5 during the regular school day. The social worker regularly meets with parents and family members to discuss strategies to best support student emotional and academic needs. Provides consultation to parents, teachers, other school, personnel and community agencies to enhance the learning and adjustment of students.</p>
<p>At-risk Health-related Services</p>	

DIRECTIONS AND GUIDANCE FOR DEVELOPING OR UPDATING THE PARENT INVOLVEMENT POLICY (PIP)

The template below meets the parental involvement requirements of Title I. Your school is encouraged to use the template as it is provided, or align it in accordance with your school's goals, or replace it entirely with a Parent Involvement Policy created by your school that meets federal requirements.

The PIP should describe how your school will plan and implement effective parent involvement activities to improve student academic achievement and school performance. The School-Parent Compact is a component of the PIP that outlines how parents, the entire school staff, and students will share this responsibility.

PARENT INVOLVEMENT POLICY (PIP) TEMPLATE

Educational research shows a positive correlation between effective parental involvement and student achievement. The overall aim of this policy is to develop a parent involvement program that will ensure effective involvement of parents and community in our school. Therefore, our school, in compliance with the Section 1118 of Title I, Part A of the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act, is responsible for creating and implementing a parent involvement policy to strengthen the connection and support of student achievement between our school and the families. Our school's policy is designed to keep parents informed by actively involving them in planning and decision-making in support of the education of their children. Parents are encouraged to actively participate on the School Leadership Team, Parent Association, and Title I Parent Committee as trained volunteers and welcomed members of our school community. Our school will support parents and families of Title I students by:

- providing materials and training to help parents work with their children to improve their achievement level, e.g., literacy, math and use of technology;
- providing parents with the information and training needed to effectively become involved in planning and decision making in support of the education of their children;
- fostering a caring and effective home-school partnership to ensure that parents can effectively support and monitor their child's progress;
- providing assistance to parents in understanding City, State and Federal standards and assessments;
- sharing information about school and parent related programs, meetings and other activities in a format, and in languages that parents can understand;
- providing professional development opportunities for school staff with the assistance of parents to improve outreach, communication skills and cultural competency in order to build stronger ties between parents and other members of our school community;

Our school's Parent Involvement Policy was designed based upon a careful assessment of the needs of all parents/guardians, including parents/guardians of English Language Learners and students with disabilities. Our school community will conduct an annual evaluation of the content and effectiveness of this parent involvement policy with Title I parents to improve the academic quality of our school. The findings of the evaluation through school surveys and feedback forms will be used to design strategies to more effectively meet the needs of parents, and enhance the school's Title I program. This information will be maintained by the school.

In developing the Title I Parent Involvement Policy, parents of Title I participating students, parent members of the school's Parent Association (or Parent-Teacher Association), as well as parent members of the School Leadership Team, were consulted on the proposed Title I Parent Involvement Policy and asked to survey their members for additional input. To increase and improve parent involvement and school quality, our school will:

- actively involve and engage parents in the planning, review and evaluation of the effectiveness of the school's Title I program as outlined in the Comprehensive Educational Plan, including the implementation of the school's Title I Parent Involvement Policy and School-Parent Compact;
- engage parents in discussion and decisions regarding the required Title I set-aside funds, which are allocated directly to schools to promote parent involvement, including family literacy and parenting skills;
- ensure that the Title I funds allocated for parent involvement are utilized to implement activities and strategies as described in our Parent Involvement Policy and the School-Parent Compact;
- support school-level committees that include parents who are members of the School Leadership Team, the Parent Association (or Parent-Teacher Association) and Title I Parent Committee. This includes providing technical support and ongoing professional development, especially in developing leadership skills;
- maintain a Parent Coordinator (or a dedicated staff person) to serve as a liaison between the school and families. The Parent Coordinator or a dedicated staff person will provide parent workshops based on the assessed needs of the parents of children who attend our school and will work to ensure that our school environment is welcoming and inviting to all parents. The Parent Coordinator will also maintain a log of events and activities planned for parents each month and file a report with the central office.;
- conduct parent workshops with topics that may include: parenting skills, understanding educational accountability grade-level curriculum and assessment expectations; literacy, accessing community and support services; and technology training to build parents' capacity to help their children at home;
- provide opportunities for parents to help them understand the accountability system, e.g., NCLB/State accountability system, student proficiency levels, Annual School Report Card, Progress Report, Quality Review Report, Learning Environment Survey Report;

- host the required Annual Title I Parent Meeting on or before December 1st of each school year to advise parents of children participating in the Title I program about the school's Title I funded program(s), their right to be involved in the program and the parent involvement requirements under Title I, Part A, Section 1118 and other applicable sections under the No Child Left Behind Act;
- schedule additional parent meetings, e.g., quarterly meetings, with flexible times, such as meetings in the morning or evening, to share information about the school's educational program and other initiatives of the Chancellor and allow parents to provide suggestions;
- translate all critical school documents and provide interpretation during meetings and events as needed;
- conduct an Annual Title I Parent Fair/Event where all parents are invited to attend formal presentations and workshops that address their student academic skill needs and what parents can do to help;

Our school will further encourage school-level parental involvement by:

- holding an annual Title I Parent Curriculum Conference;
- hosting educational family events/activities during Parent-Teacher Conferences and throughout the school year;
- encouraging meaningful parent participation on School Leadership Teams, Parent Association (or Parent-Teacher Association) and Title I Parent Committee;
- supporting or hosting Family Day events;
- establishing a Parent Resource Center/Area or lending library; instructional materials for parents;
- hosting events to support, men asserting leadership in education for their children. parents/guardians, grandparents and foster parents;
- encouraging more parents to become trained school volunteers;
- providing written and verbal progress reports that are periodically given to keep parents informed of their children's progress;
- developing and distributing a school newsletter or web publication designed to keep parents informed about school activities and student progress;
- providing school planners/folders for regular written communication between /teacher and the home in a format, and to the extent practicable in the languages that parents can understand;

SCHOOL-PARENT COMPACT

Our school, in compliance with the Section 1118 of Title I, Part A of the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act, is implementing a School-Parent Compact to strengthen the connection and support of student achievement between the school and the families. Staff and parents of students participating in activities and programs funded by Title I, agree that this Compact outlines how parents, the entire school staff and students will share responsibility for improved academic achievement and the means by which a school-parent partnership will be developed to ensure that all children achieve State Standards and Assessments.

