



**COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL**  
**School Improvement Parent Meeting**  
**December 2020**

# Welcome Covington High Families

Here at Covington High, our students are just as capable as any students across the U.S.

Every day, we are committed to ensuring that our students have the opportunity to grow and thrive so they can reach their potential.

To do this, we need a plan in place to ensure every teacher is prepared to provide every student what they need to be successful.

# SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN

**The key components of our plan that will lead to school improvement include:**

- Use of high quality curriculum
- Training for our teachers on the use of this curriculum
- ELA Content Leader Training
- Math Content Leader Training
- Intervention Content Leader Training
- School Support Institutes attended by school leadership team
- Common planning time for teacher collaboration
- Classroom observations of curriculum implementation

# Commitment to our Covington High Families

Our goal is to keep families informed on the implementation of our school improvement plan.

Today, we'll provide information on:

- School and student performance data;
- Overview of our school improvement plan;
- Timelines for implementation of the plan and attainment of performance goals; and
- Implications of our plan for students, families, and educators

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## 4 YEAR SPS TREND DATA

### OVERALL SCHOOL PERFORMANCE SCORE (SPS)






<b>2015 - 2016</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>89.1</b>
<b>2016 - 2017</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>95.7</b>
<b>2017 – 2018</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>80.0</b>
<b>2018 – 2019</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>79.9</b>

*\* New Accountability Formula Beginning in 2017-2018\**

*\*School Performance Scores and Letter Grades will not be produced for the 2019-2020 school year\**

# Understanding LEAP Achievement Levels

LEAP 2025 is divided by five levels of achievement. Our goal is for every student to reach at least “Mastery” which signals readiness for the next grade level.

 LEVEL 5	<b>ADVANCED</b>	Exceeded Expectations
 LEVEL 4	<b>MASTERY</b>	Met Expectations
 LEVEL 3	<b>BASIC</b>	Nearly Met Expectations
 LEVEL 2	<b>APPROACHING BASIC</b>	Partially Met Expectations
 LEVEL 1	<b>UNSATISFACTORY</b>	Expectations Not Yet Met

# School Performance: LEAP 2025 Trends Over Time

*How have we prepared students to master grade-level content?*

Subject - % Mastery and Above	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019
English	67.7	62.1	43.9	48.4
Math	54.2	54.6	36.6	32.9
Social Studies	71.0	65.3	22.2	32.0
Science	52.2	54.9	60.5	34.7

# School Performance: ACT and Graduation Rates

How have we prepared students for success in college and career?

	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020
<b>ACT Average Composite Scores for Seniors</b>	<b>20.3</b>	<b>20.1</b>	<b>19.4</b>
<b>Graduation Rate</b>	<b>78.5</b>	<b>72.8</b>	<b>*</b>

\*The 2019-2020 graduation rate will be included in the 2020-2021 data.



# School Performance: LEAP 2025 ELA Trends Over Time with Specific Groups of Students

*How have we prepared specific groups of students to master grade-level content?*

ELA % Mastery & Above	2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019
Economically Disadvantaged	56.0	50.4	31.9	35.9
Minority	45.0	32.1	70.1	66.4
Students with Disabilities	22.0	18.6	7.3	13.3
English Learners	28.6	0.0	0.0	4.3

# School Performance: LEAP 2025 Math Trends Over Time with Specific Groups of Students

*How have we prepared specific groups of students to master grade-level content?*

<b>Math % Mastery &amp; Above</b>	<b>2015-2016</b>	<b>2016-2017</b>	<b>2017-2018</b>	<b>2018-2019</b>
<b>Economically Disadvantaged</b>	<b>42.9</b>	<b>43.4</b>	<b>22.7</b>	<b>26.1</b>
<b>Minority</b>	<b>24.4</b>	<b>32.1</b>	<b>56.2</b>	<b>19.6</b>
<b>Students with Disabilities</b>	<b>17.1</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>7.3</b>	<b>16.7</b>
<b>English Learners</b>	<b>30.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>11.1</b>

# 2020-2021

## School Improvement Goals

### Covington High will:

- Shift the percentage of students in grade 12 from earning a Regular Diploma to Diploma Plus by 20% (91 students to 110 students).
- Increase the strength of diploma by:
  - 10% of the 9<sup>th</sup> grade students in the subgroup Students with Disabilities will earn S/P2 certification in Environmental Science courses
  - Increasing the number of students in grades 9-12 who will earn college credit by scoring 50+ on CLEP tests by 20% (33 students to 40 students)
- Increase the Whole School ACT average score by at least .6 points from 18.2 to 18.8.
- Increase the Whole School index score in English by at least 2.6 points from 16.8 to 19.4

# School Improvement Plan Implementation Timeline

TIMEFRAME	ACTIVITY
Spring-Summer 2020	Provide LEAP 2025 remediation/tutoring Attend State English and Math Content Leader Training
Fall 2020	Administer diagnostic tests in Math and English Analyze data from diagnostic tests for needs assessment Provide LEAP 2025 remediation/tutoring Administer LEAP 2025 retesting and ACT testing for 2021 seniors Implement a FAFSA night for seniors
Winter 2021	Administer interim tests in Math and English Analyze data from interim tests for student progress Provide LEAP 2025 remediation/tutoring Provide professional development for teachers Hold an informational meeting for stakeholders
Spring 2021	Administer LEAP 2025 and ACT tests Administer CLEP/AP tests Analyze test results for completion of goals and future needs assessment

# Working Together for School Improvement

*We are committed to providing families with meaningful communication about **Covington High's** plan and your child's academic progress throughout the year.*

**Here are ways we can partner to meet our plan's goals:**

- **Communicate with us:** Contact your child's teacher or principal with questions about your child's progress, learning needs, or school events/programs.
- **Support learning at home:** Attend an upcoming parent family engagement event to learn more about supporting your child's learning at home.

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