

### ODE IG Application Response 6.14.23

The Silver Falls School District tracks exclusionary discipline by focal student group currently using our student information system and the accompanying data warehouse ARGOS. Each school plans data meetings (20% meetings, CARE team meetings, and MTSS meetings) to review exclusionary discipline data, including by student focal group. This school year we have had a district wide work group, the Student Code of Conduct work group, that reviewed exclusionary discipline data.

Next year, SFSD will be switching to Synergy, which will offer more data reports including the MTSS component. This new tool will allow for easier sorting of student focal group data to ensure that students are not disproportionately excluded. Patterns in discipline mirror patterns in our academic data. Our current plans to address these concerns include a focus on high leverage instructional strategies professional development for teachers to increase student engagement in our classrooms as well as tier 1 and tier 2 behavior strategies that all staff can use such as calming corners, utilizing the Zones of Regulation, breathing exercises, Check-in and Check-out, PBIS, and increasing staffing (Student Success Coaches and Advocates) who are focused on student well being, engagement, social emotional learning, and mental health supports.

Dear Silver Falls Team,

Thank you for completing your Aligning for Student Success Integrated Application. Your application has been reviewed by ODE staff and presented to the Quality Assurance and Learning Panel who has affirmed the status of "Meets with Small Changes." The following items need to be addressed before we can mark your application as "Meets Requirements":

#### **Additional Needs**

- Reviewers need additional details about how Silver Falls tracks exclusionary discipline by focal student groups and ensuring that students are not disproportionately excluded. *Please provide more detailed information to show how you track exclusionary discipline and what you are doing with the patterns you learn in the data.*

If you need to make changes to your budget, please use the following smartsheet links (instead of the original IPBT excel format). Our team has converted all IPBT into smartsheet and all application changes and reporting will now appear in smartsheet format:

[Outcomes and Strategies:](#)

[Y1 23-24 Budget:](#)

[Y2 24-25 Budget:](#)

If you have any questions regarding next steps or how to resolve any of the above items, please do not hesitate to reach out over email or schedule a time with me to answer questions over the phone.

Thank you,

Elisa Rodriguez