I. School Responsibilities

Provide high quality curriculum and instruction consistent with State Standards to enable participating children to meet the State's Standards and Assessments by:

- using academic learning time efficiently;
- respecting cultural, racial and ethnic differences;
- implementing a curriculum aligned to the Common Core State Learning Standards;
- offering high quality instruction in all content areas;
- providing instruction by highly qualified teachers and when this does not occur, notifying parents as required by the No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act;

Support home-school relationships and improve communication by:

- conducting parent-teacher conferences each semester during which the individual child's achievement will be discussed as well as how this Compact is related;
- convening an Annual Title I Parent Meeting prior to December 1st of each school year for parents of students participating in the Title I program to inform them of the school's Title I status and funded programs and their right to be involved;
- arranging additional meetings at other flexible times, e.g., morning, evening and providing (if necessary and funds are available) transportation or child care for those parents who cannot attend a regular meeting;
- respecting the rights of limited English proficient families to receive translated documents and interpretation services in order to ensure participation in the child's education;
- providing information related to school and parent programs, meetings and other activities is sent to parents of participating children in a format and to the extent practicable in a language that parents can understand;
- involving parents in the planning process to review, evaluate and improve the existing Title I programs, Parent Involvement Policy and this Compact;
- providing parents with timely information regarding performance profiles and individual student assessment results for each child and other pertinent individual school information;
- ensuring that the Parent Involvement Policy and School-Parent Compact are distributed and discussed with parents each year;

Provide parents reasonable access to staff by:

- ensuring that staff will have access to interpretation services in order to effectively communicate with limited English speaking parents;
- notifying parents of the procedures to arrange an appointment with their child's teacher or other school staff member;
- arranging opportunities for parents to receive training to volunteer and participate in their child's class, and to observe classroom activities;
- planning activities for parents during the school year, e.g., Parent-Teacher Conferences;

Provide general support to parents by:

- creating a safe, supportive and effective learning community for students and a welcoming respectful environment for parents and guardians;
- assisting parents in understanding academic achievement standards and assessments and how to monitor their child's progress by providing professional development opportunities (times will be scheduled so that the majority of parents can attend);
- sharing and communicating best practices for effective communication, collaboration and partnering with all members of the school community;
- supporting parental involvement activities as requested by parents;
- ensuring that the Title I funds allocated for parent involvement are utilized to implement activities as described in this Compact and the Parent Involvement Policy;
- advising parents of their right to file a complaint under the Department's General Complaint Procedures and consistent with the No Child Left Behind Title I requirement for Elementary Secondary Education Act (ESEA) and Title I programs;

II. Parent/Guardian Responsibilities:

- monitor my child's attendance and ensure that my child arrives to school on time as well as follow the appropriate procedures to inform the school when my child is absent;
- ensure that my child comes to school rested by setting a schedule for bedtime based on the needs of my child and his/her age;
- check and assist my child in completing homework tasks, when necessary;
- read to my child and/or discuss what my child is reading each day (for a minimum of 15 minutes);
- set limits to the amount of time my child watches television or plays video games;
- promote positive use of extracurricular time such as, extended day learning opportunities, clubs, team sports and/or quality family time;
- encourage my child to follow school rules and regulations and discuss this Compact with my child;
- volunteer in my child's school or assist from my home as time permits;
- participate, as appropriate, in the decisions relating to my child's education;
- communicate with my child's teacher about educational needs and stay informed about their education by promptly reading and responding to all notices received from the school or district;
- respond to surveys, feedback forms and notices when requested;
- become involved in the development, implementation, evaluation and revision to the Parent Involvement Policy and this Compact;
- participate in or request training offered by the school, district, central and/or State Education Department learn more about teaching and learning strategies whenever possible;
- take part in the school's Parent Association or Parent-Teacher Association or serve to the extent possible on advisory groups, e.g., Title I Parent Committees, School or District Leadership Teams;
- share responsibility for the improved academic achievement of my child;

III. Student Responsibilities:

- attend school regularly and arrive on time;
- complete my homework and submit all assignments on time;
- follow the school rules and be responsible for my actions;
- show respect for myself, other people and property;
- try to resolve disagreements or conflicts peacefully;
- always try my best to learn.

**OFFICE OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS
GRADES K-12 LANGUAGE ALLOCATION POLICY
SUBMISSION FORM
2011-12**

DIRECTIONS: This submission form assists schools with gathering and organizing the quantitative and qualitative information necessary for a well-conceived school-based language allocation policy (LAP) that describes quality ELL programs. This LAP form, an appendix of the CEP, also incorporates information required for CR Part 154 funding so that a separate submission is no longer required. Agendas and minutes of LAP meetings should be kept readily available on file in the school. Also, when preparing your school's submission, provide extended responses in the green spaces. Spell-check has been disabled in this file, so consider typing responses to these questions in a separate file before copying them into the submission form. For additional information, hold your cursor over the [?](#).

Part I: School ELL Profile

A. School Information [?](#)

Cluster Leader/Network Leader	District 26	Borough Queens	School Number 133
School Name			

B. Language Allocation Policy Team Composition [?](#)

Principal Marianne Sheridan	Assistant Principal
Coach	Coach
ESL Teacher Gio Ortellado	Guidance Counselor Hennie Wolf
Teacher/Subject Area Renee Sabbagh/ Fifth Grade	Parent
Teacher/Subject Area	Parent Coordinator Alana Foy
Related Service Provider Doreen McDonough/ SETSS	Other
Network Leader Mary Jo Pisacano	Other

C. Teacher Qualifications [?](#)

Please provide a report of all staff members' certifications referred to in this section. Press TAB after each number entered to calculate sums and percentages.

