

# State Systemic Improvement

(SSIP)



Georgia Department of Education



# Celebrating Success

- Forty-one of the original 50 intensive districts have met or exceeded the Annual Event Graduation target(65%).
- 86% of ALL Georgia districts are currently meeting or exceeding the Annual Event Graduation target(65%).



2017-2018  
Georgia  
Dropout  
Statistics

[gosa.ga.gov](http://gosa.ga.gov)

23,687

Georgia Students  
dropped out

4140

Georgia Students with  
Disabilities dropped out

# Intensive Support LEAs

- Atlanta Public Schools
- Clayton County Schools
- DeKalb County Schools
- Evans County Schools
- Gwinnett County Schools
- Marietta City Schools
- Bibb County Schools (TSI for SWD)
- Talbot County Schools (TSI for SWD)
- Telfair County Schools (TSI for SWD)

# District Effectiveness and Systemic Improvement Partnership

- Developed Common Expectations Rubric to Guide the Work
- Common Expectations Implementation Scoring Rubric
- Collaborating Resources, Coaching and Technical Supports
- Partnering with Job-A-Like Technical Assistance and Statewide Professional Learning Events
- Each District has a 90-Day Plan that will be monitored monthly by DES/SSIP Specialists
- Each District will complete a District Implementation Team Rubric Self-Assessment with evidence (monthly monitoring and feedback by DES/SSIP Specialists)
- Collaborative Service Logs by DES/SSIP Teams

# DES/SSIP/MTSS/PBIS Collaboration

- Common Messaging around whole child student success
- SSIP Specialist attend MTSS PL/TA events
- Statewide Professional Learning Events
- MTSS online courses, webpage access and other resources and tools
- Review evidence-based practices using the “Taxonomy of Intervention Rubrics” with evidence for SSIP/TSI District Teams
- Fidelity Measures for Evidence Based Practices based on MTSS input
- Communication of MTSS/PBIS activities and events documented at monthly District Team Meetings

# State Systemic Improvement Plan

- **Universal Supports ALL LEAs**
  - GLRS Collaborative Communities
  - Statewide PL with MTSS Unit and SDE Division
  - School Completion Toolkit Website
  - 3 Statewide Leadership Launches (October, December, March)
- **Targeted Supports (7 LEAs)-**
  - Same as above
  - Monthly regional supports from GLRS
  - Quarterly supports from Systemic Improvement Specialists and District Effectiveness Specialists
  - Capacity Building Grant

# State Systemic Improvement Plan

- **Intensive Supports** (6 SSIP/TSI LEAs and 3 additional TSI LEAs)
  - Universal and Targeted Supports
  - Capacity Building Grant
  - Monthly District Team Meeting with DES/SSIP Specialists
  - Monthly monitoring with feedback of the Self-Assessment District Implementation Team Rubric
  - Monthly Face to Face Meeting with Sp. Ed Director, SSIP Coach and SSIP Specialists
  - Ongoing TA and Coaching from DES/SSIP Specialists
  - ILC /School District Effectiveness PL
  - 3 District Coaches and Point of Contact Meetings throughout the year





# School Completion Toolkit



The School Completion Toolkit provides links to state and national resources, as well as, successful practices from LEAs across the state aimed at improving outcomes for all students including students with disabilities

Home → Teaching and Learning → Special Education Services and Supports

<b>Rules, Manuals &amp; Forms</b>
Special Education Rules
Implementation Manual
Sample Forms
Applications
<b>Eligibility Categories</b>
Autism
Deafblind
Deaf/Hard of Hearing (D/HH)
Emotional & Behavioral Disorder
Intellectual Disabilities
Orthopedic Impairment
Other Health Impairment
Preschool Special Education
Significant Developmental Delay
Specific Learning Disability
Speech Language Impairment
Traumatic Brain Injury
Visual Impairment & Blindness
<b>Budgets, Grants, Data Collection and Reporting</b>
Budget & Grant Applications
LEA Consolidated Application
Data Collection Conference
Annual Reports
State Performance Plan (SPP), Annual Performance Reports (APR) and Annual Determinations
<b>Continuous Improvement</b>
Georgia's Continuous Improvement Monitoring Process (GCIMP)
Disproportionality

## Special Education Services and Supports

The Georgia Department of Education (Division for Special Education Services and Supports) provides necessary infrastructure and supports for leaders, teachers, and families to meet the whole child needs of each student improving student outcomes and school climate resulting in an increased quality of life and workforce ready future. We must commit to effective collaboration across agencies and school-home partnerships to support local school districts in their efforts to provide special education and related services for students with disabilities.

The GaDOE must provide state General Supervision for local school districts to improve educational results and functional outcomes for all children with disabilities and ensure that the requirements of IDEA are met. We believe that all students must have an equitable opportunity for school completion and successful postsecondary outcomes.

## Georgia's Systems of Continuous Improvement



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### Frequently Accessed Resources

#### Events

- IDEAS Conference
- Equity Summit Resources
- GaDOE Sped Calendar
- New Special Education Directors - LDA
- School Completion Toolkit

#### Newsletters

- Teacher Tools Newsletter - August 2019
- Teacher Tools Newsletter - May 2019
- Teacher Tools Newsletter - April 2019
- Teacher Tools Newsletter - March 2019
- Teacher Tools Newsletter - February 2019
- Teacher Tools Newsletter - January 2019

#### Recent Events



# Early Warning System and MTSS/PBIS Resources



ABC

Attendance

Behavior

Course Performance

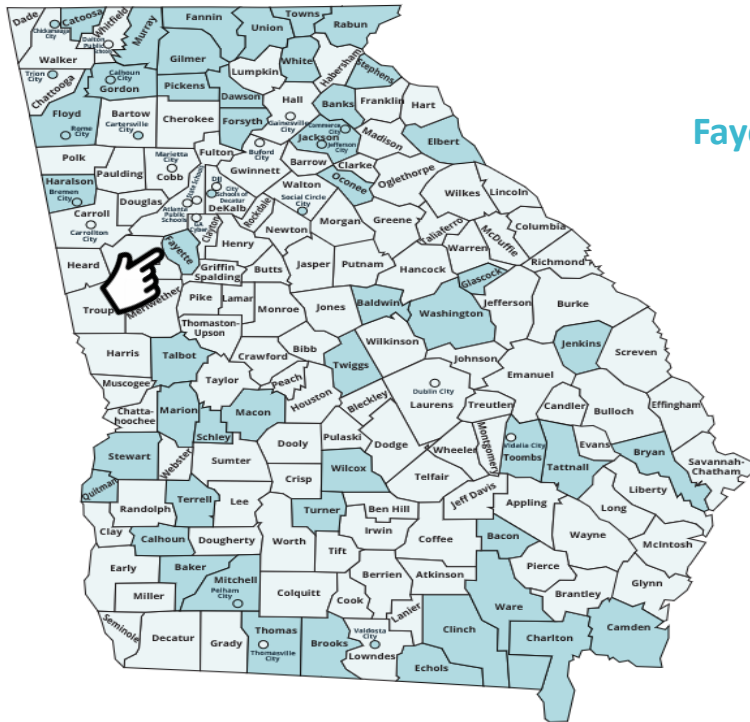


Social

Emotional

Learning

# LEA Interactive Map



Fayette 91.5%

- Camden County
- Cartersville City
- Catoosa County
- Charlton County
- Chickamauga City
- City Schools of Decatur
- Clinch County
- Commerce City
- Dawson County
- Echols County
- Elbert County
- Fannin County
- Fayette County ←
- Floyd County
- Forsyth County
- Gilmer County
- Glascocock County
- Gordon County
- Haralson County
- Jackson County
- Jefferson City
- Jenkins County
- Macon County
- Marion County
- Mitchell County
- Murray County
- Oconee County
- Pelham City

Click on the map to access LEA websites

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to recommend additional  
resources.



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## State Systemic Improvement Implementation Team Meetings

- September 23, 2019
- October 24, 2019
- November 21, 2019
- January 9, 2020
- March 26, 2020

## Statewide School Completion Leadership Launch Webinars

- October 2, 2019 2:00PM
- December 4, 2019  
2:00PM
- March 12, 2020 2:00PM

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