

# World's Best Work Force (WBWF) and what does it mean for Stride Academy?



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# Goals



- **Outline key components of “World’s Best Work Force” (WBWF) legislation (Section 120B.11)**
- **Discuss the the WBWF requirements and current Stride Academy obligations with MN Statute, FOE, QComp, and others.**

## WBWF Overview



- Adopt a plan, budget, and a process, to review curriculum, instruction and student achievement in an effort for the world's best workforce.
- Have all third grade students achieve grade-level literacy
- Close the academic achievement gap.
- Have all students graduate from high school.
- Have all students attain college and career preparedness.

# Measurement



- **Success in reaching the World's Best Work Force is measured against the following metrics at Stride:**
  - **Closing the academic achievement gap in each student subgroup - MN Comprehensive Assessments (MCA)**
  - **Student performance - MCA's.**
  - **Other locally utilized assessment measures. (DDI)**

# The WBWF Plan



- **Supports and improves teaching and learning with STRIDE defined student achievement goals and benchmarks. (Q-Comp and locally administered tests)**
- **Evaluates each student's progress toward meeting the state and local academic standards. (MTSS, MAP, MCA and other Standardized assessments)**
- **Reviews and evaluates the effectiveness of instruction and curriculum. (Teacher Evaluation)**



- **The WBWF Plan cont...**
- **Ensures high-quality instruction, a rigorous curriculum, and a collaborative professional culture that supports teacher quality, performance and effectiveness. (Staff Development)**
- **Uses Evidence-based strategies for improving effective classroom instruction, an articulated curriculum and use of student achievement results to drive instruction. (Coaches, Teacher Mentors)**
- **Has an annual budget.**



# Literacy plan

**Read Well by Third Grade**

**World's Best Workforce**

**On STRIDE website under Public Reporting Tab**

**<https://strideacademy.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/10/2019-2020-Literacy-Plan-Stride.pdf>**

# Stride Academy

## 2018-2019 Academic Priorities

The School administered the NWEA Measures of Academic Progress, in both reading and math, in all grades K through 6 in September 2018 and January 2019.

At least 95% of students in each grade took both the reading and math assessments.

At least 95% of all English-Learners took both the reading and math assessments

At least 95% of all students qualifying for free or reduced priced lunch took the reading and math assessments.

- At least 50% of third-grade students will be in at least the 61<sup>st</sup> percentile in reading in the January 2018 assessment. **(47.6%)**
- At least 55% of third-graders taking the January 2018 assessment will be on-track to at least meet targeted RIT growth for the 2018-2019 school-year. **(50%)**
- At least 55% of the students who scored below the 51st percentile on the September 2018 assessment will be on track to meet targeted RIT growth for the 2018-2019 school-year: **(65.22%)**



# Stride Academy

## 2018-2019 Academic Priorities

- World 's Best Workforce Charter Contract Target: All racial and economic achievement gaps between students are closed.
- In the January 2019 MAP assessments: At least 50% of the English Learners taking the Reading assessment will be on-track to at least meet targeted RIT reading growth for the 2018-2019 school year. **(58.7%)**
- In the January 2019 assessments: at least 50% of the Students eligible to receive Free or Reduced Priced Lunch taking the Reading assessment will be on-track to at least meet targeted RIT reading growth for the 2018-2019 school year. **(59.4%)**
- World 's Best Workforce Charter Contract Target: All third-graders can read at grade level. **(47.8%)**

# Academic Assessments

- Mission Statement
- Vision Statement
- Curriculum
- Five identified areas of continuous improvement.
- MCA Academic Performance
- EL Progress
- NWEA Performance
- Improvement Plan
- Q-Comp Professional Development and Professional Learning Communities:



# World's Best Workforce

The Academic Excellence Committee membership represents the World's Best Workforce Advisory Committee.

