In their own words

Teacher reports of barriers to school improvement efforts

Percent of teachers who indicated that the following were a moderate or major problem:

- Lack of materials and resources necessary for adequate implementation
- Lack of school schedule flexibility for regrouping students or modifying the length of periods
- Lack of time necessary for adequate planning and/or implementation
- Lack of adequate professional development time for staff
- Degree to which teachers were involved in, or supportive of, the decision to join and implement school improvement efforts
- Lack of support from the school district

Selected school indicators

- SALT Survey Teacher Response Rate (%)
- SALT Survey Student Response Rate (%)
- Student Attendance (%)
- Students Exempted from ELA State Testing (%)
- Stability Index (%)
- Mobility Index (%)
- Suspensions / Total # of Students

Selected performance progress

Did this school DECREASE low-level performance and INCREASE student proficiency?

- Math: Skills
- Math: Problem Solving
- Reading: Analysis
- Writing: Effectiveness

Financial information (per pupil)

Key for school expenditures areas

- Instructional Support
- Operations
- Classroom technology
- Classroom materials, trips, etc.

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