

# Inspiration Academy School Improvement Plan

## Review of FY2011 Plans for FY2012

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# *Comparison of FY2010 to FY2011 Enrollment*

FY2010: Served a total of 101 students.

FY2011 Served a total of 115 students.

*FY2011*

*Improvement Plan Goals*

Goal 1: Increase student achievement in math.

Goal 2: Increase student achievement in the area of transition skills.

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

**Goal 1: Increase student  
achievement in math.**

**Progress noted:**

- **FY2009: 1 student passed AIMS**

**Math**

- **FY2010: Zero passed AIMS Math**
- **FY2011: 2 students passed AIMS**

**Math**

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

## **Progress Indicators:**

- 51 students were enrolled for at least 10 days. 96% demonstrated improvement in math skills while enrolled.**
- 28 progressed at least one instructional level in math during their stay with us (55%).**
- 11 students progressed at least 2 levels in math (22%), and**
- 10 progressed 3 or more math levels during their enrollment (20%).**

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

## **Progress Indicators:**

**During FY2011 3 out of 6 students passed all components of the GED test. Since 2005, there have been 66 GED graduates at this school.**

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

**Goal 2: Increase student achievement in the area of transition skills.**

- Average of 2 hours daily of Life Skills instruction was provided through the use of Pima County's Revised Merging 2 Worlds Curriculum.

- Credits are awarded upon mastery of units at 80% proficiency.

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

## **Progress Indicators:**

- An outgrowth of the provision of Life Skills training was a noticeable increase in positive student/teacher and student/student interaction.**
- Provision of three 6 week courses by the “Tobacco Free Environments Group”. Approximately 27 students successfully completed the sessions and were awarded completion certificates. Through the use of grant funding, we were able to fund one more 6 week course this fiscal year.**

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

## **Progress Indicators:**

- **Approximately 80 students received individual and group counseling services via the use of Title I and IDEA Basic funding. A total of 312 hours of individual and group counseling addressing transition skills took place during FY2011.**

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

## **Progress Indicators:**

- **Approximately 60 students were involved with the Teen Outreach Program sponsored by the Gila County Health Department during FY 2011. A total of 12 sessions were completed for this program.**

# *End of Year Report for FY2011*

## **Progress Indicators:**

**36 students participated in the Merging 2 Worlds Life Skills' Program during FY2011. A total of 7 full credits were earned by the students.**

# *Plans for FY2012*

## Continuation of Goal 1: Increase student achievement in mathematics.

- o Will continue with basic academic work for 2 hours daily in Reading/Language Arts, Mathematics, and Writing at each individual student's instructional level.
- o Basic curriculum will be drawn from that used by the Gila County Regional School District.
- o The A+ Software component of the curriculum provides individual assessments of students' needs and prescribes individualized curriculum in each academic area.
- o **NEW:** Daily structured direct instruction in basic math operations and math facts.
- o Will also make use of the "Buckle Down" series in preparation for AIMS Tests.

# *Plans for FY2012*

## **Goal 1 continued:**

- o Credit will be accrued as quarter credit courses are completed at a mastery level of 80%.
- o The award of credit for these courses will be based on completion of a body of work based on state standards at a satisfactory performance level, not on seat time. Few students are with us long enough to receive credits in an academic area.

# *Plans for FY2012*

Goal 2 will remain the same. Increase student achievement in the area of transition skills.

Methods, scheduling, and procedures will be as follows:

- Daily Life Skills lessons for 2 hours: Curriculum will be drawn from the following sources:
- "Merging 2 Worlds" as revised by the Pima Accommodation School District,
- **NEW**: Certified counselors work with students on the Merging 2 Worlds curriculum.

# *Plans for FY2012*

We will also continue with

- the Gila County Health Department's "Teen Outreach Program".
- Individual and group counseling
- "Tobacco Free Environments Program"

A quarter credit will be awarded for the successful completion of each 30 hours of student work in the area of Life Skills.

# *Plans for FY2012*

## **NEW: Goal 3 Creation and Use of Individual Education Plans**

- **Completion of Education Plans by each student within the first few days in our program.**
- **Education Plans are to be sent to assigned Probation Officers. It is hoped that the education program and probation will work together to help the student stay on target with the Individual Education Plan.**