

2020 Response to Report



SCHOOL NAME CITY



Introductory Materials, The Cover Form and Executive Summary

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Indicator	Not in Compliance	Compliance	
(Was the Cover Form included?) Cover Form is provided.	The Cover Form provided by MNSAA was <u>not</u> included in the annual progress report or was not complete.	The Cover Form provided by MNSAA was completed and included in the APR report with end of the academic year enrollment.	
(Was an Executive Summary included?) Provides an Executive Summary that identifies any unique situations encountered, and if applicable – any additional improvements and/or any major revisions to the strategic plan. (Any unexpected circumstances the school encountered during the academic year are delineated in this letter.)	An Executive Summary is <u>not</u> enclosed. The summary <u>does not meet</u> MNSAA quality expectations as defined. (See Reviewer's Comments for additional information.)	An Executive Summary is enclosed. The summary provides an executive overview of any unique situations encountered during the year. If applicable, the Executive Summary includes major improvement accomplishments not included in the strategic plan. If applicable, the Executive Summary specifies major revisions made to the school strategic plan.	
Reviewer Comments and/or Recom	mendations		
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The School Strategic Plan for Improvement (SSP)				
Indicator	Not in Compliance	Compliance		
(What initiatives were planned for implementation this past year?) Provides the School Strategic Plan for the current school year with evidence of the previous year's progress report on the required ongoing MNSAA template. (Action steps that have been completed and reported to MNSAA for two or more years are considered annually practiced/institutionalized and no longer need an annual progress report posted.)	Some or the entire strategic plan is not included or not completed on the required template. The progress report is not identified for the year with a superscript date and/or does not utilize the defined color. (2019-20 Green in June 2020) The plan does not include the previous years' progress narrations and/or does not specify when and why previous progress reports were removed.	The required MNSAA template for strategic planning is utilized with progress on action steps reported. The progress report is identified for the year with a superscript date and utilizes the defined color. (2019-20 Green in June 2020) The plan includes the previous years' progress narration and/or identifies actions that are annually practiced.		
(What did you accomplish this year?) In the <u>Progress Report</u> column, a written description of the specific actions taken during the current year to implement the planned improvement targets is provided.	Written description of improvement efforts is not reported on the template or is vague. Information is not provided as to why a goal was not addressed as planned for the year. Progress is predicted or projected before real action has been taken.	A written description of the specific actions taken to implement the planned action steps is provided. The written description includes information advising why the goal was not addressed as planned and timelines adjusted if necessary.		
(What do you plan to do next year and into the future?) The School Strategic Plan details strategies and action steps to guide future improvement efforts.	The plan does not detail improvement strategies and action steps for the next year and beyond. Descriptions of "completed," "annually" or "ongoing" are pervasive in the report. (Calls into question the visionary nature of the plan.)	The School Strategic Plan details improvement strategies and action steps for the next year and beyond. (Schools in Year 6 or beyond of the accreditation cycle will be bringing their existing plan to a close and limited action steps for the future will be named.)		
Reviewer Comments and/or Rec	commendations			



Communicating School Strategic Plan (SSP) Progress to Stakeholders			
Indicator	Not in Compliance	Compliance	
(How did you communicate the SSP with stakeholders?) Provides a written description of how the School Strategic Plan (SSP) was communicated to stakeholders.	Written description of how the school communicated the SSP and progress achieved meeting defined improvement initiatives with stakeholders is <u>not included</u> or is <u>incomplete</u> .	Written description of how the school communicated the SSP and its defined improvement initiatives with stakeholders is included.	
(Provide evidence to support the written description of communication of the SSP progress with stakeholders.) Include your State-of-the-School report as evidence that stakeholders were advised of progress achieved on strategically planned improvement initiatives and the plan for future improvement.	The school's "State of the School" is not provided or does not demonstrates communication of the SSP and related progress toward achieving defined objectives, strategies, and action steps. A plan for future improvement is not included in the State-of-the-School Report.	The State of the School Report clearly demonstrates communication of the SSP to stakeholders, the school's progress toward achieving defined improvement initiatives, and the school's plan for future improvement.	
Reviewer Comments and/or Recommendations:			
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Supporting Professional	Excellence	
Indicator	Not in Compliance	Compliance
What was the school's professional development plan? Provides a written description of your school's professional development plan that supported on-going training in areas such as curriculum, instruction, and assessment strategies.	The written description does not describe the school's professional development plan that supported on-going training in areas such as curriculum, instruction, and/or assessment strategies.	Written description of the school's professional development plan this year was provided indicating on-going training in areas such as curriculum, instruction, and assessment strategies. OR Written description of how the school collaboratively responded to distance learning in 2020.
What have you learned? What was learned from this year's professional development activities that will inform your decisions supporting professional excellence in the future.	The written reflection does not advise how this year's professional development activities will inform decisions supporting professional excellence in the future.	A written reflection is provided advising how the professional development activities that occurred in 2019-20 will inform decisions for future professional excellence.
Verification that the school has a plan. Provides verification of a written professional development plan that supported ongoing training in areas such as curriculum, instruction, and assessments strategies.	Verification is not provided by checking the box provided.	Verification indicates there is a written professional development plan that supports ongoing training in areas such as curriculum, instruction, and assessment strategies.
Reviewer Comments and/or Recom	mendations	



Summary of Findings and Recommendations for Future
The 2019-20 Annual Progress Report is in compliance with all MNSAA requirements and no further action is needed.
Required Response is due on or before October 15, 2020 in the following areas:
 Introductory Materials – Cover Form and Cover Letter By October 15th:
 ☐ The School Strategic Plan (SSP) ■ By October 15th:
 Communicating School Strategic Plan (SSP) Progress to Stakeholders By October 15th:
 Supporting Professional Excellence By October 15th:
Additional Comments from the Reviewer:
Signature Date: Reviewed by: Reviewer's Name