Number of certified ESL teachers	1	Number of certified bilingual teachers		Number of certified NLA/foreign language teachers	
Number of content area teachers with bilingual extensions		Number of special education teachers with bilingual extensions		Number of teachers of ELLs without ESL/bilingual certification	
Number of teachers who hold both a bilingual extension and ESL certification		Number of teachers currently teaching a self-contained ESL class who hold both a common branch license and ESL certification			

D. School Demographics

Total number of students in school	462	Total Number of ELLs	47	ELLs as share of total student population (%)	10.17%
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Part II: ELL Identification Process

Describe how you identify English Language Learners (ELLs) in your school. Answer the following:

1. Describe the steps followed for the initial identification of those students who may possibly be ELLs. These steps must include administering the Home Language Identification Survey (HLIS) which includes the informal oral interview in English and in the native language, and the formal initial assessment. Identify the person(s) responsible, including their qualifications, for conducting the initial screening, administering the HLIS, the LAB-R (if necessary), and the formal initial assessment. Also describe the steps taken to annually evaluate ELLs using the New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT).
2. What structures are in place at your school to ensure that parents understand all three program choices (Transitional Bilingual, Dual Language, Freestanding ESL)? Please describe the process, outreach plan, and timelines.
3. Describe how your school ensures that entitlement letters are distributed and Parent Survey and Program Selection forms are returned? (If a form is not returned, the default program for ELLs is Transitional Bilingual Education as per CR Part 154 [[see tool kit](#)].)
4. Describe the criteria used and the procedures followed to place identified ELL students in bilingual or ESL instructional programs; description must also include any consultation/communication activities with parents in their native language.
5. After reviewing the Parent Survey and Program Selection forms for the past few years, what is the trend in program choices that parents have requested? (Please provide numbers.)
6. Are the program models offered at your school aligned with parent requests? If no, why not? How will you build alignment between parent choice and program offerings? Describe specific steps underway. 

Paste response to questions 1-6 here

1. Newly enrolled students are administered the Home Language Identification Survey (HLIS) to determine Language Battery Assessment-Revised (LAB-R) eligibility. An informal oral interview is conducted by the ESL teacher, Gio Ortellado or other licensed and trained pedagogues, Jenna Adinolfi and Renee Sabbagh. PS 133 has a multilingual staff available to accommodate parents and students in their native languages of Spanish, Italian, Hindi, Gujarati, Punjabi, Urdu and Chinese. The licensed and trained pedagogues are aided by school paras such as Ms. Shah, Ms. Aslam, Ms. Barriga and Ms. Chin in translating and help communicating with parents and students in their native language. Other resources such as bilingual dictionaries are available in the main office for staff and parents to use in facilitating communication. When necessary, translation services are called into the school for assistance. Based upon the HLIS, new students are then screened by the ESL teacher or trained pedagogues. The LAB-R is administered by the ESL teacher or trained pedagogues to incoming students who are identified as eligible. The ESL teacher also administers the Spanish LAB to any identified ELL student with Spanish as a home language. All eligible students are tested within ten days of enrollment. Students who score at the Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced levels on the LAB-R are identified as ELLs. Beginner or Intermediate level students receive 360 minutes of ESL services per week and Advanced level students receive 180 minutes of ESL services per week. Students are evaluated annually using the New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test (NYSESLAT). The ESL Teacher, Gio Ortellado administers the four subtests to all ESL students in the program. A checklist is kept to ensure that each student is administered all four subtests. In September, The ATS report RLAT is run to see students scores on the NYSESLAT. Once again, Beginner or Intermediate level students receive 360 minutes of ESL services per week and Advanced level students receive 180 minutes of ESL services per week. Students who score Proficient on the NYSESLAT are screened by the AIS Reading Teacher, Jenna Adinolfi to offer them transitional support.
2. Also within ten days of enrollment, parents of eligible ELLs are invited to a Parent Orientation conducted by and with a trained pedagogue (The ESL teacher and a school administrator) to help them understand all three program choices (Transitional Bilingual, Dual Language, Freestanding ESL) and make an informed choice on the Parent Survey and Program Selection Form. The Orientation Video is shown in English and any other available languages that parents request to see. To meet the needs of the ELL parents in their native language, a translator assists the ESL teacher at Parent Orientations. The translator helps parents understand the information being presented to them, translate any questions or answers that arise and help parents make informed choices on the Parent Program Selection Form. Parent Orientations for newly enrolled ELLs are tentatively scheduled for Friday, September 23, 2011 and Friday, January 20, 2012. Meetings with individual parents will be arranged to accommodate any parent requests. One- to one parent orientations are also held anytime throughout the year to accommodate new admits tested within ten days of enrollment. The Parent Coordinator, Alana Foy is also invited to the Parent Orientation to introduce herself to parents and to be available to help parents in anyway.
3. Students who are tested or eligible for services are given the proper entitlement letters to notify parents. Whenever possible, entitlement letters are also sent in the student's native language. The ESL Teacher keeps track of Parent Survey and Program Selection Forms sent out and returned on the Teacher Caseload Report. An attendance form from the Parent Orientation is also kept and all

parents at the Orientation fill out a Parent Survey and Program Selection Form.

4. All identified ELL students are given the proper entitlement letters. After reviewing results of the NYSESLAT on the ATS report RLAT, all continuing ESL students are given the Continued Entitlement Letter in English and in their native language if available. PS 133 has also attached a tear-off acknowledgment and permission slip for parents to sign at the bottom of the letter. This tear-off helps the ESL Teacher keep record of letters given out. All students who tested Proficient on the NYSESLAT are given the Non-Entitlement/Transitional Letter in English and their native language whenever available. Students who are newly enrolled ELL students are given the Non-Entitlement Letter if they pass the LAB-R and are found not to need ESL services. Students who are newly enrolled and found to need ELL services are given an Entitlement Letter and a Parent Survey and Selection Form in English and in their native language whenever available. Parents are invited to a Parent Orientation to help them make an informed choice on the survey. After the Orientation Meeting, parents are given a Placement Letter to inform them that their child has been placed in the Bilingual Program of their choice.

