

Morris Brandon

GO Team Meeting

4/16/26

Agenda



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Meeting Agenda

MORRIS BRANDON

Date: **April 16, 2026**

Time: **3:30PM**

Public Viewing Link: [Zoom Link](#)

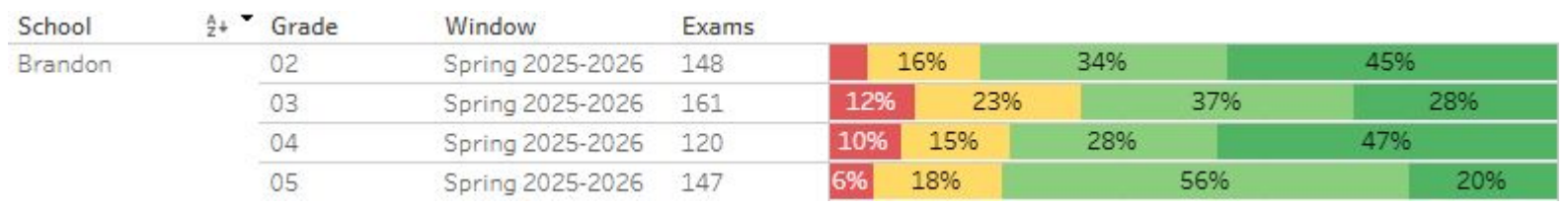
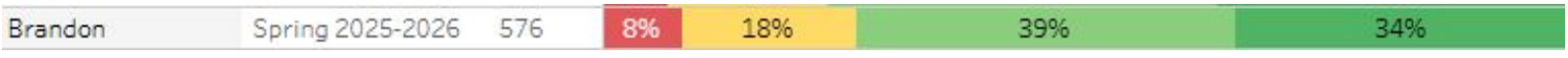
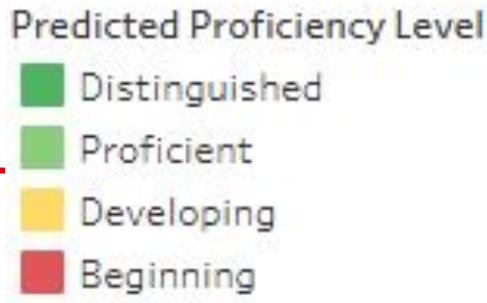
- I. Call to Order**
- II. Roll Call; Establish Quorum**
- III. Action Items**
 - a. Approval of Agenda
 - b. Approval of Previous Minutes
- IV. Discussion Items (see Principal's report)**
- V. Information Items**
 - a. Principal's Report
 - i. MAP results
 - ii. Hiring Process
 - iii. Power Up Summer Program
 - iv. End of Year activities
- VI. Announcements**
- VII. Adjournment**

2026 Spring MAP Results

- Spring Results
- Fall to Spring Comparison
 - Literacy
 - Numeracy



Overall Reading



Brandon ranked 5th in the district in Winter MAP Reading performance for all grades

**Individual grades rankings:
 #2 in 2nd grade
 #6 in 3rd grade
 #6 in 4th grade
 #5 in 5th grade**

Overall Math



School	Window	Exams	Predicted Proficiency Level			
DISTRICT	Spring 2025-2026	11,258	21%	33%	28%	18%

