# SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN 2006-2007



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# SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

# Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary School

Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School is located in the Wynwood section of the City of Miami at 401 NW 29th Street. We service 741 students from pre-kindergarten through fifth grade. Many of Miami's immigrants, particularly those from Central and Soth American countries and the Caribbean Islands, attend our school. The student population is 77 percent Hispanic, 20 percent African-American/non-Hispanic, two percent White, and one percent Asian/Indian/Multicultural. Many of our students travel throughout the school year between the United States and their countries of origin, contributing to a mobility rate of 39. Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School's Students With Disability (SWD) program provides individualized instructional services to nine percent of the student population. The total number of students enrolled in the Students With Disability program is 67 Learning Disabled. Seventy-five percent of the SWD population is being instructed under the inclusion model and the remaining 25 percent are educated using the resource model. Thirty-four percent of the students are English Language Learners (ELL). Ninety-eight percent of the student body qualifies for the free and reduced price lunch program. The school services the community by providing before and after school child care services, during and after school tutoring, and community school services for both students and parents. Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School is the primary recipient of students from three homeless and drug rehabilitation shelters in the area. The attendance rate of 2005-2006 was 95.15 percent. Differentiated instruction is implemented through the tutorial services provided during and after school so that students may receive additional opportunities to master skills and state benchmarks. Special Education and Gifted programs are also provided to support the student population.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards, students in grades three through five will improve their reading skills as evidenced by a 51 percent increase in the number of students scoring at Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Achievement Level 3 or higher on the 2007 administration of the FCAT Reading Test.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards, African American students in grades three through five will improve their reading skills as evidenced by a 21 percentage point increase of students scoring at Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Achievement Level 3 or higher on the 2007 administration of the FCAT Reading Test.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards, Students with Disabilities in grades three through five will improve their reading skills as evidenced by a 21 percentage point increase of students scoring at Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Achievement Level 3 or higher on the 2007 administration of the FCAT Reading Test.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards, students in grades three through five will improve their mathematics skills as evidenced by a 56 percent increase in the number of students scoring at Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Achievement Level 3 or higher on the 2007 administration of the FCAT Mathematics Test.

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Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards, Economically Disadvantage students in grades three through five will improve their mathematicic skills as evidenced by a 9 percentage point increase of students scoring at Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Achievement Level 3 or higher on the 2007 administration of the FCAT Mathematics Test.

Given instruction using the writing process, students in grade four will improve their writing skills as evidenced by a one percentage point increase in the number of students attaining the State required mastery level as documented by scores on the 2007 Florida Comprehensive Assessment Writing Plus Test (FCAT).

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards, students in grade five will improve their knowledge of basic science skills and concepts as evidenced by a two percentage point increase in the number of students scoring at Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Achievement Level 3 or higher on the 2007 administration of the FCAT Science Test.

Given a school wide emphasis on parental involvement, parent participation in school activities and events will increase as evidenced by a two percentage point increase in the number of parents attending school related events and services during the 2006-2007 school year as documented in attendance logs when compared to the 2005-2006 school year.

Given a school-wide emphasis on adhering to the procedures delineated in the Code of Student Conduct, the behavior of students at Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will improve as evidenced by a decreased in the number of students receiving outdoor suspension from 25 to 11.

Given appropriate training in Computer Literacy, the amount of teachers who will be able to use the computer to complete various tasks will increase by five percent as evidenced by the results of the school developed technology survey.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards for Physical Education, students will improve their physical conditioning, as evidenced by a three percentage points increase in the number of students receiving awards in 2007.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards for music, art, physical education, and Spanish, the number of students who participate in district-sponsored events will increase by two percentage points over the previous year, as evidenced by an increase in documentation.

Given school wide emphasis on implementing the 8-Step Continous Improvement Model, Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will improve its current ranking at the 13th percentile on the 2004-2005 State of Florida ROI index publication to 14th percentile by the next publication of the index.

Based on the results of the Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot survey, two areas for improvement are Strategic Planning and Process management. Specifically, there is concern in reference to the following two strategies: "As it plans for the future, my organization asks for my ideas", and "I can get all of the resources I need to do my job." The rationale for selecting these two areas is that stakeholders, who feel that their ideas and concerns are

important and valid, are more apt to "buy into"; organizational goals and partake in school-wide initiatives. If faculty and staff feel that they have input in the area of organizational decisions and they have all the resources needed to do their job, the programs will be more personalized and thus be considered more important to the stakeholders. In order to increase staff contribution, the leadership team will implement two strategies. Strategy: Surveys will be conducted and faculty representatives will be encouraged to serve on committees to select school wide implementation of new programs and instructional tools. Strategy: Faculty members will be encouraged to participate in EESAC meetings.

### MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

#### VISION

We are committed to provide educational excellence for all.

#### **MISSION**

We provide the highest quality education so that all of our students are empowered to lead productive and fulfilling lives as lifelong learners and responsible citizens.

#### CORE VALUES

#### Excellence

We pursue the highest standards in academic achievement and organizational performance.

#### Integrity

We build positive relationships through honesty, respect and compassion, which enhance the self-esteem, safety, and well-being of our students, families and staff.

#### Equity

We foster an environment that serves all students and aspires to eliminate the achievement gap.