5. In the past few years 95% or more of parents have chosen the ESL Program as their first choice on the Parent Survey and Program Selection Form. The pullout ESL Program at P.S. 133 is aligned with what the parents have been requesting. Original Parent Survey and Program Selection Forms showing this choice are filed in the students cumulative folder. Copies of the Parent Survey and Selection Forms are kept in the ESL Teacher's files. Also, parent's choices are recorded on the ESL Teacher's Caseload Report. Parent's choices are also recorded on the annual BESIS report.

6. Parents are informed about ELL instruction, policies and student progress throughout the year. This is achieved through ELL parent orientations, ELL parent workshops, parent/teacher conferences and PTA meetings. To further involve and communicate effectively with parents, the Parent Coordinator provides information and resources available within the community for Adult ESL classes for parents and family to improve their English skills. The Parent Coordinator room also provides a parent resource center, parent workshops to better support child learning and offers family support for student success.

Part III: ELL Demographics

A. ELL Programs

This school serves the following grades (includes ELLs and EPs)
Check all that apply

K* 1* 2* 3* 4* 5*
6● 7● 8● 9● 10● 11● 12●

This school offers (check all that apply):

Transitional bilingual education program	Yes●	No*	If yes, indicate language(s):
Dual language program	Yes●	No*	If yes, indicate language(s):

Provide the number of classes for each ELL program model at your school. For all-day programs (e.g., Transitional Bilingual Education, Dual Language, and Self-Contained ESL), classes refer to a cohort of students served in a day. For push-in ESL classes, refer to the separate periods in a day in which students are served. Departmentalized schools (e.g., high school) may use the self-contained row.

ELL Program Breakdown														
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	To t#
Transitional Bilingual Education (60%:40% → 50%:50% → 75%:25%)														0
Dual Language (50%:50%)														0
Freestanding ESL														
Self-Contained														0

ELL Program Breakdown														
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Total #
Push-In	1	1	1	1	1	1								6
Total	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	6						

B. ELL Years of Service and Programs

Number of ELLs by Subgroups					
All ELLs	47	Newcomers (ELLs receiving service 0-3 years)	39	Special Education	8
SIFE		ELLs receiving service 4-6 years	8	Long-Term (completed 6 years)	

Enter the number of ELLs by years of identification and program model in each box. Enter the number of ELLs within a subgroup who are also SIFE or special education. [i](#)

ELLs by Subgroups										
	ELLs (0-3 years)			ELLs (4-6 years)			Long-Term ELLs (completed 6 years)			Total
	All	SIFE	Special Education	All	SIFE	Special Education	All	SIFE	Special Education	
TBE										0
Dual Language										0
ESL	39			8						47
Total	39	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	47

Number of ELLs in a TBE program who are in alternate placement: 0

C. Home Language Breakdown and ELL Programs

Transitional Bilingual Education														
Number of ELLs by Grade in Each Language Group														
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
Spanish														0
Chinese														0
Russian														0
Bengali														0
Urdu														0
Arabic														0
Haitian														0
French														0
Korean														0
Punjabi														0
Polish														0
Albanian														0
Yiddish														0
Other														0
TOTAL	0													

Dual Language (ELLs/EPs) K-8

Number of ELLs by Grade in Each Language Group																				
	K		1		2		3		4		5		6		7		8		TOTAL	
	EL L	EP																		
Spanish																			0	0
Chinese																			0	0
Russian																			0	0
Korean																			0	0
Haitian																			0	0
French																			0	0
Other																			0	0
TOTAL	0																			

Dual Language (ELLs/EPs) 9-12											
Number of ELLs by Grade in Each Language Group											
	9		10		11		12		TOTAL		
	ELL	EP									
Spanish									0	0	
Chinese									0	0	
Russian									0	0	
Korean									0	0	
Haitian									0	0	
French									0	0	
Other									0	0	
TOTAL	0										

This Section for Dual Language Programs Only	
Number of Bilingual students (students fluent in both languages):	Number of third language speakers:
Ethnic breakdown of EPs (Number):	
African-American: ____	Asian: ____
Native American: ____	White (Non-Hispanic/Latino): ____
	Hispanic/Latino: ____
	Other: ____

Freestanding English as a Second Language														
Number of ELLs by Grade in Each Language Group														
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
Spanish	1	2			1	2								6
Chinese	2	1				1								4
Russian														0
Bengali		1												1
Urdu	2	3	1	1	1	1								9
Arabic														0
Haitian			1											1
French														0
Korean														0
Punjabi	4	7	3	2	2									18

Freestanding English as a Second Language

Number of ELLs by Grade in Each Language Group

	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
Polish														0
Albanian														0
Other	1	3	2		2									8
TOTAL	10	17	7	3	6	4	0	47						

Part IV: ELL Programming

A. Programming and Scheduling Information

1. How is instruction delivered?
 - a. What are the organizational models (e.g., Departmentalized, Push-In [Co-Teaching], Pull-Out, Collaborative, Self-Contained)?
 - b. What are the program models (e.g., Block [Class travels together as a group]; Ungraded [all students regardless of grade are in one class]; Heterogeneous [mixed proficiency levels]; Homogeneous [proficiency level is the same in one class])?
2. How does the organization of your staff ensure that the mandated number of instructional minutes is provided according to proficiency levels in each program model (TBE, Dual Language, ESL)?
 - a. How are explicit ESL, ELA, and NLA instructional minutes delivered in each program model as per CR Part 154 (see table below)?
3. Describe how the content areas are delivered in each program model. Please specify language, and the instructional approaches and methods used to make content comprehensible to enrich language development.
4. How do you ensure that ELLs are appropriately evaluated in their native languages?
5. How do you differentiate instruction for ELL subgroups?
 - a. Describe your instructional plan for SIFE.
 - b. Describe your plan for ELLs in US schools less than three years (newcomers). Additionally, because NCLB now requires ELA testing for ELLs after one year, specify your instructional plan for these ELLs.
 - c. Describe your plan for ELLs receiving service 4 to 6 years.
 - d. Describe your plan for long-term ELLs (completed 6 years).
6. What instructional strategies and grade-level materials do teachers of ELL-SWDs use that both provide access to academic content areas and accelerate English language development?
7. How does your school use curricular, instructional, and scheduling flexibility to meet the diverse needs of ELL-SWDs within the least restrictive environment?

