

Mississippi FTL Implementation Plan

	ARC Availability				
Project Achieve Responsibilities FTL Lead: Doug Roberts, Director of Content Initials		Mississippi Team Responsibilities FTL Lead: Susan M. Rucker, Ed.D. Associate State Superintendent Initials			
Deadline	Commitment	Deadline Commitment			
Aug 16	 Coordinate between Project Achieve technical staff and state representatives to ensure that technical issues are resolved. 	Aug 9 • Contact individuals listed below to secure commitments for creating links to the ARC, including verifying appropriate due dates.			
Sep 18	 Ensure that the ARC is available resources correlated to the state standards. 	Aug 9 • Confirm with Project Achieve that the most up-to-date standards are included in the ARC.			
		Sep 18 • Work with individuals listed below to ensure that links to the ARC are made live by the confirmed deadlines.			

ARC Availability: Links	Point Person within the State	Title	Proposed Date
Links- DOE website.			
Put in "What's New" section of DOE website			

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	ARC Publicity				
	ieve Responsibilities aye Chen, VP of Operations Initials	Mississippi Team Responsibilities FTL Lead: Michael Boyd, Policy & Planning Director State of Mississippi Initials			
Deadline	Commitment	Deadline Commitment			
Sep 30	 Coordinate between Project Achieve marketing staff and state representatives to support state's publicity efforts. 	Aug 16 • Coordinate with the point persons listed below to secure commitments for publicizing the ARC, including verifying appropriate due dates.			
		Sep 30 • Work with point persons listed below to ensure that publicity ideas are implemented by the confirmed deadlines.			

ARC Publicity: Ideas	Point Person within the State	Title	Proposed Date
Utilize existing programs to spread the word (Barksdale Reading Initiative- weekly teacher meetings)	Carla Dearman (601) 359 1396 Larry Kegley	Director of Training Technology Contact	
MS Association of School Administrators	Dr. Michael VInson	Executive Director	First week of October
Communicate through Coordinator of Information for all state organizations	Lee Anne Mayo	Communications Director	
MS Association of School Superintendents	David Shepard		
Conferences			
State Superintendent Monday Morning Memo	Dr. Henry L. Johnson	State Superintendent of Schools	
Statewide Teacher's Meeting			
Special Ed Conference			October
Vendor's fair at Improving MS Schools Conference			Fall & Spring
MS Associate Superintendents monthly meetings			

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ARC Publicity: Ideas	Point Person within the State	Title	Proposed Date
MS School Administrators conferences & meetings			
State Department Conference			
ETV (television in every classroom)			
Ed Net (wireless communication)			
MS PTA			
MS School Boards			

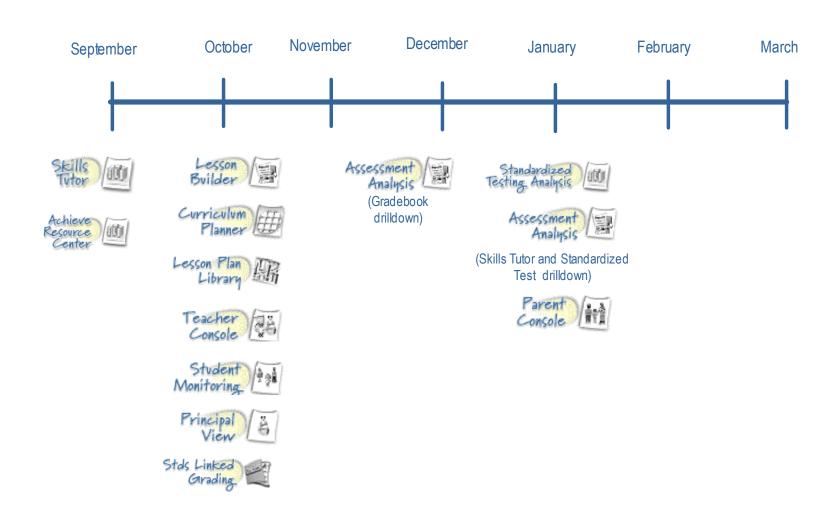
	Achieve 3.0 School Selection				
	chieve Responsibilities Julie Moriarty, FTL Coordinator Initials	Mississippi Team Responsibilities FTL Lead: Susan M. Rucker, Ed.D. Associate State Superintendent Initials			
Deadline		Deadline Commitment			
Aug 16	 Provide representative to lead two days of sessions in the state to introduce Project Achieve and FTL to principals of nominated schools. 	Aug 9 Contact district leaders listed below to introduce FTL and Project Achieve, and obtain commitments from district leaders to contact qualified school principals about potential participation in FTL.			
Aug 16	 Provide on-line network diagnostic tool to help assess technical readiness ("wired" criterion) of schools. 	Aug 16 • Work with Project Achieve to organize two days of sessions in the state (including scheduling and selecting locations) to recruit schools for FTL participation.			
Aug 30	Support state representative's efforts in securing commitments from qualified schools to participate in FTL.	Aug 30 • After state sessions by Project Achieve, follow up with school principals to secure commitments for 10-15 schools that are qualified ("willing," "wired" and geographically clustered) and prepared to participate in back-to-school launch of FTL.			

