

Q & A for Wyoming MTSS Center Pilot Project

The Wyoming MTSS Center is seeking approximately 8 districts/schools to receive intensive support from May 2021 through December 2022. The pilot districts will be provided training and coaching to support implementation of MTSS.

How does my school participate?

To participate in the pilot project, each school will identify a leadership team to lead implementation of MTSS. That team will:

- receive ongoing training on topics related to MTSS
- meet at least monthly
- · implement activities related to MTSS

Who supports my leadership team?

Your school's leadership team will be supported by a District System Coach from within your district in collaboration with a Wyoming MTSS Center State Coach. The District System Coach will support completion of activities related to MTSS and provide ongoing support to the leadership team.

Who supports the District System Coach?

The District System Coach will be supported by a Wyoming MTSS Center State Coach. The Wyoming MTSS Center will support up to two System Coaches per district, depending on the size of the district.

What is required of the District System Coach?

The District System Coach will meet with your team at least once a month to support them. The District System Coach will also meet 1-2 times a month with the State Coach assigned to that district. They will also attend the Wyoming MTSS Center Coaching Institute, which is a full-day workshop in the fall of 2021 and a half-day in the winter/spring of 2022. They will also meet with other District System Coaches once a month in a virtual community of practice.

Is this only for sites new to MTSS?

Nope! Any school interested in implementing MTSS is encouraged to apply. There are readiness criteria that the Wyoming MTSS Center will consider when selecting sites. The Readiness Checklist is attached but interested sites must submit their responses through the electronic checklist by April 16.

What school levels can participate?

We welcome any school level to apply. There is no preferred or suggested grade-level or school level.



What if we do not have someone who can be a coach?

A coach is required to be a part of the pilot project, but we have flexibility in regards to who that person is and what their day-to-day role is. We know that some districts may not have district-level personnel that can serve as a coach. Please contact us and we can help identify an alternative approach that best supports your site. Email Jason Harlacher, Wyoming MTSS Center Co-Director at jharlacher@air.org.

What if we are not ready to be a pilot this year?

That's okay! You can still attend the statewide trainings being offered and complete the activities at your own pace. Click on the attached flyer for more information.

What if I have more questions?

Contact Jason Harlacher, Wyoming MTSS Co-Director, at jharlacher@air.org.

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