Lakewood Elementary 2014-15 School Improvement Plan Executive Summary

**Vision**: Lakewood Elementary aspires to prepare the whole child for a future of limitless possibilities through an integrated and relevant and rigorous curriculum

**Mission**: *Provide each student with a diverse education to reach their academic and life goals.*

Goal 1:

100% of teachers will utilize formative assessments to guide instruction as evident by reading proficiency from 19% to 52%; in math from 15% to 49%; and increase Reading gains 53% to 60%; Math gains 41% to 60% and science proficiency from 13% to 25%

Strategies:

* Build capacity of Grade Level Teachers to effectively analyze student data to develop lessons which differentiate English Language Arts, Math and Science instruction
* Increase classroom intervention support through the use of partner teachers

Action Steps:

* Define and use formative assessments in math, English Language Arts and Science as a grade level team
* Utilize protocols to analyze assessment results to determine student instructional needs as a grade level team
* Plan differentiated instruction to meet specific needs of students with a coach as a grade level team
* Utilize Partner teachers to support implementation of differentiated instruction

Goal 2:

Improve the climate and culture of the learning environment as measured by the decrease in student referral and suspension by 10%

Strategies:

* School will implement and monitor School Wide Behavior Plan.
* Increase opportunities for parents and families to support a positive climate and culture for learning

Action Steps:

* Provide monthly professional development to focus on understanding behavior and the implementation of effective classroom behavior management strategies
* Monitor implementation of School Wide Behavior Plan
* Utilize Problem Solving to determine student needs and levels of support
* Increase parent engagement activities
* Increase school and home communication