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Description of the District

Describe the district's size, community/communities, location, and changes it has experienced in the last three years. Include demographic information about the students, staff, and community at large. What unique features and challenges are associated with the community/communities the district serves?

The Muhlenberg County School District is located in the Western Coal Field region of Kentucky, approximately 40 miles to the south of Owensboro, KY and 100 miles to the north of Nashville, TN. Our district serves a little over 4,000 students through grades K-12 and includes a pre-school program throughout our county. The school system offers a wide range of programs and activities to meet the needs of all students academically, socially and personally. The Muhlenberg County School District is striving to be an innovative leader in education with a strong local and state reputation for quality educational programs. We remain committed to moving Muhlenberg County Schools to the next level of excellence by providing quality programs and opportunities for all students. This can be accomplished with a strong commitment from our administrators, teachers, and staff as well as parents and the community. The Muhlenberg County School District leadership is committed to organizational and financial planning that will assist in meeting these challenges.

District Stakeholders

Identify and describe the district's stakeholder groups. How does the district ensure stakeholder involvement and engagement in the improvement planning process?

Stakeholders include school staff, parents, community members and the board of education. Through our continuing work with the Learner-Centered Design Collaborative we continuously seek input through surveys and interviews to guide our efforts for improving the educational experiences of all of our students.

District's Purpose

Provide the district's purpose statement and supplementary content such as mission, vision, values, and/or beliefs, including the year in which they were last reviewed or revised. Describe how the district embodies its purpose through its program offerings and expectations for students and how stakeholders are involved in its development.

The Mission of the Muhlenberg County School System, with parent and community support, is to provide a quality education that instills the will and ability to succeed, to be lifelong learners, and to contribute to society.

Notable Achievements

Describe the district's notable achievements in the last three years.

Graduation rates are an area of pride within our district. Extensive credit recovery at the high school, truancy diversion programs at the middle and high school level and a commitment of all of our counselors and administrators to keep our kids in school and help them find a way to graduate college and or career ready will continue. A continuous focus on improving reading performance is the core to all instruction in Muhlenberg County.

Areas of Improvement

Describe areas for improvement that the district is striving to achieve in the next three years.

The district is focused on student-centered design for classroom instruction, deep levels of student engagement and ownership of learning, and community involvement in creating vibrant learning opportunities for all students.

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Additional Information

Provide any additional information you would like to share with the public and community that were not prompted in the previous sections.

We welcome and value the input of our community and stakeholders. Feedback is utilized to help us become as focused on the needs of individual children as possible and to drive the continuous improvement mindset we have as a district.

Attachment Summary

Attachment Name	Description	Associated Item(s)
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