

## **BAY VISTA FUNDAMENTAL ELEMENTARY SIP 2013-14 EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

Bay Vista Fundamental Elementary School has 650 students grades Kindergarten to 5<sup>th</sup>, one administrator, 42 teachers, and 20 additional staff members. The mission of Bay Vista Fundamental is to educate all learners to become successful, productive members of society by providing a safe, positive learning community.

To accomplish this mission, Bay Vista has 6 Goals:

- 1) To increase the percentage of students at a level 3 or above in reading from 76% to 80% ;
- 2) To increase the percentage of students at a level 3 or above in math from 67% to 75%;
- 3) To increase the percentage of students at a level 3 or above in science from 82% to 85%;
- 4) Close the achievement gap between black and non-black students to our AMO 2014 targets; Reading- 63%, Math – 63%, Economically Disadvantaged students; Reading- 68%, Math- 65%
- 5) Reduce the number of students tardy 10 percent or more as defined by district attendance policy from 25 students to 18.
- 6) Increase the percentage of parents as registered volunteers from 90% to 93%.

The core instructional strategies included in our action plans are: using research-based strategies in core instruction (e.g., 5E, Gradual Release, Text Dependent Questioning, Collaboration, journaling in all subject areas and use of rubrics to monitor effectiveness. The school will also implement the Common Core in all grades.

The professional development efforts include the use of the literacy team to train and guide teachers in differentiating and scaffolding instruction. Teams will meet in Professional Learning Communities to formulate professional development plans. The plans may include modeling lessons, coaching and mentoring each other and seeking district training in improvement areas. Teachers will collaborate with District Literacy Coach and team for common planning and the implementation of the Common Core.

The parent involvement includes a marketing effort to register parents as volunteers. Parents will be provided school wide volunteers opportunities throughout the year both during school and after hours. The school will also provide data on attendance to parents and Social Worker in an effort to decrease the number of students tardy. Resources will be provided.

For more information about Bay Vista Fundamental Elementary School Improvement Plan, please go to our website at <http://www.teacherweb.com/FL/BayVistaElementary/SchoolHomepage/sdhp1.aspx>