Paste response to questions 1-7 here

1. The current ELL instructional program at P.S. 133 is freestanding English as a Second Language pullout model. This ESL program enables students in Kindergarten through Grade 5 to receive additional instruction/ enrichment in reading, writing, listening and oral language. After selection, students from various classes are grouped together by grade and by their proficiency level. They receive English instruction in small groups of students.
2. Beginner and Intermediate level students receive 360 minutes per week (8 periods of 45 minutes) of ESL services in English. Advanced level students receive 180 minutes per week (4 periods of 45 minutes) of ESL services in English. All students receiving ESL services take the NYSESLAT (New York State English as a Second Language Achievement Test) in the Spring to assess their language needs for the following school year. There is one full-time New York State and New York City certified ESL teacher, Gio Ortellado that services six groups of students from Kindergarten through Grade 5. The ESL teacher is under the direct supervision of the school Principal and Assistant Principal and is also supported by the NYC Department of Education ELL Compliance and Performance Specialist.
3. The ELL students in P.S. 133 spend the entire day in an all-English content area instructional classroom. All ELLs participate in the Teacher's College Reading and Writing Workshop Literacy Program and the Everyday Math Program. P.S. 133 offers identified ELLs in grades K-5 small group instruction Mondays through Thursdays in the Extended Day Program. P.S. 133 will implement the Essential Elements of Effective Programs for LEP/ELLs. To assure that Limited English Proficient students achieve the highest academic standards,

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the focus will be on improving Literacy and Math. The ESL program will utilize the Teachers College Balanced Literacy workshop model. ESL classes will support academic development in content areas. Content area instruction will be taught using Scaffolding Strategies. Six main types of scaffolding techniques include: modeling, bridging, contextualization, schema building, text re-presentation, and metacognition. To ensure that the LEP students meet the standards, P.S. 133 will apply the Chancellor’s Seven Recommendations for ELLs and the New York State Department of Education’s 12 Steps to Assist LEP/ELLs in Meeting the ELA Standards. Clear teaching goals in the ESL curriculum will be aligned with New York State Standards. This will provide intensive English language instruction for the ELLs. At present, P.S. 133 is using programs such as the Longman Cornerstone Series and the Oxford Picture Dictionary for the Content Areas.

4. Translation services are offered for eligible ELL students. Whenever possible, students are offered State Exams in their native language. For low incidence languages, an oral translation is provided along with all ELL testing modifications. ELL modifications and translations are offered to all ELLs in the ESL program and also for former ESL students for two years after testing at the proficient level.
5. Differentiated curriculum and ESL instructional strategies will be used in accordance with the Principles of Learning, the New Learning and Performance Standards, and the Learning Standards for English as a Second Language. ESL classes will support academic development in content areas.

At present, P.S. 133 does not have any SIFE students. If a SIFE student were enrolled in the future, that student would be placed in the appropriate ESL pullout group based on his/her proficiency level. These students would also be encouraged to participate in the Extended Day Program to further enrich and support their academic skills.

All newcomer ELLs are given the LAB-R within the first ten days of enrollment and are then placed in the appropriate ESL pullout group based on their proficiency level. They are also encouraged to participate in the Extended Day Program to provide extra time and instruction in their new language and environment.

Currently, P.S. 133 does not have any long-term ELLs in the ESL Program. If a long-term ELL student were enrolled in the future, teachers would review Interim Assessment scores and State test scores to better understand the needs of the student and drive instruction. The student would then receive differentiated instruction to help the student meet State Standards.

6. & 7. The needs of special education ELL students are reviewed and implemented according to their IEPs. “Alternate Placement” students in special education programs receive ESL services as part of their interim service plans. A full time language paraprofessional is assigned to youngsters in this category. The ELL students in P.S. 133 spend the entire day in an all-English content area instructional classroom. All ELLs participate in the Teacher’s College Reading and Writing Workshop Literacy Program and the Everyday Math Program. P.S. 133 offers identified ELLs in grades K-5 small group instruction Mondays through Thursdays in the Extended Day Program. P.S. 133 will implement the Essential Elements of Effective Programs for LEP/ELLs. To assure that Limited English Proficient students achieve the highest academic standards, the focus will be on improving Literacy and Math. ELL-SWDs are also offered special programs such as the Wilson Reading Program to help them achieve academic standards.

