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Using the PRIM Manual

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PRE-REFERRAL INTERVENTION MANUAL

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Session Objectives:

Participants will have an additional tool to begin work on mapping interventions and planning for strong tiered supports.

Understand how we can use the manual in the EWI process The Movie of My Life If someone made a movie of your life would it be:

a drama,
a comedy,
a romantic-comedy,
action film, or
science fiction?







































DATA – WHAT IS THE DATA SAYING? WHAT'S IN PLACE? WHAT ARE YOU CURRENTLY DOING?

Context of Your EWS





INTERVENTIONS & RESOURCES – WHAT'S AVAILABLE? ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURES "An intervention cannot be called an intervention if it is not progress monitored. An intervention without progress monitoring is just an activity."



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Sample Resource Map

	Tier I Whole school	Tier II	Tier III Most Intensive
Attendance	 Weekly attendance recognition Perfect attendance celebration (monthly) Team competition for attendance 	 Check and Connect Wake up calls Buddy System with another student Recognition for improved attendance 	 Home visit by counselor Individual contract with student and parent
Behavior	 Cardinal Cash (Caught you doing something good) Freshman Seminar lessons Academy meetings Outside Speakers 	 Peer Mediation group Daily Behavior contract In-class interventions (seating, pairing, activity 	 PREVENTION – Gang intervention group in the neighborhood Visit one on one with social worker Individual counselor sessions

The Goal of EWI meetings and using the PRIM Manual is to provide the. . .

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for the Right Student,

at the Right Time.

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A-B-C Indicators Student X & Interventions







Tier Three: Intensive Tier Two: Targeted Tier One: Whole School









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What is the PRIM Manual?

The Pre-Referral Intervention Manual (PRIM) provides a direct response to state mandated pre-referral intervention activities. It may be used by a teacher or group of educators, such as a Teacher Assistance Team, to develop a comprehensive plan of intervention strategies for a student.

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Sample Index of PRIM Manual

1. Interventions, pp. 9-543

Intervention Topic (Academic)	Intervention Numbers	Page Numbers
A. Memory, Abstractions,	1-21	9-59
Generalization, Organization		
B. Listening	22-29	60-86
C. Speaking	30-37	87-107
D. Reading	38-57	108-145
E. Writing	58-72	146-177
F. Spelling	73-79	178-190
G. Mathematical Calculations	80-98	191-226
H. Academic Performance	99-115	227-290
Intervention Topic (Behavioral)		
I. Interpersonal Relationships	116-141	291-359
J. Depression/Motivation	142-166	360-413
K. Inappropriate Behavior Under	167-188	414-461
Normal Circumstances		
L. Rules and Expectations	189-212	462-522
M. Group Behavior	213-219	523-543

Let's plan the work and work the plan! Scenario Activity

Read	 Read the scenario with your group 	
Identify	 Identify the intervention topic(s) 	
Read through	 Read through the list of possible interventions for the student action. 	
Choose	 Choose two interventions you think the team could reasonably try. 	
Identify	 Identify the intervention as a the Tier 1, Tier 2, or Tier 3 intervention. 	
Review	Review your decisions	

Scenario	Intervention Topic	
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
6		
7		
8		
9		
10		



Reporting out

Please select a recorder and someone to share out:

- Explain the scenario
- Share the intervention(s) your team selected
- List the Appendix documents you could use
- Make note of the Tier the intervention(s) would be part of.



An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure.

- Ben Franklin







"I hear teachers spend the money they earn teaching buying teacher stuff for more teaching! Someone should have an intervention."

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Exit Ticket

 How can we use this process in our EWI meetings with teacher teams?

•What will we want to adapt to our own needs?



Thank You



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