District name and location	Number of schools	Name, phone and email address for district leader	High speed Internet access in classrooms? (Y/N)	First day of classes (2002-03)	Name of state team member to make first contact with district
District & Charter(most	122 total	TBD at 8/9 NCLB meeting	82% of classrooms	Teachers	
likely in the Delta)TBD	15		state wide	8/12	
	Improvement			Kids 8/19	
Cluster in Cleveland					
Public Schools-T1 per					
district					

	Achieve 3.0 Deployment					
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Deadline	Comr	nitment	Deadline		mitment	
Sep 1	•	Provide access to Achieve 3.0 online diagnostic tool SkillsTutor (see timeline on following page for product release schedule).	Aug 16	•	program: e.g., type of	n, frequency of tests at
Sep 16	•	Provide access to Achieve 3.0 online setup wizard.	Aug 30	•	state assessment con	district representatives chieve and Fordham ta format and results
Oct 1	•	Provide access to Achieve 3.0 online lesson planner/gradebook/student monitoring	Sep 8	•	Provide sample test d correlation (if available	
Oct 1	•	Notify schools of assigned project leader who will give initial presentations and training on the ARC and Achieve 3.0.	Ongoing	•	Ensure that state associations continues to provide reproject Achieve and Fatate test analysis.	necessary support to
Dec 15	•	Submit standards correlations for skill clusters for approval by state representative.	Jan 15	•	Verify standards align state standards done	ment of skill clusters to by Project Achieve.
Jan 31	•	Provide access to Achieve 3.0 online standardized test results.				

Point Person for coordinating state test analysis	Title
Steve Hebbler	(601) 359-3400

Timeline for Achieve 3.0 Deployment (September 2002 – March 2003)



	Achieve 3.0 School De-Selection				
	chieve Responsibilities Maye Chen, VP of Operations Initials	Mississippi Team Responsibilities FTL Lead: Susan M. Rucker, Ed.D. Associate State Superintendent Initials			
Deadline	Commitment	Deadline Commitment			
Sep 30	 Provide usage data to state representatives determine whether schools should be de- 	Aug 16 • Ensure that de-selection criteria is clear to participating schools:			
	selected.	- 50% usage of Achieve 3.0 online diagnostic tool (SkillsTutor) (8/30-9/30)			
		- 50% usage of ARC (9/18-9/30)			
		- School leadership team oarticipation in Achieve 3.0 "Visioning" E-briefing online (8/30-9/16)			
		- Completion of school setup (9/16-9/30)			
		 Letters notifying parents of Parent/Student Console (9/30) 			
		Sep 15 • Compile waiting list of substitute schools to be contacted if initial schools are deselected.			
		Sep 15 • Monitor implementation progress at participating schools, and notify schools that are at risk of being de-selected.			
		Sep 30 • Notify schools that are being de-selected and notify substitute schools.			

Point Person for managing de-selection process	Title
Susan M Rucker Ed.D.	Associate State Superintendent
Kelly Riley	Education Policy Advisor
Michael Boyd	Policy Planning Director

Memorandum of Understanding

FTL Memorandum of Understanding			
Project Achieve Responsibilities FTL Lead: Julie Moriarty, FTL Coordinator		Mississippi Team Responsibilities Kelly Riley	
	Initials	Education Policy Advisor to the Governor Initials	
Deadline	Commitment	Deadline Commitment	
Aug 16	 Finalize contents of memorandum of understanding 	Aug 16 • Finalize contents of memorandum of understanding	
Aug 16	Obtain necessary signatures	Aug 16 • Obtain necessary signatures	

Memorandum of Understanding

Agreed:	
Following the Leaders Partners:	State FTL Leadership Team:
Billie Orr President Education Leaders Council	Kelly Riley Education Policy Advisor to the Governor
Stacey Boyd President and CEO Project Achieve	Susan M Rucker Associate State Superintendent
	Name Title Agency
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