#### Citizenship

We honor the diversity of our community by working as a team to ensure the educational success of all of our students and recognize that our obligations go beyond our professional responsibilities to promote democratic principles.

#### **Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary School**

#### VISION

The faculty, staff, parents, and community of Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will help our students become responsible, creative, confident, and productive adults. We will strive to empower students and their families through the provision of professional programs that model several sets of skills and social behaviors. These will include positive self-concepts, ethical treatment, decision making, technology, critical thinking, and employability skills.

#### MISSION

It is the mission of Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School to assist and motivate all children to reach their fullest potential so that they may become productive citizens. We provide a variety of experiences to increase opportunities for individual success for students, parents, and community members. Our students work and learn in a safe and secure environment that teaches responsibility and respect. Our teachers strive to provide an environment in which the multiple intelligences of each child are explored and honored. Our students are taught in cooperative social settings so that they may acquire and practice appropriate interpersonal skills. These skills facilitate their quest for community as they develop self-knowledge and understand their ability to contribute to society. The faculty at Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School works to instill in students the importance of new and varied experiences, creativity, positive social change, personal responsibility, and the continued pursuit of education.

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### Leadership:

The September 2006 Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot Survey reflects that our strongest item in the area of Leadership was the knowledge of the organization's mission, item 1a, whereas the weakest in that section was that staff/faculty do not feel they are asked for input, item 1g. Based on the aforementioned results, it is evident that the administration and the EESAC have work diligently and collaboratively defined a vision and established goals for the improvement of student achievement. Both groups will work to design and implement processes where all faculty and staff will have input in the school wide decision making process.

### District Strategic Planning Alignment:

The September 2006 Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot Survey reflects that our strongest item in the area of District Strategic Planning Alignment was that faculty/staff know how to tell when progress is being made on their individual portion of the overall plan of action, item 2c, whereas the weakest in that section was the knowledge that staff/faculty feel their input is not solicited, item 2a. Based on the aforementioned results, it is evident that the administration and the EESAC have work diligently and collaboratively to follow the Sunshine State Standards, district, and state guidelines, and School Improvement Plan in order to accomplish the school's goals and objectives. Additionally, they will keep working to define methods to include input from all stakeholders.

### Stakeholder Engagement:

The September 2006 Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot Survey reflects that our strongest item in the area of Stakeholder Engagement/Customer and Market Focus was the knowledge and identification of the stakeholders, item 3a, whereas the weakest in that section was that faculty/staff do not feel they are part of the decision making process, item 3e. Based on the aforementioned results, it is evident that the administration and the EESAC have work deligently and collaboratively to provide extended opportunities affording everyone opportunities to be engaged in the decision making process. Both groups will continue to encourage faculty and staff to become active in the decision making process by being part of school committees and/or the EESAC.

### Faculty & Staff:

The September 2006 Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot Survey reflects that our strongest item in the area of Faculty and Staff/Human Resources was the faculty/staff's comfort and safety, item 5e, whereas the weakest in that section was staff members are not recognized for their work, 5d. Based on the aforementioned results, it is evident that the administration and the EESAC have work deligently and collaboratively to create a safe working and learning environment. Both group will work to develop and implement ways of recognizing and rewarding faculty and staff for their job performance.

### Data/Information/Knowledge Management:

The September 2006 Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot Survey reflects that our strongest item in the area of Data/Information/Knowledge Management was the ability to individually measure quality of work, item 4a, whereas the weakest in that section was the staff's knowledge of how the organization is doing in general, item 4f. The administration and elected members of the EESAC have a team approach to the overall function of the

school. The organization has implemented opportunities for involvement and growth through many activities such as Professional Development, Professional Growth Reams, networking, and other building events.

### Education Design:

The September 2006 Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot Survey reflects that our strongest item in the area of Education Design/Process Mangement was the knowledge that faculty/staff have control over their work processes, item 6d, whereas the weakest in that section was that faculty/staff members do not have all the resources they need to their job, item 6a. The administration provides resources for staff to perform their jobs and will continue to monitor and ensure the staff receives the appropriate resources.

### Performance Results:

The September 2006 Organizational Performance Improvement Snapshot Survey reflects that our strongest item in the area of Performance Results/Business Results was that faculty/staff are satisfied with their job, item 7i, whereas the weakest in that section was the organization's sharing of financial issues with the staff, item 7c. Based on the aforementioned results, it is evident that the administration and the EESAC use the 8-Step Continuous Improvement Model to monitor and improve student scores, attendance, suspensions, and drop-out rates. The organization's highly experienced staff, truancy program, assessment platforms, district and state guidelines, and best practices have helped improve the performance to achieve and maintain high quality education.

# Additional Requirements

Only for schools under state sanction

### • High Quality, Highly Qualified Teachers:

1. The school participated the April 2006 Teacher Fair which led to the hiring of four teachers.

2. The administration has worked closely with the Office of Human Resources and the Regional Office to identify potential applicants to fill open teaching positions.

3. Presently the school counts with 25 teachers who hold a Masters Degree, four Nationally Board Certified teachers, three staff members with Ph.D. degree.

