



# Stand-up Against Bullying – One Rural District's Approach

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# Goals for today

- Participants will be able to create an outline for an intentional district plan for a 4-12 bullying prevention presentation
- Participants will develop a bullying prevention plan that fits their school rules and population
- Participants will develop a reteaching plan
- Participants will be able to create a list of resources to build their plan and presentation

# Opportunities from SDE

- Safe and Secure Schools

During the 2015 legislative session, funding was allocated through Senate Bill 1186 for districts to implement substance abuse prevention measures and school safety improvements. The funding formula calls for a base amount of \$2,000 for every district and public charter school plus a prorated amount for the FY2015 Average Daily Attendance (approximately \$13.00 per student).

# Funding Availability

- To receive funding, districts and charters must provide a brief summary of outcomes related to previous Safe & Drug free expenditures and a plan to train school staff in bullying prevention, as required by House Bill 246. Funding availability is dependent upon tobacco and lottery tax revenue.

From SDE Website

# Who are we?

- Region your school is in?
- District population?
- District has current plan in place to address HB 246?  
Yes or No
- On the stickies on the table write the answers to the following questions (1 item on each sticky)
- Place your stickies on the wall graphs

# Who is West Bonner County School District?

- Region 1
- District student population –
  - 3 elementary schools (39, 140, 404)
  - 1 junior high (169)
  - 1 high school (389)
  - 1 alternative program (23)
  - Total = 1,164
- Plan in place – Yes  
(evolving with evaluation and input)

# WBCSD Current plan

- Counselor developed JH presentation (25 min delivery time)
- Junior High students, alternative students and all staff trained – principal and counselor presenters
  - JH parents access looped presentation in library during Parent-Teacher conferences
  - Remediation plan
  - Follow-up activity in Advisory (worksheet)
  - Follow-up activity: Signing “Stand up Against Bullying” pledge
  - Upload student presentation on JH website
- Presentation sent out to other district principals and counselors
- Junior High faculty presented to other school faculties
- Elementary counselors presented in classroom meetings
  - Gr K-3 focus on making friends (literature based)
- High school presentations occurred during whole school “Breaking Down the Walls” program
- Food services personnel trained by lead counselor
- Transportation personnel training TBD
- Evaluate and revise plan

# What is your district's current plan?

- Outline your current plan  
(If no district plan – what are individual school components in place)
- Share out with table group
- Share out with large group – inspire others

# What works & what would you change up?

- Evaluate your current plan
- What can you take and use and then improve?

# Identify key stakeholders to receive information

- Who needs to receive training in your district?
  - When are they available for training?
- What groups can you combine?
- Check with a table partner for anyone who may have been left out.

# Identify how trainings can fit into your existing schedules

- PRJH schedule
  - 25 minute advisory M, T, Th, F
  - 45 min PLC Wed.(District-wide)
  - Staff meetings (as needed)
- What opportunities does your schedule allow?

# WBCSD student & staff presentations

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# Junior High make-up & remediation plan

- Principal gives list of names to counselor of students who need remediation (as needed)
- Students receive a re-training during their lunch time including completing handouts
- Records are kept to track number of repeat offenders
- New students are added to the list as needed

# Resources

## - a beginning list

- SDE resources
  - Youth Survey
- YouTube resources
  - Videos
- Research resources
  - Online and literature

# Putting it all together

- Determine which school will be your anchor school for the presentations
- Decide on a theme (start with resources and build from there)
- Create your presentation

# Share out

- Share out plan
- Share out resources

# Let's revisit our goals

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