



Waterford School District

Mission: We guarantee to every student the knowledge, skills, and attitudes needed to become an effective citizen of the world.

SS/HS Initiative Strategies

Element 1	Element 2	Element 3	Element 4	Element 5
Safe School Environment	Alcohol, Tobacco & other Drug Prevention Activities (ATOD)	Student Behavioral, Social & Emotional Supports	Mental Health Services	Early Childhood Social & Emotional Learning Programs
<u>Activities</u> Swipe Card Access & Building Surveillance Installation Non-Violent Crisis Intervention Training for Staff Implement Olweus Bullying Prevention Program School Safety Coordinators for Middle Schools and Alt. High School Host Challenge Days at High Schools and Alt. High School	<u>Activities</u> Prevention Specialists for High Schools and Middle Schools Small group sessions with students with high ATOD use Assemblies for students on ATOD prevention <u>Middle School</u> All Stars Project Alert <u>High School</u> Class Action Reconnecting Youth Host Parent Community Forums Parent ATOD education workshops	<u>Activities</u> ACE- After School Program Anger Management Education Incredible Years Program Juvenile Justice Liaison to transition at-risk students and adjudicated youth back to school Conduct Community Forums to educate parents and community	<u>Activities</u> Operate an Elementary School-based Mental Health Clinic Building Student Mental Health Teams Training for school psychologist, social worker and therapist in an assessment tool Create a streamlined referral and follow-up process Create an awareness video and informational brochure	<u>Activities</u> First Families Expansion Head Start Outreach Home Visits Parent/Child activities Hispanic Preschool Program Expansion Second Step available in Spanish Dare to Be You available in Spanish Addition of a bilingual academic instructor Provide scholarships for identified families

Community Partners

- Catholic Social Services of Oakland County/Hispanic Outreach Services
- Oakland County Community Mental Health Authority
- Oakland /Livingston Family Service Agency
- Oakland County Circuit Court-Family Division
- Oakland University
- Waterford Coalition for Youth
- Waterford Township Police Department
- Waterford Youth Assistance

Goals

- 1) Increase school facility safety to reduce the potential for violence
- 2) Reduce bullying and assaults
- 3) Reduce student substance abuse
- 4) Support at-risk students to keep them connected to school
- 5) Improve students' mental health through increased access to services and better coordination of services provided with the school district and through outside agencies
- 6) Ensure that all children enter kindergarten ready to learn.