3. The school provides positive reinforcement to staff who perform at or above expectations.

4. The school provides for staff input as it relates to school-wide issues.

### • Highly Qualified, Certified Administrators:

Dr. Orlando B. Gonzalez, Principal – Dr. Gonzalez has been an educator for 22 years and is currently in his 10th year as a schoolsite principal. He has been the principal of Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School since July 2002. Previously, he was principal at Jose de Diego Middle School (July 1998 – June 2002) and Allapattah Middle School (July 1997 – June 1998). Prior to becoming a principal, Dr. Gonzalez served as an assistant principal at South Dade Senior High School (July 1994 - June 1997) and South Miami Middle School (November 1993 – June 1994). Prior to becoming a school-site administrator, Dr. Gonzalez was a social science teacher at Miami Senior High School (1989 - 1993) and Miami Jackson Senior High School (1985-1989). During the past 22 years, Dr. Gonzalez has improved student academic achievement either through direct instruction as a classroom teacher or as the instructional leader of the school. Dr. Gonzalez received a Bachelor of Arts in History from Florida International University (1980), a Master of Science in Educational Leadership from Nova Southeastern University (1992), and a Doctorate of Philosophy in Educational Leadership from the University of Miami (2002).

Ms. Sandra L. Banky, Assistant Principal – Ms. Banky has been worked for the Miami-Dade County Public School System for 23 years. Ms. Banky has served students in both low performing and high performing schools, primarily working in economically disadvantaged areas. She was a primary and intermediate grade teacher for 10 years, serving as grade level chair for seven of those years. For the past 11 years, Ms. Banky has served as an assistant principal in Region IV. Ms. Banky has been instrumental in improving student achievement in reading, writing, and mathematics in every school where she has worked. Ms. Banky earned a Bachelor of Science in Education from the University of Puerto Rico, a Master of Science in TESOL from Nova Southeastern University, and a Specialist in Reading from Nova Southeastern University.

Ms. Olga Melba Gonzalez, Assistant Principal for Community Education – Ms. Gonzalez has been an educator in the Miami-Dade County Public School system since 1984. She has taught at the middle and senior high school levels. Ms. Gonzalez was an assistant principal at Tropical Elementary School (1993) and has been the Assistant Principal for Community Education at Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School since 1996. During this time, Ms. Gonzalez has worked to enhance student achievement by overseeing after-school tutoring in the areas of reading and mathematics. In addition, she coordinates classes for parents in ESOL, GED preparation, computer education, and FCAT awareness.

#### • Teacher Mentoring:

Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School adheres to the policies and procedures set forth in the District's PACES Manual. At Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School, teachers use a common planning time to plan instructional activities and share ideas for the delivery of instruction. Facilitators in reading, mathematics, and writing visit the classrooms on a regular basis to observe instructional techniques, provide feedback, and model lessons for the purpose of improving instruction. Workshops are planned and presented to further the professional growth process. At the beginning of the year, new teachers are identified and assigned a Professional Growth Team comprised of members who are mutually agreed upon by themselves and site administrators. Beginning teachers are also encouraged to participate in both district and school-site workshops to become familiar with Miami-Dade County Public School's policies and procedures.

#### • School Advisory Council:

The School Advisory Council (SAC) at Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School promotes an environment of professional alliance among all stakeholders to help create a learning environment that supports the school's vision and mission. The School Advisory Council meets this goal by working together with site administrators through monthly meetings where the School Improvement Plan goals are analyzed, available resources are discussed, and recommendations are made based on the Plan-Do-Study-Act cycle of the 8-Step Continuous Improvement Model.

### • Extended Learning Opportunities

PROGRAMS: DURING AND AFTER SCHOOL

• Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will provide after-school tutoring through the SES supplemental services to students in grades three to five who scored Levels 1 or 2 in the Reading and Mathematics FCAT 2006 administration. This service will be offered to the SWD and African-American students. The students will receive instructional assistance in order to reach mastery of the reading and mathematics skills they are lacking.

• Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will provide tutoring during the school day in the areas of reading, mathematics, and writing for students who scored at Levels 1 or 2 on the 2006 FCAT administration. A reading and mathematics pull out tutoring program will be implemented using paraprofessionals and hourly teachers. Students in fourth and third grades who score below a Level 2 on the FCAT Writing Plus Pre-Test will be pulled out for 30 minutes of intensive instruction on a daily basis.

• Eneida Massas Hartner and community School will ensure the success of the school targets by providing constant support to new teachers.

#### School Wide Improvement Model

Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School plans to implement the 8-Step Continuous Improvement Plan. After analyzing the 2006 FCAT data, a team composed of teachers from various grade levels and administration developed a curriculum map for reading, mathematics, and science to serve as a guide in planning, implementing, and assessing instruction. Our plan provides common planning time to every grade level for the purpose of establishing consistency in instruction across the grade levels. Bi-weekly tests will be created and administered in an effort to determine student mastery of benchmarks taught over a two-week period. A Comprehensive Skill Assessment Test will be administered monthly. Data gathered will be used to drive instruction. The effectiveness of the testing method and schedule will be studied, and any necessary adjustments will be made. Administrators and support personnel will visit classrooms to ensure that teachers fully understand that the school's academic mission is the focus of all instruction. Instruction in reading, mathematics, and science will be provided through departmentalization in grades three through five. The effectivenes of school wide targets will be ensured by the participation of the Literacy Team in grade level meetings, faculty meetings and all other related school activities.

### GOAL 1: READING

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

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	X	X	X	X		X

#### Miami-Dade County Public Schools

#### District Strategic Plan

		Actively engage family and		
Ensure achievement of high	Develop our students so that	community members to become	Reform business practices to	Recruit, develop and retain
academic standards by all	they are able to successfully	our partners in raising and	ensure efficiency, effectiveness	high-performing, diverse, and
students.	compete in the global economy.	maintaining high student	and high ethical standards.	motivated faculty and staff.
		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

### GOAL 1 STATEMENT:

READING

### Needs Assessment

A review of the data from the results of the 2006 administration of the FCAT Reading Test reveals that 45 percent of the students in third through fifth grades scored below FCAT achievement Level 3. Students are having the greatest difficulties in the areas of Main Idea/Purpose, Comparisons, and Reference/Research where they performed below 50 percent mastery. In addition, reinforcement is needed in the area of Words/Phrases; on the average, students scored at 57 percent mastery or above in this area.

Results by grade level indicate that third grade students' strength was in the area of Word Phrases. Their need for improvement lies in the area of Comparisons, Reference and Research, Main Idea and Author's Purpose. The strength of fourth grade students was also in the area of Word Phrases. Their need for improvement lies in the area of Comparisons/Reference and Research, Main Idea and Author's Purpose. The strength of fifth grade students was in the area of Comparison. Their need for improvement lies in the area of Reference and Research, Main Idea, Words and Phrases, and Author's Purpose.

#### NCLB SUBGROUP TARGET

TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN	NATIVE	F/R LUNCH	LEP	SWD	LEVEL I	LOWEST 25%	OTHER	GRADUATIO N RATE
X		Х						Х				

# **Measurable Objective**

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	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START	END	ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Utilize and monitor the inclusion model and	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
Read 180 in an effort to provide instruction to	Asst. Principal			Plan	
Students With Disabilities at grade level.	Classroom Teachers				
	SWD Teachers				
Provide and monitor opportunities for	Principal	8/8/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
students to use Accelerated Reader which	Asst. Principal			Plan	
enhances classroom instruction and promotes	Classroom Teachers				
independent reading.	Technology Facilitator				
Develop and implement weekly lesson plans	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
that align with Sunshine State Standards, the	Asst. Principal			Plan	
core reading program, content materials, and	Classroom Teachers				
successful instructional strategies.					
Use task cards, graphic organizers, visual and	Principal	08/08/2006	5/25/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
audio-visual aids with English Language	Asst. Principal			Plan	
Learners (ELL) to assist in molding students'	Classroom Teachers				
understanding.					
Departmentalize in grades 3 through 5 to	Principal Assist. Principal	8/8/2006	05/24/07	District Strategic	\$0.00
provide instruction in reading.				Plan	

# **Action Steps**

Identify the students in all subgroups scoring at Achievement Levels 1 and 2 on the FCAT Reading Test and implement during and after school tutorial programs to address their reading deficiencies.	Principal Asst. Principal Reading Coach	8/8/2006	5/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Administer District Reading Pre/Post Tests, DIBELS, and Benchmark assessments and monitor and utilize test results. Teachers will generate and use assessment items structured in FCAT format to determine skill progression, adjust instruction, and initiate Child Study Team processes as needed, particularly for students in each subgroup identified by the No Child Left Behind Act.	Principal Assist. Principal Reading Coach Classroom Teachers	8/8/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00

# **Research-Based Programs**

The following are Research Based Programs used at our school:

Houghton Mifflin Voyager Riverdeep

Leap-Frog is being used as a supplemental resource.

# **Professional Development**

Professional development will be offered in the following areas:

The Project 8-Step Continuous Improvement Model CRISS Strategies Early Success Soar to Success Riverdeep School Support Team (SST) Houghton Mifflin.

# Evaluation

2007 FCAT Reading Test scores District Interim Assessment Bi-weekly and monthly assessments FCAT formatted teacher-made tests DIBELS

### **GOAL 2: MATHEMATICS**

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

(1000.3(5)(a)-(f), F.S.)

Learning and completion at all levels, including increased high school graduation and readiness for postsecondary education	Student Performance	Alignment of Standards and Resources	Educational Leadership	Workforce Education	Parental, Student, Family, Educational Institution, and Community Involvement
X	X	X	X		X

#### Miami-Dade County Public Schools

#### **District Strategic Plan**

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academic standards by all	they are able to successfully	our partners in raising and	ensure efficiency, effectiveness	high-performing, diverse, and
students.	compete in the global economy.	maintaining high student	and high ethical standards.	motivated faculty and staff.
		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

### GOAL 2 STATEMENT:

MATHEMATICS

### Needs Assessment

A review of the data from the results of the 2006 administration of the FCAT Mathematics Test reveal that 45 percent of the students in grades three through five scored below FCAT achievement Level 3. The data further indicate that students in all three grades need rigorous instruction and remediation in the strands tested by the FCAT. The areas of greatest need, ranked from greatest to least need are Number Sense, Data Analysis, and Algebraic Thinking. Data also indicates that students could benefit from reinforcements of skills in the areas of Geometry and Spatial Sense and Measurement. Seventeen percent of students with Disabilities scored at or above level 3. Forty seven percent of the Economically Disadvantage Students and English Language Learners (ELL) scored at or above level 3. Thirty seven percent of the African American student population scored at or above FCAT achievement Level 3, there is a need to increase the amount of time spent on instruction and reinforcements in the areas mentioned above.

