



**White Oak High School
2012-2015
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School Executive's Message: School Purpose Statement

White Oak High School's success with Wall to Wall Academies has earned recognition under a review committee from East Carolina University and will continue to receive a small learning communities' grant to support this program. Along with making growth in the Graduation Rate, and English, our students achieved huge success in Biology making high growth. White Oak High School met 20 out of 20 performance targets for 2011-2012. 100% of our teachers were highly qualified in 2011-2012.

We are extremely proud of the successful work of our students and staff during the 2011-12 school year and will continue to provide the best possible educational environment for all of our students.

Key Areas of Focus for 2012-2015

- Increase Cohort Graduation rate of 86% over the next 3 years to 88%.
- Increase overall proficiency by 3% over the next 3 years in all academic areas.
- Apply and be an AVID Demonstration School
- Implement OCS PLC's school wide
- Develop community partnerships through Academies
- Improve communication with all stake holders
- Develop and implement a successful Anti Bullying Program
- Refocus on PBIS at White Oak

Key Challenges to Address for 2012-2015

- Student drop outs are an ongoing issue
- Not enough time to focus and work in PLC's
- Accurate and updated points of contacts for our stakeholders
- Mastering the Common Core and Essential Standards

Anticipated Outcomes of 2012-2015 White Oak Strategic Plan

- Community will reflect improved communication through survey results
- Retention/Dropout rate will be significantly reduced
- PLC's will be a smooth working tool in all academic areas
- CIA will be totally updated with new Common Core and Essential Standards
- White Oak will be an AVID Demonstration School
- Increase in AP available courses and success rate of students in AP course
- Project Lead The Way-we will become a certified program