

Focus Learning Academy Extended Plan

- **Impacted Students:** Focus Learning Academy actively identifies students that have been most impacted educationally by the pandemic by using NWEA MAP data. Both growth and grade level proficiency standards are taken into account when creating intervention groups and referring students for attendance in Summer, Saturday, and after school programs. Our most vulnerable students, have been attending school 5 days a week to help mitigate any further learning loss during the traditional school year.
- **Needs:** Focus Learning Academy uses the Learning Continuum provided by NWEA to target individual learning needs of every student. Digital programs such as Zearn and Reading Eggs are used to help differentiate instruction.
- **Resources and Budget:** Curriculum and digital resources needed for extended school are provided by the ESSER Grant.
- **Approaches:** Summer Programs will be held at Focus North starting June 14th and run until July 1. Saturday morning tutoring is available 8:00am -12:00pm throughout the school year (available to all students) and After School tutoring will start after Fall NWEA test results are analyzed and students in need are identified (lowest 20%).
- **Partnerships:** Focus Learning Academy works in partnership with Ashland University to provide additional adult English classes to our parents and greater community. Columbus Public Library provides resources for our teachers as well as homework help afterschool.
- **Alignment:** Our Extended Learning Plan is closely aligned with our school improvement plan, school wide RTI model and growth mindset. Increasing individual learning time for each student will produce student growth results, and help bridge the gap for students impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic.