

School-wide Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports (SWPBIS) Readiness Activity

The SWPBIS Readiness Activity is designed to provide understanding of the relationship between School Climate and SWPBIS, an overview of the Big Ideas of SWPBIS, and a deeper look into the myths and facts of SWPBIS. This document provides administrators and coaches an outline to ready staff for the MiMTSS Technical Assistance Center Tier 1 Elementary School-wide PBIS or Tier 1 Secondary Positive School Climate training series.

Description

The SWPBIS Readiness Activity is intended for elementary or secondary teachers, paraprofessionals and itinerant staff. A collection of learning experiences is designed to introduce school staff to School-wide PBIS and the link to school climate. This 40-45 minute set of activities is intended to provide an initial overview or review of School-wide PBIS and its underlying principles. Through a video, reading, and discussions, school staff will focus on deepening their understanding of School-wide PBIS prior to the installation work that the School Leadership Team will begin in January. These activities allow the entire staff to have a common reference point for the work that the School Leadership Team will be asking for their input and feedback on in the coming months.

It is recommended that the activity be run at an all-staff meeting prior to the Tier 1 Elementary School-wide PBIS or Tier 1 Secondary Positive School Climate training series. If a team cannot find 40-45 minutes, they could cut some of the partner discussions and have one discussion at the end of the session.

Agenda

The readiness session consists of four staff activities with the approximate time for each below. Overall time for the PowerPoint and activities is 40-45 minutes.

Activity 1	Activity 2	Activity 3	Activity 4
5 minutes	10 minutes	5-10 minutes	10 minutes

Topic	Resource	Slide Numbers
Introduction slides	PPT	1-3
Activity 1: Current School Climate partner discussion	PPT	4

Topic	Resource	Slide Numbers
Connection between School Climate and PBIS	PPT	5
Activity 2: What do you know about PBIS?	PPT	6
Outcomes and Big Ideas of PBIS	PPT	7-9
Big Ideas of PBIS Video	Link to video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aQwi-sCzyCs&t=19s	10
Activity 3: Big Ideas of PBIS partner discussion	PPT	11
PBIS myth vs fact	PPT	12-14
Activity 4: Read Myth vs Fact handout and partner share	Handout – Myth vs Fact	15
What is coming next year	PPT	16
Exit Slip and Wrap Up	PPT	17-18

Next Step

Each staff member will complete the online module “Choose Your Own PBIS Adventure Series Featuring the Cafeteria” within a week of this readiness activity.

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