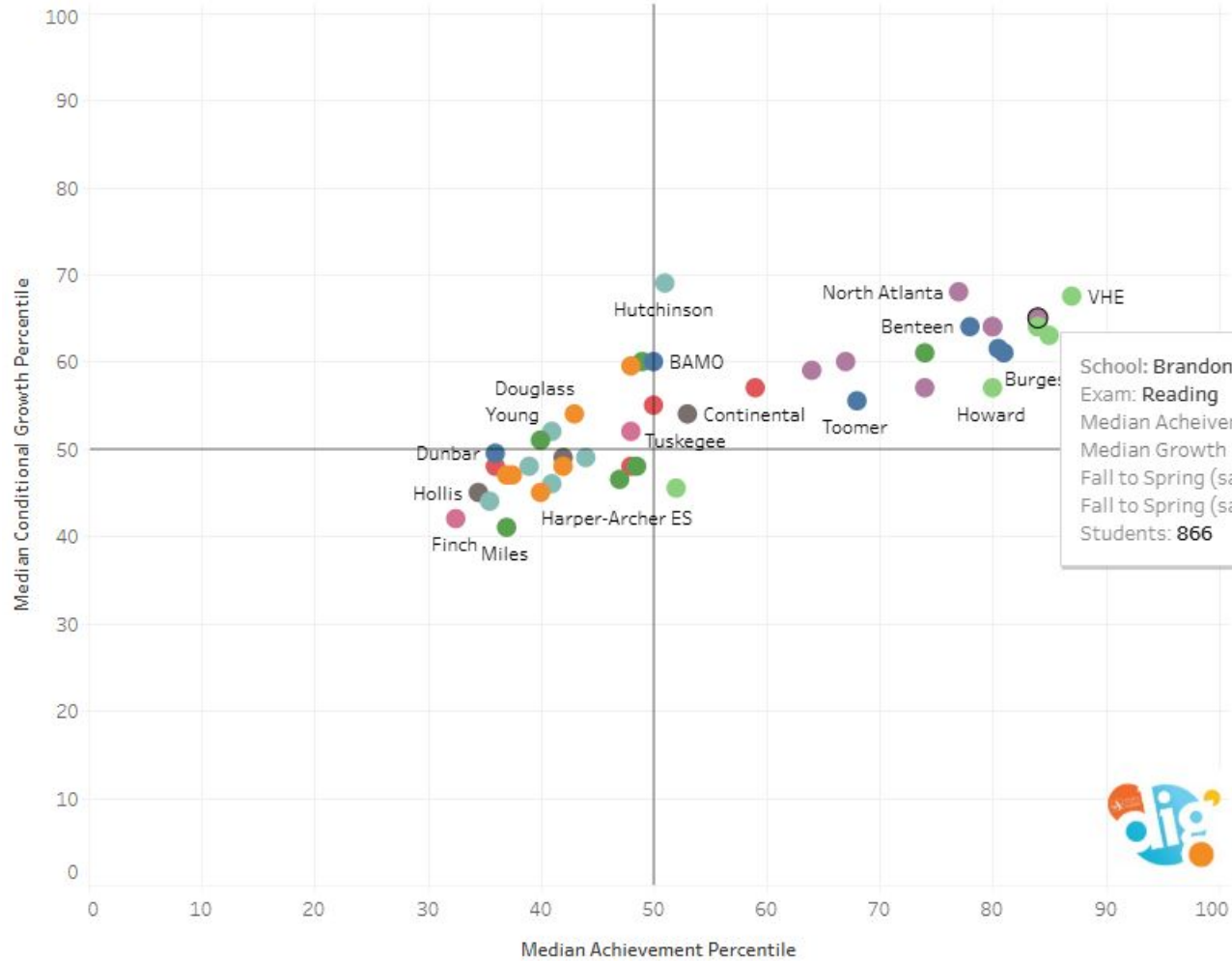
Brandon	Spring 2025-2026	574	5%	15%	41%	38%
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School	Grade	Window	Exams	Predicted Proficiency Level			
Brandon	02	Spring 2025-2026	148	8%	45%		45%
	03	Spring 2025-2026	160	6%	14%	48%	31%
	04	Spring 2025-2026	120	7%	15%	33%	45%
	05	Spring 2025-2026	146	7%	24%	36%	34%

Individual grades rankings:
#1 in 2nd grade
#5 in 3rd grade
#5 in 4th grade
#6 in 5th grade