Results by grade level indicate that third grade students' strength was in the area of number sense and Algebraic Thinking. Their need for improvement lies in the area of Geometry, Spatial Sense, Data analisys and Probability. The strength of fourth grade students was also in the area of Algebraic Thinking, Geometry and Spatial Sense, and Data Analisys. Their need for improvement lies in the area of Measurement and Number Sense. The strength of fifth grade students was also in the area of Geometry and Spatial Sense. Their need for improvement lies in the area of Algebraic Thinking, Data Analisys and Probability.

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	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		BUDGET	
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START	END	ALIGNMENT		
Identify students in all subgroups scoring at	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00	
Achievement Levels 1 and 2 of the FCAT	Assistant Principal			Plan		
Mathematics Test and implement during and	Math Facilitator					

# **Action Steps**

after school tutorial programs to address the mathematics deficiencies of students.		1	1		
Provide ninety minutes of instruction in mathematics in grades three and four.	Principal, Assistant Principal, Math facilitator	8/8/2006	5/24/07	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Establish and monitor the implementation of long range plans through mentoring and modeling of lessons to ensure that instruction of the Sunshine State Standards benchmarks have been completed by January in grades three through five and by June in kindergarten through second grade.	Principal Asst. Principal Math Facilitator Classroom Teachers	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Utilize and monitor the inclusion model in an effort to provide instruction to Students With Disabilities at grade level.	Principal Asst. Principal Classroom teachers SWD Teachers	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Departmentalize in grades three through five to provide instruction in Mathematics.	Classroom Teachers, Mathematics Facilitator, Assistant Princial, Principal	08/08/06	05/30/07	Continuous Improvement Model	\$0.00
Provide and monitor small group instruction by the classroom teacher to students not making adequate progress in mathematics as evidenced by weekly and monthly assessments.	Principal Asst. Principal Classroom Teachers	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Implement and monitor on a regular basis in school tutoring in grades three to five using intervention strategies such as the mathematics laboratory, mentoring, and modeling of lessons for students in all subgroups identified by the No Child Left Behind Act to improve student achievement.	Principal Asst. Principal Classroom Teachers	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Provide and monitor opportunities for students to use the SuccessMaker program to reinforce classroom instruction and promote problem solving and critical thinking, with emphasis on students in all subgroups identified by the No Child Left Behind Act requirements.	Principal Asst. Principal Math Facilitator Classroom Teachers	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Administer District Mathematics Interim Assessment Test and benchmark assessments to focus instruction, monitor, and utilize results. Teachers will generate and use assessment items structured in FCAT format to determine skill progression, adjust instruction, and initialize CST process as	Principal Asst. Principal Classroom Teachers	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00

needed, particularly for students in each subgroup identified by the No Child Left Behind Act.

# **Research-Based Programs**

Harcourt as the core Mathematics series Riverdeep program.

# **Professional Development**

Professional development for all teachers will include training in the following:

8-Step Continuous Improvement Model Use of manipulatives Riverdeep FCAT Explorer.

### **Evaluation**

2007 FCAT Mathematics Test scores Bi-weekly and monthly assessments FCAT formatted teacher-made tests District Interim Assessments Weekly and monthly teacher-generated FCAT formatted assessments

### GOAL 3: WRITING

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

(1000.3(5)(a)-(f), F.S.)

Learning and completion at all levels, including increased high school graduation and readiness for postsecondary education	Student Performance	Alignment of Standards and Resources	Educational Leadership	Workforce Education	Parental, Student, Family, Educational Institution, and Community Involvement
X	X	X	X		X

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		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

### GOAL 3 STATEMENT:

WRITING

### Needs Assessment

A review of the data from the result of the 2006 Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Writing Plus Test indicate that 77 percent of the fourth grade students met state required mastery level. According to the No Child Left Behind requirements all of our sub-groups met the necessary requirement.

Seventy five percent of the students scored 3.5 or above on the expository writing prompt while 63 percent scored 3.5 or above on the narrative prompt.

Fifty seven percent of the students scored 4.0 or above on the expository prompt while 45 percent of the students scored 4.0 or above on the narrative prompt.

#### NCLB SUBGROUP TARGET

TOTAL	WHITE	BLACK	HISPANIC	ASIAN	NATIVE	F/R LUNCH	LEP	SWD	LEVEL I	LOWEST 25%	OTHER	GRADUATIO N RATE
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# **Measurable Objective**

Given instruction using the writing process, students in grade four will improve their writing skills as evidenced by a one percentage point increase in the number of students attaining the State required mastery level as documented by scores on the 2007 Florida Comprehensive Assessment Writing Plus Test (FCAT).

