

School Council Policy

DISTRICT: Madison County

SCHOOL: Shannon Johnson Elementary School

COUNCIL POLICY TYPE

POLICY NUMBER 8.5 Curriculum and Instruction

By-Laws (Council Operational Policies)

Function (School Operational Policies)

POLICY TOPIC DESCRIPTION

Instructional Practices

POLICY STATEMENT

Instructional practices shall be supported by current research and adhere to recommendations for best practice. Curriculum maps, common assessments and common instructional units shall be used at Shannon Johnson Elementary School. Student learning will be the focus of all instructional practices.

Daily instructional practices should include but are not limited to the following:

- * measurable learning targets stated
- * teacher modeling and instruction focused on learning targets
- * cooperative learning and /or individual practice focused on learning targets
- * formative assessment focused on learning targets

Assurances of daily classroom instructional practices will be monitored during department meetings and by the principal.

The principal(s) shall monitor the instructional practices. All decisions made regarding instructional and assessment practices shall be based on data and research and shall be focused on student learning and student achievement.

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Signature Che Haselwood
Council Chair