Courses Taught in Languages Other than English ⓘ

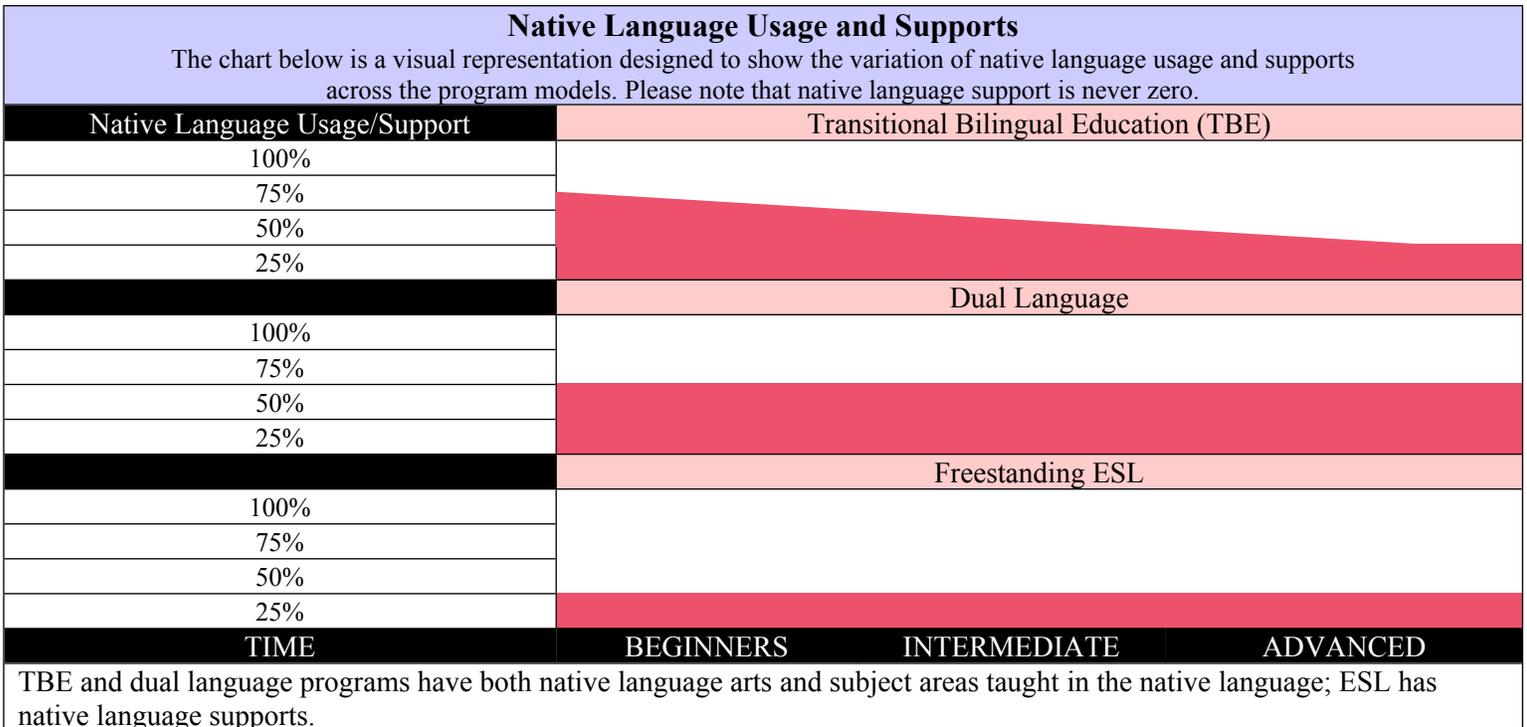
NOTE: This section refers to classes/subject areas in which the language of instruction is English and another language which all students in the class speak. Do not include:

- classes that are taught in English using books in the native language
- heritage classes
- foreign language (LOTE) classes

Class/Content Area	Language(s) of Instruction		Class/Content Area	Language(s) of Instruction
Native Language Arts				
Social Studies:				
Math:				
Science:				

NYS CR Part 154 Mandated Number of Units of Support for ELLs, Grades K-8			
	Beginning	Intermediate	Advanced
ESL instruction for <i>all</i> ELLs as required under CR Part 154	360 minutes per week	360 minutes per week	180 minutes per week
ELA instruction for <i>all</i> ELLs as required under CR Part 154			180 minutes per week
FOR TBE /DL PROGRAMS: Native Language Arts	60-90 minutes per day	45-60 minutes per day	45 minutes per day

NYS CR Part 154 Mandated Number of Units of Support for ELLs, Grades 9-12			
	Beginning	Intermediate	Advanced
ESL instruction for <i>all</i> ELLs as required under CR Part 154	540 minutes per week	360 minutes per week	180 minutes per week
ELA instruction for <i>all</i> ELLs as required under CR Part 154			180 minutes per week
FOR TBE /DL PROGRAMS: Native Language Arts	45 minutes per day	45 minutes per day	45 minutes per day



B. Programming and Scheduling Information--Continued

8. Describe your targeted intervention programs for ELLs in ELA, math, and other content areas (specify ELL subgroups targeted). Please list the range of intervention services offered in your school for the above areas as well as the language(s) in which they are offered.
9. Describe your plan for continuing transitional support (2 years) for ELLs reaching proficiency on the NYSESLAT.
10. What new programs or improvements will be considered for the upcoming school year?
11. What programs/services for ELLs will be discontinued and why?

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8. Describe your targeted intervention programs for ELLs in ELA, math, and other content areas (specify ELL subgroups targeted). Please list the range of intervention services offered in your school for the above areas as well as the language(s) in which they are offered.
9. Describe your plan for continuing transitional support (2 years) for ELLs reaching proficiency on the NYSESLAT.
10. What new programs or improvements will be considered for the upcoming school year?
11. What programs/services for ELLs will be discontinued and why?
12. How are ELLs afforded equal access to all school programs? Describe after school and supplemental services offered to ELLs in your building.
13. What instructional materials, including technology, are used to support ELLs (include content area as well as language materials; list ELL subgroups if necessary)?
14. How is native language support delivered in each program model? (TBE, Dual Language, and ESL)
15. Do required services support, and resources correspond to ELLs' ages and grade levels?
16. Include a description of activities in your school to assist newly enrolled ELL students before the beginning of the school year.
17. What language electives are offered to ELLs?

Paste response to questions 8-17 here

Students receive Academic Intervention Services (AIS) that offer support in English language arts, math and/or science in programs both during the school day and during the Extended Day Program. Services are provided based upon review of data, including standardized test scores and informal assessments.

P.S. 133 offers continuing transitional support for all ELLs reaching proficiency on the NYSESLAT. After testing proficient on the NYSESLAT, students are pulled out for small group instruction with the AIS Reading teacher. The Reading teacher provides continued support in reading and writing skills, which tend to be the hardest modalities for ELLs to achieve. For additional transitional support, these students are also given the same ELL test accommodations on State tests for two years after they have tested proficient on the NYSESLAT. ESL instruction is designed to align curriculum and instruction with the NYS and NYC Standards in math and literacy. The ESL teacher provides the ELL students with academic instruction in all core content areas using ESL methodologies while incorporating a Balanced Literacy approach to their teaching. The workshop model, coupled with different TESOL techniques, such as TPR (Total Physical Response), repetition, choral speaking, puppetry, storytelling, modeling, music, visual aids, language masters, and hands-on activities are used to support second language acquisition. Student assessment is a key component of our ESL program as it drives differentiated instruction as applicable to student needs. Picture dictionaries, bilingual picture dictionaries, and Content Area picture dictionaries are available in the ESL and mainstream classrooms to support students. Math and Science glossaries are also provided in various languages. The Longman Cornerstone Series, leveled libraries in different genres, word/picture cards, audio material (such as books with accompanying tapes), and graphic organizers are also used in the ESL classroom instruction.