	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START	END	ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Provide and monitor on a regular basis	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
intervention for targeted students in grades	Asst. Principal			Plan	
three (March through June) and in grade four	Classroom Teachers				
(August through February) using the writing					
laboratory.					
Promote effective writing by implementing	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
school-wide Writer of the Month Contest in	Asst. Principal			Plan	
grades kindergarten through five.	Writing Facilitator				
	Classroom Teachers				
Administer, utilize, and critique the results of	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
the Writing Pre-Test to assist student progress	Asst. Principal			Plan	
in grades one through five through mentoring	Writing Facilitator				
and modeling.	Classroom Teachers				
Implement at least 30 minutes of daily	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
writing in grades kindergarten through five.	Asst. Principal			Plan	
Provide an extra hour per week of writing in	Classroom Teachers				
ESOL, SWD, and Special Areas.					
Identify all the subgroup students scoring	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
scoring below 3.5 in FCAT Writing Plus Pre-	Assistant Principal			Plan	
test Test, and implement a during school	Writing Facilitator				
tutorial program to address the writing	-				
deficiencies of set students.					

# **Action Steps**

# **Research-Based Programs**

Houghton Mifflin core reading series

# **Professional Development**

Workshop on the writing process for kindergarten through fifth grade teachers: Demonstration lessons on implementing the writing process

# Evaluation

2007 FCAT Writing Plus Test scores Narrative and Expository Pre/Post FCAT Writing Plus Test (school based) Monthly writing samples

### **GOAL 4: SCIENCE**

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

(1000.3(5)(a)-(f), F.S.)

Learning and completion at all levels, including increased high school graduation and readiness for postsecondary education	Student Performance	Alignment of Standards and Resources	Educational Leadership	Workforce Education	Parental, Student, Family, Educational Institution, and Community Involvement
X	X	X	X		X

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		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

### GOAL 4 STATEMENT:

SCIENCE

### Needs Assessment

A review of the data from the results of the 2006 administration of the FCAT Science subtest reveals that students achieved a mean score of 261 points which is 27 points below the District's mean score of 288 points. The data shows that students answered less than 50% percent of the questions correctly in all four content areas. The data indicates that there is a need to develop and use activities to enhance students' knowledge base in all four Content Areas.

Students earned 46 percent of the total possible points in the content area of Life and Environmental Sciences.

Students earned 36 percent of the total possible points in the content area of Earth and Space Sciences.

# **Measurable Objective**

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards, students in grade five will improve their knowledge of basic science skills and concepts as evidenced by a two percentage point increase in the number of students scoring at Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT) Achievement Level 3 or higher on the 2007 administration of the FCAT Science Test.

	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START	END	ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Provide and monitor students in second	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
through fifth grade with time to utilize the	Assistant Principal			Plan	
science laboratory on a scheduled basis to	Science Facilitator				
follow up classroom instruction through					
written reports and science projects using the					
five steps of the science inquiry.					
Departmentalize in grades three to five to	Principal, Asst. Principal,	8/8/2006	5/24/07	District Strategic	\$0.00
provide instruction in science.	Facilitators			Plan	
Provide students in grades kindergarten	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
through five with weekly access to use the	Asst. Principal			Plan	
Full Options Science System (FOSS) kits.	Science Facilitator				
	Classroom Teachers				
Provide and monitor the use of computer	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
microscopes and computer science programs	Asst. Principal			Plan	
in the science laboratory for grades second	Science Facilitator				
through fifth.	Classroom Teachers				
Provide and monitor on a regular basis hands-	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
on activities by correlating science and	Asst. Principal			Plan	
mathematical concepts with the Sunshine	Science Facilitator				
State Standards in kindergarten through five.	Classroom Teachers				

# **Action Steps**

# **Research-Based Programs**

Mc-Graw Hill Science Florida Student Edition FOSS Kits

### **Professional Development**

District Workshops

### **Evaluation**

School Generated Science Benchmark Assessment Tests 2007 FCAT Science Assessments

### **GOAL 5: PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT**

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

(1000.3(5)(a)-(f), F.S.)

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	X	X	X		X

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		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

### GOAL 5 STATEMENT:

PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT

### **Needs Assessment**

The 2005-2006 Parental Involvement rosters indicated that approximately ten percent of the parents in this school were active in school related activities.

# **Measurable Objective**

Given a school wide emphasis on parental involvement, parent participation in school activities and events will increase as evidenced by a two percentage point increase in the number of parents attending school related events and services during the 2006-2007 school year as documented in attendance logs when compared to the 2005-2006 school year.

	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START	END	ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Encourage teachers to hold parent-teacher	Principal, Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
conferences at least once every nine weeks.	Community Involvement Specialist			Plan	
Provide and monitor reading, mathematics,	Principal, Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
writing, and science workshops for parents in	Reading Coach,			Plan	
their home language.	Classroom Teachers				
Encourage parents to enroll in the community	Principal, Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
school programs for literacy, citizenship,	PTA Board, Classroom Teachers,			Plan	
computer, and English.	Community Involvement Specialist				
Promote and monitor Reading Nights, where	Principal, Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
parents and students can enjoy reading.	Reading Coach,			Plan	
	Classroom Teachers				
Promote and monitor a variety of activities	Principal, Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
for parents to participate through the PTA.	Community Involvement Specialist			Plan	

### **Action Steps**

### **Research-Based Programs**

Not Applicable

# **Professional Development**

Home-Learning Assistance workhop FCAT Informational workshop ESOL workshop

# Evaluation

Comparison of attendance logs from the 2005-2006 and 2006-2007 school years

### GOAL 6: DISCIPLINE & SAFETY

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

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X	Х	X	X		X

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		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

### GOAL 6 STATEMENT:

DISCIPLINE & SAFETY

### **Needs Assessment**

A review of the data for the school year ending May 2006 found in the Miami-Dade Count Public Schools Student Case Management System reveals that 88 students were referred for general disruptive behavior, 57 were referred for defiance of school personnel authority, 13 were referred for fighting, 25 were given outdoor suspension and five were given indoor suspension.

