



**Oxford Academy & Central School District  
Building Growth Initiative 2024-2025  
Oxford Academy High School**

<b>Performance Targets</b>	<b>Performance measures</b>	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	Target
	4-year Cohort Dropout Rate (%)	2	6	8	5	4	8.9	3.9	2.3	<4%
	4-year Cohort Graduation Rate (%)	90	83	84	85	94	87	88.2	92.3	>90%
	Students Still Enrolled After YR 4 (%)	8	11	8	10	2	3.7	7.8	5.4	<6%
<b>2023-2024 Goals</b>	<b>Goal: Expose students to a variety of college and career options and experiences.</b>									
	<b>Objective: Plan and organize a career exploration event in house with mini sessions with local businesses, trades, alumni, community members</b>									
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Every other year students will attend a career exploration day for all grades that tie into WBL, Career Destinations, Internships, job shadowing of local careers, and Alumni coming back from college</li> </ul>									
	<b>Objective: Organize college campus visits as well as meets with career professionals</b>									

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- Create a list of professionals that would be willing to talk to our students and arrange visits through Career Destinations
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- Increase internships/job shadowing opportunities for students through WBL and Career Destinations
- Bring in tradespeople to speak about trades (trades demonstrations)
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Promote Red and Black Fridays and other school wide Blackhawk pride events</li> <li>● TV outside the gym updated with activities and recognitions, look into another one located outside of the cafeteria to improve communication and awareness</li> <li>● Faculty and advisors work to ensure students have opportunities for positive social and emotional experiences</li> <li>● Develop a student showcase bulletin board/case promoting clubs/organizations in the front hall</li> <li>● Departments make and update hallway bulletin boards with important information that is student focused</li> <li>● "Signing day" event in late Spring</li> </ul>			
	<p><b>Objective: Improve communication through monthly electronic newsletter, website, and digital displays</b></p>			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Let all teachers know what newsletter/displays are being used for and encourage sharing information out to the school community</li> <li>• Shout out section in the newsletter/displays about students who are performing well and what they have done</li> <li>• Share valuable information and dates that students and parents need to know</li> <li>• Add teacher and staff spotlight section to the newsletter to get to know each better</li> </ul>			
	<p><b>Objective: Focus on transitions between the middle school and high school</b></p>			

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Meet and greet in September</li> <li>• 8th grader/parent information night in the MS</li> <li>• Tours of HS during late Spring</li> <li>• Incoming 9th graders who failed will be placed in September into AIS and/or Learning Center if applicable</li> <li>• Develop an elective course fair in January for students to attend during enrichment to learn about the various electives at the High School</li> </ul>			
	<p><b>Goal: Improve student attendance and academic performance.</b></p>			
	<p><b>Objective: Each department will develop a focus area(s) and a benchmark to evaluate that focus area(s)</b></p>			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Coaching teachers and attending Professional Development in utilizing technology, RTI, SEL, diversity, inclusion, and equity, Math and Literacy focus in all content areas</li> <li>• Analyzing data for better strategic planning as a department</li> <li>• Utilize department time to build the curriculum out vertically and horizontally and benchmarks</li> <li>• Look at the Master Schedule to improve opportunities and configurations</li> </ul>			
	<p><b>Objective: Create a 5% reduction in chronic absenteeism and 5% reduction in at risk attendance</b></p>			

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|  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Create a series of messages to send out from the school regarding importance of attendance</li><li>• Create incentives for students to encourage good attendance and reaching for the honor rolls each quarter</li><li>• Attendance letter and P/T Conferences</li></ul> |  |  |  |
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