P.S. 133 offers a variety of extracurricular activities. ELLs participate in these activities as a part of their mainstream class. All ELLs participate in a specialized Art Program during the school day. ELL students also participate in a variety of programs that incorporate the arts into our daily curriculum. These programs include artist residencies in musical theatre.

In addition, at risk support services (i.e. Speech, Counseling) are provided to students who are identified by the Pupil Personal Committee once parental consent is given. AIS for Math and Science is provided to identified students.

C. Schools with Dual Language Programs

1. How much time (%) is the target language used for EPs and ELLs in each grade?
2. How much of the instructional day are EPs and ELLs integrated? What content areas are taught separately?
3. How is language separated for instruction (time, subject, teacher, theme)?
4. What Dual Language model is used (side-by-side, self-contained, other)?
5. Is emergent literacy taught in child's native language first (sequential), or are both languages taught at the same time (simultaneous)?

Paste response to questions 1-5 here

N/A

D. Professional Development and Support for School Staff

1. Describe the professional development plan for all ELL personnel at the school. (Please include all teachers of ELLs.)
2. What support do you provide staff to assist ELLs as they transition from elementary to middle and/or middle to high school?
3. Describe the minimum 7.5 hours of ELL training for all staff (including non-ELL teachers) as per Jose P.

Paste response to questions 1-3 here

P.S. 133 will plan professional development opportunities to target the needs of teachers of ELLs. Staff Development plans will include a review of ESL Standards, a review of the “Essential Elements of Effective Programs for ELLs,” a review of the “New York State Department of Education 12 Action Steps to Assist ELLs in meeting the ELA Standards,” a review of the “Chancellor’s 7 Recommendations for ELLs” and a review of the school’s Language Allocation Policy. Staff Development will also include the different stages of language acquisition and ESL teaching strategies to help teachers develop academic language through content. P.S. 133 will also plan congruence time between the classroom teacher and the ESL teacher. This will provide opportunities to work collaboratively to evaluate student work and plan together to maximize English language acquisition for ELLs.

Tentative Staff Development plans for the 2011-2012 school year have been scheduled for Tuesday, November 8, 2011 and Thursday, June 7, 2012. Staff Development will be given by the ESL Teacher and will target classroom teachers, paraprofessionals, support personnel and administrators. Additional support will be provided for teachers and support staff throughout the year during faculty conferences and/or grade conferences. Congruence meetings between the classroom teacher and the ESL teacher also helps to target and meet the needs of the ELL students.

E. Parental Involvement

1. Describe parent involvement in your school, including parents of ELLs.
2. Does the school partner with other agencies or Community Based Organizations to provide workshops or services to ELL parents?
3. How do you evaluate the needs of the parents?
4. How do your parental involvement activities address the needs of the parents?

Paste response to questions 1-4 here

At P.S. 133, the administration, classroom teachers, the ESL teacher and the Parent Coordinator work together to ensure that parents are welcomed, informed and involved in their children’s education. To further involve and communicate effectively with parents, the Parent Coordinator provides information and resources available within the community for Adult ESL classes for parents and family to improve their English skills. One such Adult ESL Program is offered at PS 26 for interested parents. The Parent Coordinator room also provides a parent resource center, parent workshops to better support child learning and offers family support for student success.

Parents’ needs are discussed at monthly meetings including PTA and School Leadership Team. Additionally, parents and teachers share suggestions regarding ways to support students and strengthen the home/ school connection. Workshops and parental involvement activities reflect the input of both parents and staff. Communication to parents includes school notices, monthly newsletters and a comprehensive school website.

PS 133 offers parents a variety of translation opportunities to better inform parents of the child's education. Beginning with our multilingual staff available to help translate for parents and students in need, PS 133 tries to involve and include parents of ELLs. We also have a bilingual dictionary collection of our most popular languages available in our main office. All important notices are sent home stamped with "Important- please have translated" in a variety of our popular languages so that parents are encouraged to understand the school notice. A very helpful and important translation service that PS 133 provides is hiring and scheduling translators for Parent-Teacher Conferences.

Part V: Assessment Analysis

A. Assessment Breakdown

Enter the number of ELLs for each test, category, and modality.

OVERALL NYSESLAT* PROFICIENCY RESULTS (*LAB-R FOR NEW ADMITS)														
	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	TOTAL
Beginner(B)	3	4			1									8
Intermediate(I)		8			2	2								12
Advanced (A)	7	5	7	3	3	2								27
Total	10	17	7	3	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47

NYSESLAT Modality Analysis														
Modality Aggregate	Proficiency Level	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
LISTENING /SPEAKING	B	1												
	I	2												
	A	9	6	2	2	2	2							
	P	6	1	6	5	7	3							
READING/ WRITING	B	4												
	I	9		1	3	1	1							
	A	1	1	4	3	2	1							
	P	4	6	3	1	6	3							

NYS ELA					
Grade	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Total
3	2	2	1		5
4	2		6		8
5	2	2	1		5
6					0
7					0
8					0
NYSAA Bilingual Spe Ed					0

NYS Math									
Grade	Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Level 4		Total
	English	NL	English	NL	English	NL	English	NL	
3	1		1		4				6
4			2		2		5		9
5			1		3		1		5
6									0
7									0

NYS Math									
Grade	Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Level 4		Total
	English	NL	English	NL	English	NL	English	NL	
8									0
NYSAA Bilingual Spe Ed									0

NYS Science									
	Level 1		Level 2		Level 3		Level 4		Total
	English	NL	English	NL	English	NL	English	NL	
4			1		2		6		9
8									0
NYSAA Bilingual Spe Ed									0

New York State Regents Exam				
	Number of ELLs Taking Test		Number of ELLs Passing Test	
	English	Native Language	English	Native Language
Comprehensive English				
Integrated Algebra				
Geometry				
Algebra 2/Trigonometry				
Math				
Biology				
Chemistry				
Earth Science				
Living Environment				
Physics				
Global History and Geography				
US History and Government				
Foreign Language				
Other				
Other				
NYSAA ELA				
NYSAA Mathematics				
NYSAA Social Studies				
NYSAA Science				