### **Measurable Objective**

Given a school-wide emphasis on adhering to the procedures delineated in the Code of Student Conduct, the behavior of students at Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will improve as evidenced by a decreased in the number of students receiving outdoor suspension from 25 to 11.

### **Action Steps**

	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START	END	ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Recognize students who receive A's in	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
conduct in all classes each grading period.	Asst. Principal			Plan	
	Classroom Teachers				
Conduct monthly visits to classrooms by	Principal,	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
administrators and counselors to speak to	Asst. Principal			Plan	
students encouraging positive behavior.	Counselor				
Provide mentoring for students who display	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
consistent disruptive behavior.	Asst. Principal			Plan	
	Counselor				
Encourage use of teacher-created incentives	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
as rewards for maintaining behavior in	Asst. Principal			Plan	
accordance with the Code of Student	Classroom Teachers				
Conduct.					

### **Research-Based Programs**

Not Applicable

### **Professional Development**

Not Applicable

### **Evaluation**

2007 Miami-Dade County Public Schools Student Case Management System Summary Report Suspension Report

### **GOAL 7: TECHNOLOGY**

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

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X	Х	X	X		X

#### Miami-Dade County Public Schools

#### District Strategic Plan

Ensure achievement of high academic standards by all	Develop our students so that they are able to successfully	Actively engage family and community members to become our partners in raising and	Reform business practices to ensure efficiency, effectiveness	Recruit, develop and retain high-performing, diverse, and
students.	compete in the global economy.	maintaining high student	and high ethical standards.	motivated faculty and staff.
		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

### GOAL 7 STATEMENT:

TECHNOLOGY

### Needs Assessment

Forty percent of the teachers at Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School lack the basic skills necessary to complete various tasks using the computer.

Given appropriate training in Computer Literacy, the amount of teachers who will be able to use the computer to complete various tasks will increase by five percent as evidenced by the results of the school developed technology survey.

## **Action Steps**

	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START	END	ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Use various computer software to assist in	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
instruction.	Technology Coordinator			Plan	
	Classroom Teachers				
Provide assistance to teachers who need to	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
register for workshops or access their email.	Technology Coordinator			Plan	
Increase faculty use of the electronic grade	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
book.	Assistant Principal			Plan	
Provide training in the use of various	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
computer applications.	Technology Coordinator			Plan	

### **Research-Based Programs**

Not Applicable

### **Professional Development**

**District Workshops** 

## Evaluation

The May 2007 results of a school developed survey will demonstrate an increase in the number of teachers who are proficient in the use of computers as compared to the September 2006 results of a school developed technology survey.

### GOAL 8: HEALTH & PHYSICAL FITNESS

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

(1000.3(5)(a)-(f), F.S.)

Learning and completion at all levels, including increased high school graduation and readiness for postsecondary education	Student Performance	Alignment of Standards and Resources	Educational Leadership	Workforce Education	Parental, Student, Family, Educational Institution, and Community Involvement
X	X	X	X		X

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		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

#### GOAL 8 STATEMENT:

HEALTH & PHYSICAL FITNESS

#### **Needs Assessment**

The data from the 2005-2006 Physical Fitness Test revealed that 18 percent of the students tested well enough on the 2006 FitnessGram post test to earn the Presidential fitness award.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards for Physical Education, students will improve their physical conditioning, as evidenced by a three percentage points increase in the number of students receiving awards in 2007.

# **Action Steps**

	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START END		ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Provide opportunities for discussion on the	Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
value of being healthy and physically fit.	Physical Education Teachers Classroom Teachers			Plan	
Recognize students whose performance in	Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
physical education earned them a grade of "A" at the end of each grading period.	Physical Education Teachers			Plan	
Provide games and activities that promote	Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
cardio strength, build endurance and improve coordiantion.	Physical Education Teachers			Plan	

### **Research-Based Programs**

Not Applicable

# **Professional Development**

District workshops

### **Evaluation**

Fitnessgram posttest

### GOAL 9: ELECTIVES & SPECIAL AREAS

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

(1000.3(5)(a)-(f), F.S.)

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X	X	X	X		X

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		achievement.		
X	X	X		X

#### GOAL 9 STATEMENT:

ELECTIVES & SPECIAL AREAS

#### **Needs Assessment**

A review of school field trip forms as well as state and district contest logs indicated that fewer than 10 percent of the students enrolled in special area classes participated in scheduled events.

Given instruction using the Sunshine State Standards for music, art, physical education, and Spanish, the number of students who participate in district-sponsored events will increase by two percentage points over the previous year, as evidenced by an increase in documentation.

