Accountability and flexibility are hallmarks of Gwinnett County Public Schools' success. Key to that success is ensuring that each school community understands the progress being made by its schools, as well as what plans will drive improvement. Each school creates a collaborative Local School Plan for Improvement (LSPI), with targeted goals based on student achievement results. These goals are dynamic, like our schools, and are updated to reflect changes that occur in schools. Data is used to determine areas needing improvement and to identify specific, measurable, annual objectives. Schools then determine how to use research-based strategies to achieve these goals, using flexibility as needed. The LSPI development process involves teachers, parents, and community members, so the entire school community has the opportunity to be involved in conversations about school improvement. Please contact the principal to see the detailed implementation plan designed to achieve the following objectives.

**Key Objectives 2009-2010 Local School Plans for Improvement**

**Objective:** Five Forks Middle School will increase academic performance in Mathematics for students with disabilities to meet and/or exceed annual targets through professional learning opportunities (PAS Thursdays and grade level curriculum meetings), targeted math study skills time during connections, student data talks and walk-throughs.

**Objective:** Five Forks Middle School will increase academic performance in all curriculum areas for all students to meet and/or exceed annual targets through data collection and review, professional learning opportunities, and implementation of Quality-Plus Teaching Strategies.