

**ESSA 2020-2021 Participation Rate Improvement Plan**

<b>School Name</b>	Woodmere Middle School	<b>Contact Person Name</b>	
<b>School BEDS Code</b>	280214030006	<b>Contact Person Title/Position</b>	
<b>District Name</b>	Hewlett Woodmere	<b>Contact Person Phone Number</b>	
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<b>Indicate the Subject(s) and Subgroup(s) for which a Participation Rate Improvement Plan is Required:</b>			
<b>English Language Arts</b>		<b>Mathematics</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> All Students	<input type="checkbox"/> English Language Learners	<input type="checkbox"/> All Students	<input type="checkbox"/> English Language Learners
<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino	<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native	<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino
<input type="checkbox"/> Asian or Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander	<input type="checkbox"/> Multiracial	<input type="checkbox"/> Asian or Native Hawaiian / Other Pacific Islander	<input type="checkbox"/> Multiracial
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Black or African American	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/> Black or African American	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities
<input type="checkbox"/> Economically Disadvantaged	<input type="checkbox"/> White	<input type="checkbox"/> Economically Disadvantaged	<input type="checkbox"/> White
	<input type="checkbox"/> None / Not Applicable		<input type="checkbox"/> None / Not Applicable

<b>Required Plan Component</b>	<b>School Response</b>
<b>Please provide a brief explanation of why the 2017-18 and 2018-19 school year participation rates were below 95%.</b>	Our region, and more specifically, our district, has a high test refusal rate for New York State Assessments.

<p><b>Provide a brief description of Consultation and Collaboration process for development of the plan.</b></p>	<p>Woodmere Middle School used an existing committee, Shared Decision Making Committee, as the mechanism to discuss and formulate a plan to address the participation rate for the New York State Assessment tests.</p>
<p><b>List the Stakeholders who consulted and collaborated on the development of the plan, and the dates of meetings held.</b></p>	<p>Meeting Dates: May 27, 2020, June 9, 2020</p> <p>Stakeholders: Al Bauer (Principal), Colin Thompson (Assistant Principal), Brenna Leighton (Teacher), Kim Mattes (Teacher), Vincent Lospinuso (Teacher), Kristin Muse (Teacher), Colleen Murphy (Counselor), Alyssa Honig (Parent), Cassie Pisano (Parent), Melissa Gildin (Community Member),</p>
<p><b>Describe the chosen strategies and key activities to be implemented to improve Participation Rate at the school.</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic Intervention Services (AIS) will be used to address high leverage topics that are on the New York State Assessment.</li> <li>• Operation Success will continue to target learners who need additional support in various subjects.</li> <li>• Use of the New York State Assessment Toolkit: Testing information will be shared with parents at PTA meetings.</li> <li>• Test dates and their importance will continue to be publicized districtwide through use of our calendars, websites, email, and direct mail.</li> <li>• Continued work with Teacher's College Reading and Writing Workshop with the use of one unit on state test review.</li> <li>• Continued use of the Northwest Evaluation Assessment (NWEA) which is a diagnostic test which helps us find where students need additional support.</li> </ul>

By signing below, the building principal, Superintendent, and Board of Education President/Board of Trustees President certify that the 2020 – 21 PRIP has been approved and adopted by the district.

Principal Name:	Al Bauer, Ed.D.
Principal Signature:	<i>Al Bauer</i>
Date:	6/3/20

Superintendent's Name:	Ralph Maggio Jr.
Superintendent's Signature:	<i>Ralph Maggio Jr.</i>
Date:	7/1/2020

Board President's Name:	Debra Sheinin
Board President's Signature:	<i>Debra Sheinin</i>
Date:	7/1/2020