Virginia Department of Education Training & Technical Assistance Center
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Resource Spotlight

A resource brief to support virtual professional learning for division partner staff and families

Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) Resources

- Essential Components of MTSS-AIR Center MTSS essential components tip sheets, tools, and resources for data-based decision making, screening, progress monitoring, and scheduling.
- Virginia Tiered Systems of Supports (VTSS) Resource Hub-VTSS Tier 1, Tier 2, Tier 3 and implementation examples including a resource mapping tool and "how to" video.
- What is MTSS?-Branching Minds MTSS essential elements guide with resources for implementing an effective MTSS framework.
- Data-Based Individualization (DBI)-National Center on Intensive Intervention (NCII), Progress Center, and Iris Center resources on using DBI to intensify instruction.
- Identifying Assessments-NCII resources to support the selection and evaluation of screening, progress monitoring, and diagnostic academic and behavioral assessments.
- Levels of Intervention and Evidence-NCII resources to support the selection and evaluation of Tier 1, Tier 2, and Tier 3 interventions.
- Framework Pathways to Implementation-New York State Education Department Multi-Tiered System of Supports-Integrated (MTSS-I) resources for integrating behavior, academic, and mental health multi-tiered systems of supports.

High Leverage Practices (HLPs)

- MTSS and High Leverage Practices (HLPs)-University of Florida CEEDAR Center webinar series showcasing MTSS and HLP alignment.
- HLP/MTSS Summit-CEEDAR and Georgia Department of Education HLP/MTSS Summit recorded sessions on bridging MTSS and HLPs for the success of all students.
- HLP Professional Learning Series-VDOE TTAC at GMU and Virtual Virginia self-paced professional learning sessions that facilitate educators learning about specific CEEDAR Center and CEC HLPs.
- High Leverage Practices-TeachingWorks online courses on high leverage practices used across subject areas, grade levels, and contexts.

Professional Learning Opportunities

- VTSS Learning Modules-VTSS asynchronous on-demand professional learning, including effective use of data in divisions, defusing disruptive behavior, and trauma modules.
- Progress Monitoring Self-Paced Modules-NCII modules on selecting academic progress monitoring measures and graphing and analyzing data.
- Comprehensive, Integrated, Three-Tiered Model of Prevention Enhancing Modules-Ci3T professional learning modules on low-intensity teacher-delivered strategies, Tier 1 prevention efforts and Tier 2 and 3 interventions available upon registering for a free account.
- MTSS, UDL, and Differentiated Instruction-University of Florida CEEDAR Center three-chapter module on providing multi-tiered instruction and interventions matched to students' needs.

Family Supports

- VTSS Family Engagement Videos-Formed Families Forward video series featuring six elements to engage families in Virginia Tiered Systems of Supports.
- Family Engagement Core Competencies-National Association for Family, School and Community Engagement (NAFSCE) core competencies to form strong family, school, and community partnerships.
- Family and Community Partnerships Reflection Tool-Ohio Statewide Family Engagement Center companion reflection tool for the NAFSCE core competencies.
- Toolkit of Resources for Engaging Families and Communities as Partners in Education-Institute of Education Sciences (IES) resources and tools to strengthen family and community engagement.

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