#### Dodea Community Strategic Plan Strategies and action Planners for the Continuous School Improvement Plan

#### **DoDEA ~ DDESS ~ NC District**

#### School Year 2012-2013

#### **School**

### **Devers Elementary**

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Judith LaJoye	Resources and Support POC		

#### Recently updated on: 08/14/12

SMART Goal: All students will increase reading comprehension through using word knowledge and word meaning skills, as measured by selected school-wide and system-based assessments by June 2013.

#### **Support Data**

- 1. Scholastic Reading Inventory (SRI) 2006-2007 (grades 2-4)
- Terra Nova (Language Arts)
   3<sup>rd</sup> grade Identify Reading
   Strategies Vocabulary Strategies
   2006-2007
   4<sup>th</sup> grade Basic Understanding Vocabulary 2006-2007
- 3. Developmental reading Assessment (DRA) grades K-3 2006-2007

#### **Standardized Assessments:**

- 1. Terra Nova grades 3 4 March 2012
- 2. Benchmark Assessment System (BAS) 3<sup>rd</sup> grade, 2012
- 3. Scholastic Reading Inventory (SRI) Grades 3 & 4 administer in Aug, Sep and May

#### Local Assessments:

- 1. Benchmark Assessment System K-3
- 2. Grade Level Word Assessment by grade level teachers (K-2<sup>nd</sup> administered Sep, Jan and May)
- Scholastic Reading Inventory (SRI) (3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> grades, administered Sep, Jan and May)
- 4. Letter Recognition/Letter Sounds (Kindergarten, administered Sep, Jan and May)
- 5. ELA Reading Street Assessments K-5 quarterly assessments

**Intervention:** All students will be involved in systematic word study instruction.

#### Research supporting this strategy/intervention:

#### **Scott Foresman Reading Street Word Work Component**

• Through letter and word work, students become aware of how to figure out new words.

<u>Words Their Way</u> by Donald R. Bear, Marcia Invernizzi, Shane Templeton and Francine Johnson

 The most effective way to teach vocabulary is to link it to what is being read

<u>Guided Reading: Making It Work</u> by Mary Browning Schulman and Carleen DaCruz Payne

To become fully literate students need specific knowledge about words

#### **Creative Curriculum**

 Through active exploration students make sense of letters as symbols for meaning

Activities to implement the intervention:	Persons Accountable	Tir	neline	Resources Needed
		Beg.	End	
Quarterly assessment of text comprehension	Teachers	Oct 2012	May 2013	Reading Street Assessments
Teachers will: teach and model auditory and visual recognition of words.	Teachers	Aug 2012	Jun 2013	Reading Street Resources
Students will: learn, practice and apply word recognition.	Students	Aug 2012	Jun 2013	
Teachers will teach and model phonemic awareness in classroom instruction.	Teachers	Aug 2012	Jun 2013	
Students will: learn and practice phonemic awareness strategies.	Students	Aug 2012	Jun 2013	
Teachers will: teach and model word meaning.	Teachers	Aug 2012	Jun 2013	
Students will: learn, practice and apply word meaning.	Students	Aug 2012	Jun 2013	
Students will: self-monitor reading comprehension.	Students	Oct 2012	Jun 2013	Lexile appropriate texts

evaluating, and reflecting as measured by selected school-wide and system-based assessments by June 2013.  Support Data: Standardized Assessments: Local Assessments:					
<ol> <li>Locally Developed Math Post- Test</li> <li>Terra Nova 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Problem Solving and Reasoning, 2006-2007</li> <li>Terra Nova 4<sup>th</sup> grade Problem Solving and Reasoning, 2006-2007</li> </ol>	Terra Nova (Math) 3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> grade, March 2012	Locally developed Math Benchmark Assessment aligned to problem solving standards (Pre-K-5, quarterly)			

**Intervention:** Students will apply a process that monitors and guides strategies for solving problems.

## Research supporting this strategy/intervention: Principles and Standards for School Mathematics, NCTM

# Elementary and Middle School Mathematics Teaching Developmentally by John A. Van de Walle

- Important mathematic concepts can best be taught through problem solving
- Students become better problem solvers by monitoring and regulating their strategies and progress as they solve problems

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Teachers will: model and teach daily problem solving using the Read-It, Draw-It, Solve-It process to represent numbers and develop number sense (K-2 grades)	Administration/Teachers	Aug 2012	Jun 2013	Read-It, Draw-It, Solve-It books Understand, Plan, Solve and Look Back posters
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