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## **Special Education Action Plan**

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|                                      | ACTION ITEM  | PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR IMPLEMENTATION   | TIMELINE  |
|--------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| STAFFING                             | Hire new Special Education<br>Coordinator  | Head of School  | Complete<br>Jennifer<br>Abdelmalek –<br>May 1, 2013 |
| STAFFING                             | Hire two full time Special Education teachers to provide direct instruction and manage case load                         | Head of School<br>Consult from Jennifer<br>Abdelmalek (SEC)<br>and Dr. Alfred Amato | In place prior to<br>July 15, 2013                  |
| SUPPORT                              | Recruit and support team with interns who are working on certification/licensure to assist with struggling students      | Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>(SEC)  | In place prior to<br>August 1, 2013                 |
| PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING    | Additional training on Easy IEP and SEDS (all school leadership)   | Jennifer Abdelmalek   | July 15, 2013                                       |
| PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING    | PCSB Special Education Boot<br>Camp – First Year and New<br>School Leaders Meeting                                       | Chris Irvine and<br>Robert Beimsderfer  | May 20, 2013  |
| PROFESSIONAL<br>DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING | Special Education and IDEA<br>Overview (all staff)   | Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>(SEC), Lauren Baum<br>and Dr. Alfred Amato                   | August 12 - 23                                      |
| PROFESSIONAL<br>DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING | Modifications/Accommodations and differentiated instruction for all learners (all staff)                                 | Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>and Dr. Alfred Amato   | August 12 -23                                       |
| PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING    | SST Program and processes<br>(encompassing Early<br>Identification and RTI)  | Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>(SEC)  | August 12 -23                                       |
| PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING    | ELL Program and Process (all staff)  | Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>(SEC) and Keith<br>McNamera                                  | August 12 -23                                       |
| PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING    | Standards Based instruction and planning (all staff)   | BASIS Academic<br>Division  | August 12 -23                                       |
| PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING    | Behavior Modification and Classroom Management   | Carolyn McGarvey and Dr. Alfred Amato   | August 12 -23                                       |
| PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT/TRAINING    | Provide teachers and staff the OSSE workshop calendar of Professional Development and encourage participation in classes | Head of School  | ongoing   |



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| STUDENT TRACKING | Implement a single IEP and 504 progress tracking system, accessible by all relevant parties that will help facilitate progress towards student goals | Jennifer Ablemalek<br>(SEC)                        | ongoing                    |
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| FILE MANAGEMENT  | Ensure all student files are maintained in the proper order of paperwork and records   | Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>(SEC)                       | ongoing                    |
| FILE MANAGEMENT  | Develop File "Checklist" to<br>ensure proper completion with<br>all steps required for proper<br>documentation and SEDS<br>implementation            | Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>(SEC)                       | ongoing                    |
| STUDENT RECORDS  | Implement revised and approved 504 forms and procedures  | Ernie Espinoza nad<br>Jennifer Abdelmalek<br>(SEC) | March 12, 2013/<br>ongoing |
| STUDENT RECORDS  | Update the Home Language<br>Survey to the current OSSE HLS<br>form   | Head of Operations                                 | complete                   |