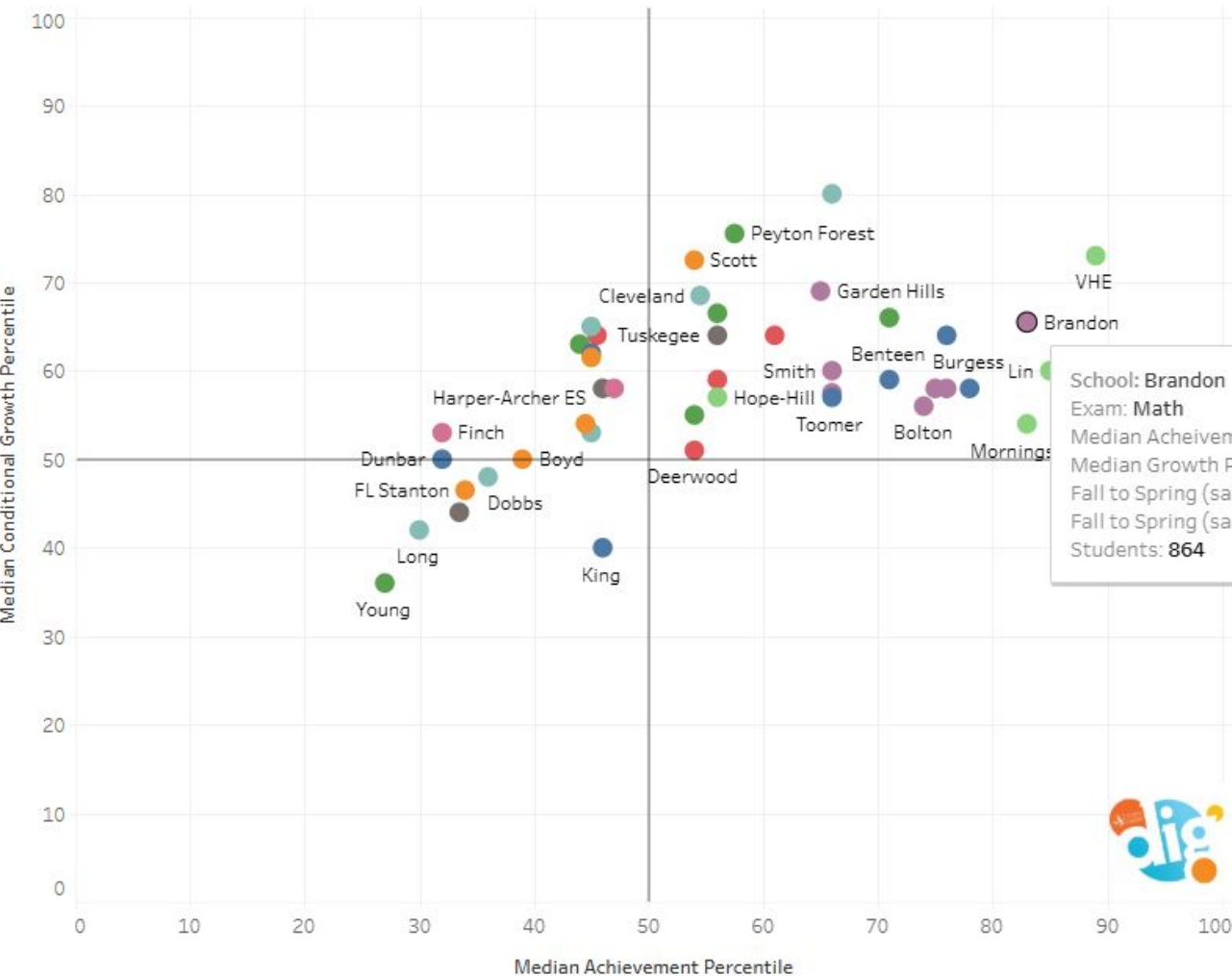
Reading: Achievement vs Growth



Top 5 school in both achievement and growth!

For all K-5, 66% students surpassed growth target, and 4% met, ranking 7th in the district.

Math: Achievement vs Growth



Top 5 school in achievement and top 10 in growth!

For all K-5, 65% students surpassed growth target, and 4% met.



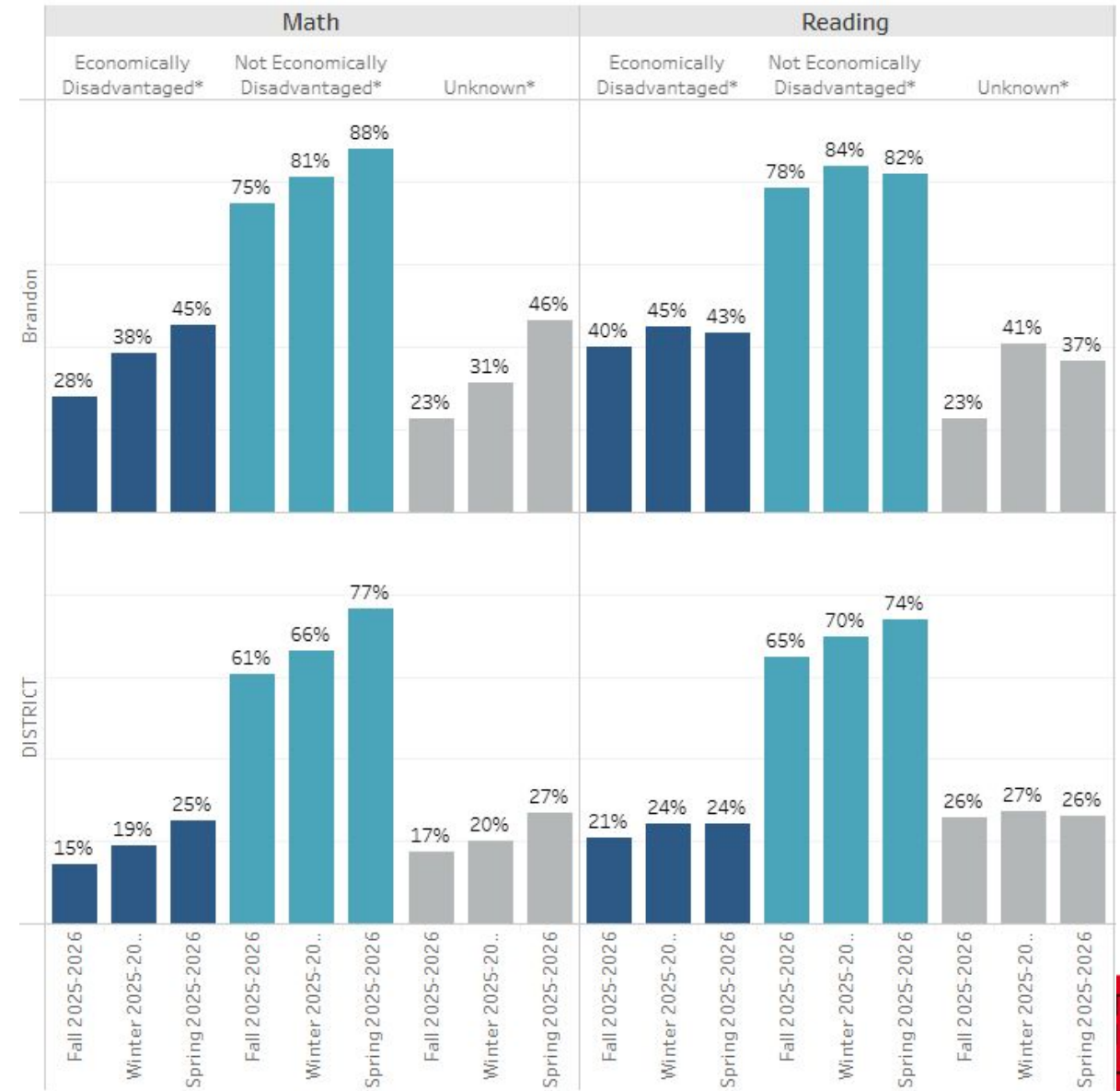
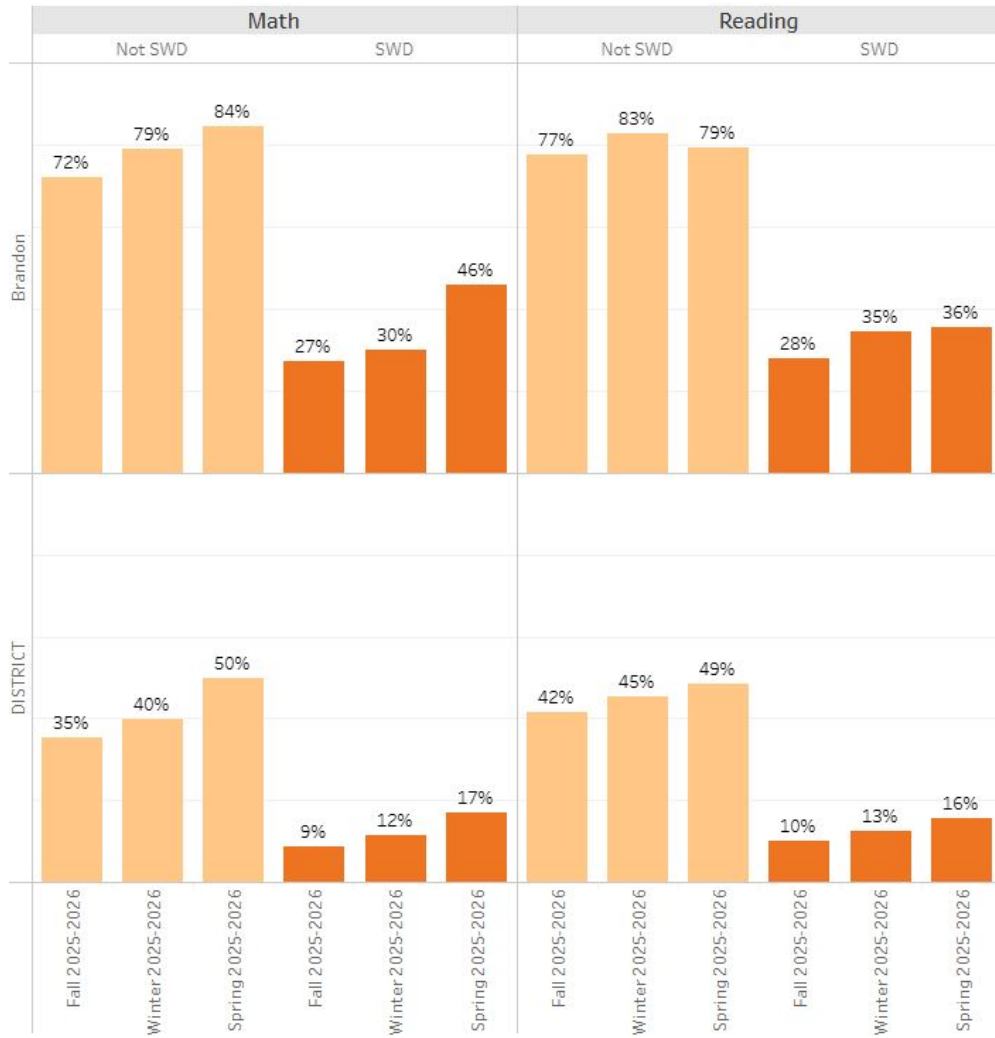
Science: Achievement vs Growth