Native Language Tests									
	# of ELLs scoring at each quartile (based on percentiles)				# of EPs (dual lang only) scoring at each quartile (based on percentiles)				
	Q1 1-25 percentile	Q2 26-50 percentile	Q3 51-75 percentile	Q4 76-99 percentile	Q1 1-25 percentile	Q2 26-50 percentile	Q3 51-75 percentile	Q4 76-99 percentile	
ELE (Spanish Reading)									

Native Language Tests								
Test)	# of ELLs scoring at each quartile (based on percentiles)				# of EPs (dual lang only) scoring at each quartile (based on percentiles)			
	Q1 1-25 percentile	Q2 26-50 percentile	Q3 51-75 percentile	Q4 76-99 percentile	Q1 1-25 percentile	Q2 26-50 percentile	Q3 51-75 percentile	Q4 76-99 percentile
Chinese Reading Test								

B. After reviewing and analyzing the assessment data, answer the following

- Describe what assessment tool your school uses to assess the early literacy skills of your ELLs (e.g., ECLAS-2, EL SOL, Fountas and Pinnell, DRA, TCRWP). What insights do the data provide about your ELLs? How can this information help inform your school's instructional plan? Please provide any quantitative data available to support your response.
- What is revealed by the data patterns across proficiency levels (on the LAB-R and NYSESLAT) and grades?
- How will patterns across NYSESLAT modalities—reading/writing and listening/speaking—affect instructional decisions?
- For each program, answer the following:
 - Examine student results. What are the patterns across proficiencies and grades? How are ELLs faring in tests taken in English as compared to the native language?
 - Describe how the school leadership and teachers are using the results of the ELL Periodic Assessments.
 - What is the school learning about ELLs from the Periodic Assessments? How is the Native Language used?
- For dual language programs, answer the following:
 - How are the English Proficient students (EPs) assessed in the second (target) language?
 - What is the level of language proficiency in the second (target) language for EPs?
 - How are EPs performing on State and City Assessments?
- Describe how you evaluate the success of your programs for ELLs.

Paste response to questions 1-6 here

Beginning in September 2010, P.S. 133 will be using the TCRWP as the early literacy assessment tool. This comprehensive assessment will provide data related to a variety of skills including: Letter Identification Assessment; Word Identification Assessment; Concepts About Print Assessment; Spelling Assessment; and a Text Reading Assessment which determines a student's Independent Reading Level.

After examining students' results in the four modalities (listening, speaking, reading and writing) of the 2011 NYSESLAT and the LAB-R, a pattern was shown. Most students in Grades K through 2 scored the lowest on the Reading subtest. Most students in Grades 3 through 5 scored the lowest on the Writing subtest. This suggests that Reading tends to be an area of need in the early grades K through 2 and that Writing tends to be an area of need in the upper grades 3 through 5.

The LAP will implement a plan focusing on academic rigor. LAP Principle #2, "Academic Rigor" will be a focus in the upcoming school year. Students will be engaged in rigorous learning and performance tasks. Students will perform complex and multi-step tasks that require the application of more than one skill area and the use of more than one learning resource. Rigorous or critical tasks will end in the completion of a product (such as a report, an essay, an oral presentation or a project) that can be evaluated for completeness of knowledge and level of skill application. Students will learn to make connections to texts, use prior knowledge, use academic language in discussions, work in groups to problem solve, collect, organize, and analyze data, and revise plans and products based on new learning. ELL students will be given the opportunity to utilize the computer lab and classroom computers, where various kinds of software (such as the Rosetta Stone Language Learning Program) and online internet access are available to improve oral and listening skills, literacy, writing and research skills.

Students' performance on the 2011 State Math Test was reviewed. There were six ELL students that participated in the Grade 3 State Math Test. One student, in a Special Education class, received a score of 1 indicating that the student is far below grade-level standards in math. One student, in a Special Education class, received a score of 1 indicating that the student is approaching grade-level standards in Math. Four students received a score of 3 indicating that the students have met grade-level standards in math.

Students' performance on the 2011 State Math Test was reviewed. Nine ELL students participated in the Grade 4 State Math Test. Two students received a score of 2 indicating that they are approaching grade-level standards in Math. Two students received a score of 3 indicating that they have met grade-level standards in Math. Four students received a score of 4 indicating that the students exceed grade-level standards in math.

Students' performance on the 2011 State Math Test was reviewed. Five ELL students participated in the Grade 5 State Math Test. One student, in a Special Education class, received a score of 2 indicating that the student is approaching grade-level standards in Math. Three students received a score of 3 indicating that the students have met grade-level standards in Math. One student received a score of 4 indicating that the student exceeds grade-level standards in Math.

Students' performance on the 2011 State Science Test was reviewed. Nine ELL students participated in the Grade 4 State Science Test. One student, in a Special Education class, received a score of 2 indicating that the student is approaching grade-level standards in Science. Four students received a score of 3 indicating that the students have met grade-level standards in Science. Four students received a score of 4 indicating that the students exceed grade-level standards in Science.

Additional Information

Please include any additional information that would be relevant to your LAP and would further explain your program for ELLs. You may attach/submit charts. This form does not allow graphics and charts to be pasted.

Paste additional information here

Part VI: LAP Assurances

School Name: PS 133

School DBN: 26Q133

Signatures of LAP team members certify that the information provided is accurate.

Name (PRINT)	Title	Signature	Date (mm/dd/yy)
Marianne Sheridan	Principal		10/14/11
	Assistant Principal		
Alana Foy	Parent Coordinator		10/14/11
Gio Ortellado	ESL Teacher		10/14/11
	Parent		
Renee Sabbagh/ Fifth Grade	Teacher/Subject Area		10/14/11
	Teacher/Subject Area		
	Coach		
	Coach		
Hennie Wolf	Guidance Counselor		10/14/11
Mary Jo Pisacano	Network Leader		
Doreen McDonough	Other <u>SETSS Teacher</u>		10/14/11
	Other		
	Other		
	Other		

Part B: Direct Instruction Supplemental Program Information

Describe the direct instruction supplemental program here and include the

- rationale
- subgroups and grade levels of students to be served
- schedule and duration
- language of instruction
- # and types of certified teachers
- types of materials

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