

Strong Foundations Planning

Grant Update - November 2023

Learning Lab Visit

Part of the instructional framework planning grant is to analyze current processes and resources in our district to ensure they are high quality and meet the needs of our students. To help with this process, we went to visit a TEA Learning Lab at Everman ISD on October 17th. Campus principals and district leaders attended this event to learn more about Everman's experience of implementing a new framework and adopting TEA-approved High Quality Instructional Materials. We spent the day with the leaders of their Curriculum and Instruction team, visited classrooms on an elementary campus, and met with staff on the campus for a question and answer session.



Texas Assessment Conference



Monnie Metcalfe & Bethany French attended the Texas Assessment Conference on November 6th, 7th, and 8th. This conference was hosted by our grant partners, Moak Casey. Along with another district, Rice ISD was asked to attend Moak Casey's session to share our experiences as a Strong Foundations Planning grant recipient and helped answer any questions that attendees had about the grant process.

Final Draft of Framework

On November 13th, the committee met to discuss the final draft of the instructional framework and make decisions about the formatting of the document. This framework will be finalized and submitted to the Texas Education Agency in early December. The Leadership Team will begin the final phase of the project which includes a data analysis to plan for the implementation of the framework.