Top 5 school in achievement!

For all K-5, 43% students surpassed growth target, and 6% met.

Subgroups: SWD and ED



Saw above average improvement for both SWD and ED students in both math and reading

Subgroups: Race/Ethnicity

MAP Spring 2025-2026 Estimated Achievement Points

		English Language Arts	Mathematics	Science
Brandon ES	All	Estimate = 98.77	Estimate = 104.21	Estimate = 91.55
	Black	Estimate = 74.51	Estimate = 77.23	Estimate = 74.39
	Hispanic	Estimate = 86.59	Estimate = 86.25	Estimate = 93.75
	White	Estimate = 110.81	Estimate = 118.01	Estimate = 99.33
	ED	Estimate = 65.13	Estimate = 65.54	Estimate = 71.21
	EL	Estimate = 66.67	Estimate = 73.33	
	SWD	Estimate = 51.72	Estimate = 57.14	Estimate = 56.25

*Blue is for projected first year student groups

List of subgroups by distance from target:
SWD, Math: 9.66 points (12 bands)
Hispanic, Math: 3.75 points (4 bands)

Pulse Check: Planning for 2026-2027

ACTIVITY:

During this discussion, we will look at data from the Spring MAP administration and identify 2-3 potential needs for the 2026-2027 school year.

This activity will help school leadership as they prepare for the 2026-2027 school year.



Pulse Check: Planning for 2026-2027

Guiding Questions

- What does this data tell us?
- What good news is there to celebrate?
- Where are growth opportunities?
- What trends do we see in the data?

ACTIVITY: Strengths & Opportunities

Based on your discussion about the school data, determine points of strength and opportunities for improvement and summarize them below.

Strengths	Opportunities
Strong, consistent achievement percentiles in both reading and math across all grades and all content areas	Typical to lower growth with 5 th grade Science at 46 median growth % (62% proficient two years in a row!)
Strong reading data in 2 nd grade with nearly 80% of students proficient or above/ 45% are distinguished.	23% of 3 rd graders are in developing (Major opportunity)
90% of 2 nd graders are proficient in Math	24% of 5 th graders are in developing (Major opportunity)
Great Growth and achievement (quadrant) for both reading and math schoolwide	Not EE students dropped 4% in proficiency in reading
ED students had great growth in Math	ED students had low growth in Reading

Planning for 2026-2027:

Based on your responses for strengths and opportunities, what must be true for Morris Brandon to Achieve Excellence:



	Need
1	Stronger alignment between 2 nd and 3 rd grade
2	Training and preparedness for a new math curriculum
3	Holding all students to high expectations

Next Steps

Principals will spend the summer preparing for SY2026-27

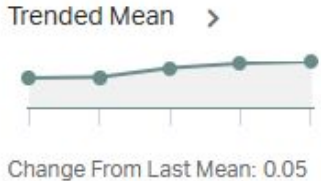
Schools will begin meeting after July 1 to organize their GO Teams for the year

During the first business meeting in Fall 2026, principal and GO Teams will review strategic priorities and metrics for the year

Gallup Q12

Employee Engagement Q¹² Insights

Engagement Mean



Percentile Rank



Respondents

105

Highest Q¹² Items ?

Q01. Know What's Expected



GET ADVICE
CREATE ACTION PLAN

Q02. Materials and Equipment



GET ADVICE
CREATE ACTION PLAN

Lowest Q¹² Items ?

Q04. Recognition



GET ADVICE
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Q05. Cares About Me



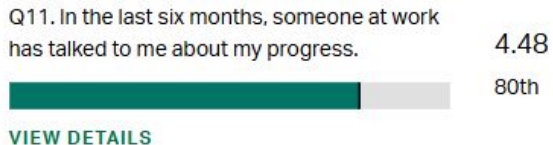
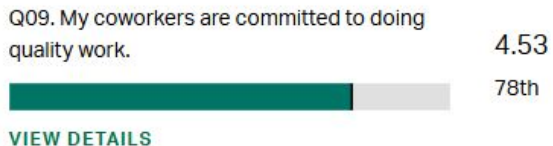
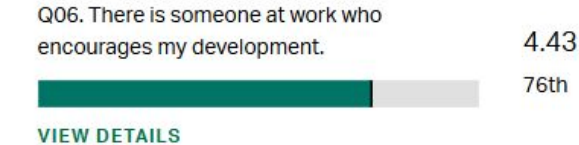
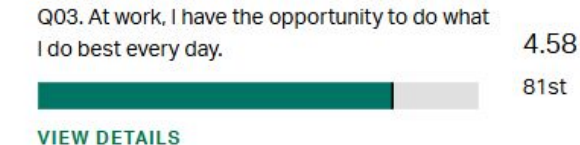
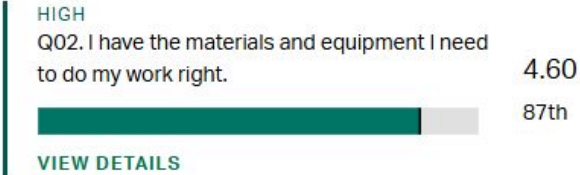
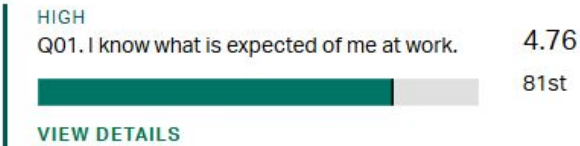
GET ADVICE
CREATE ACTION PLAN

Gallup Q12 Results Summary

Results Summary

High/Low indicators are derived for teams based on an item's position in the engagement hierarchy and percentile in a Gallup database. Use these as starting points for conversations with your team. Note: High/Low indicators are not available when filtering by Reporting Groups. [Learn More](#)

Database: Industry - Education - K-12



Gallup Q12

Our Focus Moving Forward

1. Recognize Great Work (Weekly)

- Increase **specific praise and celebration**
- Highlight wins in emails, meetings, and PLCs

2. Strengthen Belonging

- Build **team connection opportunities**
- Ensure all voices are heard in decisions

3. Maintain What's Working

- Clear expectations
- Strong instructional focus
- Commitment to growth

Bottom Line

Morris Brandon is a high-performing, highly engaged school.

Our next step is shifting from **good** → **great** by focusing on:

- Recognition
- Relationships
- Voice

Data and
Information Group

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Hiring Update

New Hires for KK/ 4th

New Hire for AUTR PC

New Hire for General Maintenance

New Hire for Site Manager (Current
Vacancy)

New Hire for Assistant Principal (Current
Vacancy)



Additional Information Items

- Cluster Advisory Team Report
- GO Team Elections
 - Voting open April 15-24
 - Find candidates and information at apsstrongschools.com

Announcements

On the Horizon:

Tall and Small Ball 4/24
World Cultures Night 4/30
Dads Golf- 5/1
5th Promotional- 5/21
Splashdown!- 5/22



- **GO Team Members**
 - **Complete your end of year surveys (AVAILABLE NOW!** Check your email for the link)
 - Principal Feedback Survey
 - GO Team Satisfaction Survey
 - **Complete your required trainings ASAP**
 - Contact the GO Team Office with any questions



*Thank
You*
for yet another
great year!