<b>Action Steps</b>
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	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	ATEGIES (Identify by titles) START END		ALIGNMENT	BUDGET	
Implement "Parent Night for the Arts" where	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
student showcase their artistic talents.	Asst. Principal			Plan	
	Art and Music Teachers				
Provide opportunities for students to	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
participate in programs for the arts, such as	Asst. Principal for Community			Plan	
Art & Craft, Ballet, Dance, Cheerleading	education				
classes through the community school.					
Encourage students to participate in events	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
and programs that would develop and	Asst. Principal			Plan	
enhance their talents in the area of music and	Art and Music Teachers				
art.					

### **Research-Based Programs**

Houghton Mifflin Lectura

# **Professional Development**

District Workshops

# Evaluation

Documentation will include:

Field trip forms Contests log Parent permission letters

### GOAL 10: RETURN ON INVESTMENT

#### Alignment of Objective to the Florida Department of Education and the District Strategic Plan

Florida Education Priorities

(1000.3(5)(a)-(f), F.S.)

Learning and completion at all levels, including increased high school graduation and readiness for postsecondary education	Student Performance	Alignment of Standards and Resources	Educational Leadership	Workforce Education	Parental, Student, Family, Educational Institution, and Community Involvement
	X	X	X	X	X

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X	X	X	X	X

#### GOAL 10 STATEMENT:

RETURN ON INVESTMENT

#### **Needs Assessment**

Results of the 2003-2004 ROI index indicate that Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School ranked in the 13th percentile on the State of Florida ROI index.

Given school wide emphasis on implementing the 8-Step Continous Improvement Model, Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will improve its current ranking at the 13th percentile on the 2004-2005 State of Florida ROI index publication to 14th percentile by the next publication of the index.

### **Action Steps**

	PERSONS RESPONSIBLE	TIME	LINE		
STRATEGIES	(Identify by titles)	START END		ALIGNMENT	BUDGET
Re-evaluate and re-direct existing resources	Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
to enhance the instructional program.	Assistant Principal			Plan	
Collaborate with the district on resource	Principal, Assistant Principal	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic	\$0.00
allocations.				Plan	
Increase the percentage of students with learning gains in Reading, Writing, and	Principal, Assistant Principal, Reading Coach, Writing	08/08/2006	05/24/2007	District Strategic Plan	\$0.00
Mathematics.	Facilitator, Math Facilitator,				
	Classroom Teachers				

## **Research-Based Programs**

Not Applicable

# **Professional Development**

District Workshops

### Evaluation

On the next State of Florida ROI Index Publication, Eneida Massas Hartner Elementary and Community School will show progress toward reaching the 14th percentile.

# **EESAC** Compliance

YES	NO	
X		The majority of the Board of Directors/EESAC members are not employed by the school. The Board of Directors SAC is composed of the principal, and an appropriately balanced number of teachers, education support employees, students (for middle, junior high and high school only), parents, and other business and community citizens who are representative of the ethnic, racial, and economic community served by the school.

#### **Budget:**

The EESAC recommended a review of the 2005-2006 EESAC budgets. In collaboration with the administration, the EESAC will assess the needs of the school to develop a spending plan.

#### Training:

The EESAC recommended staff training in the following areas: reading, mathematics, writing, science and technology.

#### Instructional Materials:

The EESAC recommended working with teachers and administration in the selection process of instructional materials for classroom use.

#### Technology:

The EESAC recommended that our technology facilitator assess the technological needs of the school and make equipment and software purchases to enhance our technology curriculum program(s).

#### Staffing:

The EESAC recommended that it be informed of all recommendations related to instructional staff.

#### Student Support Services:

The EESAC recommended that it be informed of all programs related to student support services.

#### **Other Matters of Resource Allocation:**

The EESAC recommended that it be notified of available resources such as personnel, fiscal, and materials and be given the opportunity to make suggestions regarding allocations.

#### **Benchmarking:**

The EESAC recommended that, in collaboration with the administration, they review and analyze data from the school wide benchmark testing results and make curriculum recommendations.

# School Safety & Discipline:

The EESAC recommended that it be involved in the decision making process related to school safety and discipline.

# **Budget Summary**

BY GOAL	TOTAL BUDGET
Goal 1: Reading	\$0.00
Goal 2: Mathematics	\$0.00
Goal 3: Writing	\$0.00
Goal 4: Science	\$0.00
Goal 5: Parental Involvement	\$0.00
Goal 6: Discipline & Safety	\$0.00
Goal 7: Technology	\$0.00
Goal 8: Health & Physical Fitness	\$0.00
Goal 9: Electives & Special Areas	\$0.00
Goal 10: Return On Investment	\$0.00
Total:	\$0.00

This School Improvement Plan has been developed cooperatively by administrators, teachers, parents, students, and business/community representatives.

The original signature page, including signatures of all persons listed below, is on file at the Region Office.

Required Signatures:

Principal

EESAC Chair

UTD Steward

EESAC Parent Representative

EESAC Business/Community Representative

EESAC Student Representative, as applicable

Additionally, the signature of the Region Superintendent/District Administrator certifies that this plan has been reviewed by appropriate personnel to ensure compliance with state and district rules.

**Region Superintendent**