



Renaissance Network – Update

Equity. Excellence. Empowerment.
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Renaissance Network

- The *Renaissance Network* is a support structure for our under-performing schools.
- Schools receive differentiated services and supports to address achievement and performance gaps.
- Schools are assigned to the network based on DESE accountability percentiles.



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	ACADEMICS				
	Progress Towards Improvement		Accountability Percentile		
	2018	2019	2017	2018	2019
Bartlett	63	57	--	9	9
Butler	37	59	--	6	10
Greenhalge	69	40	--	10	13
Lowell High	31	27	13	13	12
Robinson	27	21	--	3	2
Stoklosa	53	67	--	12	17
Sullivan	28	25	--	6	3



Instructional Rounds

- Launched in November
- Renaissance Schools
 - *Bartlett*
 - *Butler*
 - *Greenhalge*
 - *Lowell High*
 - *Robinson*
 - *Stoklosa*
 - *Sullivan*
- 182 classroom visits
- Team:
 - CO/School, LSAA/UTL
 - Math Coach, Teachers/Leads, Principal, AP, Instructional Coach, Literacy Specialist

Teacher Quotes:

"As a teacher, I've often wondered what happens in these meetings. This was a helpful and valuable experience."

"I have gained valuable insight on how to improve my practice. It is helpful for me to see the work of my colleagues."



We are making progress

- Rubric based feedback
 - Sustaining
 - Providing
 - Developing
 - *Not observed*
- Indicator examples:
 - *Classroom climate*
 - *Content objectives*
 - *Learning time*
- Building the practice
 - Peer observations
 - School-wide utilization

		November	January
Organization of the Classroom: Climate	Sustaining	1	10
	Providing	47	46
	Developing	32	12
Organization of the Classroom: Learning Objectives	Sustaining	1	4
	Providing	35	37
	Developing	46	25
Organization of the Classroom: Learning Time	Sustaining	5	10
	Providing	29	41
	Developing	42	21



What's next? *Investing in our future*

Directing intensive resources through five guiding pillars of support:

- **Improving academics**
- **Strategic Intervention**
- **Non-instructional supports**
- **Extended learning**
- **Engaging families**

Improving academics

- *Instructional rounds*

Strategic Intervention

- *Greenhalge pilot program*

Non-instructional supports

- *School Climate Manager*

Extended learning

Engaging families