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Group Activity #2 Writing SMART Goals

Instructions: Work as a team to write one SMART goal for your school. Use the worksheet below to assist you in developing your goal. After writing your SMART goal, select one member of your team to share the goal with the large group. Be prepared to explain and justify what makes this goal SMART.

Specific: What is the target subject area or competency of this goal? For which group of students?

Measurable: How will this goal be measured? Is there a tool?

Attainable & Ambitious: How much? This goal should be within reach, but also stretch our students and staff's abilities.

Realistic, Relevant, Research-based: Are we being realistic? How is this goal connected to our mission?

Time-phased: What is the time frame in which this goal will be reached?

Put all these elements into a concise, well-defined SMART goal statement: