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NV Statewide Plan for the Improvement of Pupils

2023 STIP Addendum

Introduction

Meet the Team:

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- Dr. Katie Broughton, Education Programs Professional
- WestEd

Agenda:

- Overview of the Statewide Plan for the Improvement of Pupils (STIP)
- Success Strategies Data Analysis
- Considerations and Conclusion

Objectives

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- Refamiliarize the State Board of Education, students, parents, teachers, and other constituents with the STIP
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Overview of Nevada's STIP

Goals

Goal 1: All children, birth through third grade, have **access to quality early care and education.**

Goal 2: All students have access to **effective educators**.

Goal 3: All students experience **continued academic growth**.

Goal 4: All students graduate **future-ready and globally prepared** for postsecondary success and civic life.

Goal 5: All students have access to new and continued educational opportunities supported by funding that is administered **transparently, consistently, and in accordance with legislative or grant guidelines.**

Goal 6: All students and adults **learn and work together in safe environments** where identities and relationships are valued and celebrated.

Values

Equity: The learning needs of every student are supported in an environment where all students are valued, respected, and see themselves in their curriculum and instructional materials while experiencing academic success without regard to differences in age, gender, socio-economic status, religion, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, ability, native language, national origin, or citizenship status

Access to Quality: Students, educators, and families have opportunities to take full advantage of Nevada's education system, regardless of their zip code, district, or setting

Success: Lead the nation in the excellence and rigor of our expectations ~~a~~nd outcomes for students and educators

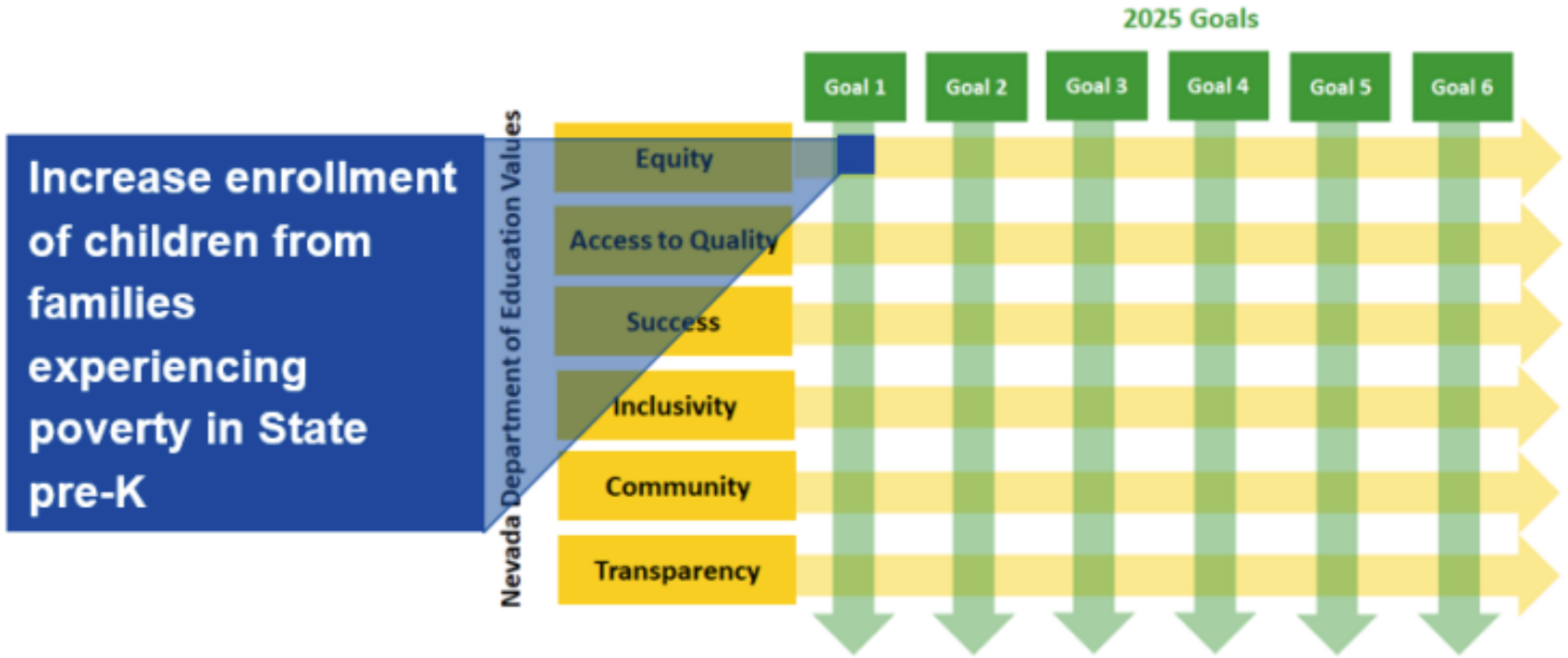
Inclusivity: Learners are served in their least restrictive environment in culturally responsive schools

Community: NDE collaborates with educators, districts, families, stakeholders, and partner agencies to lead a high-performing and responsive system of education for all Nevadans

Transparency: Districts, schools, and communities are served through efficient and effective use of public funds and high-quality customer service

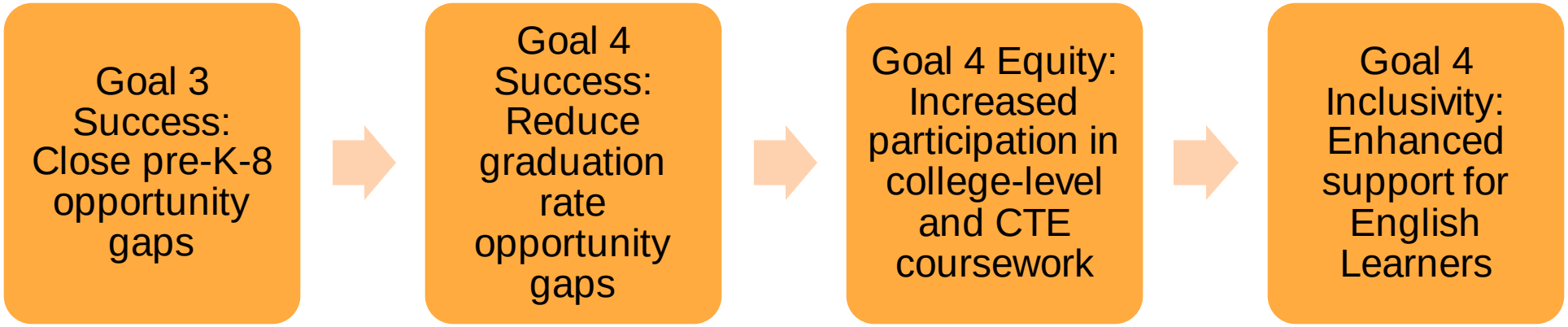
Strategies

- This graphic demonstrates the intersection between the NDE values and the 2025 Goals.
- Strategies are created where the Goals and Values intersect.
- Each Strategy is accomplished through specific actions

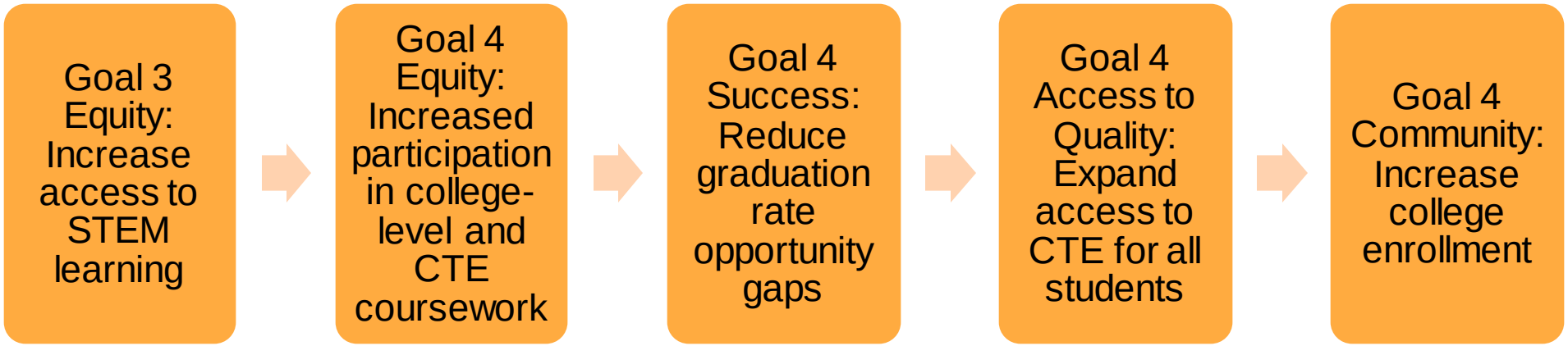


State Board of Education Goal Alignment

SBE Goal #1: From Top 20 to Top 10



SBE Goal #2: 50% of Students Achieve College and Career Ready (CCR) Diploma



Focus on Success

Success: Lead the nation in the excellence and rigor of our expectations and outcomes for students and educators

Goal 1: Access to early care and education

Success: Accelerate Read by Grade 3

	2018-2019	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022
Kindergarten	55%			
1st Grade	57%	*	54%	54%
2nd Grade	58%	*	55%	55%

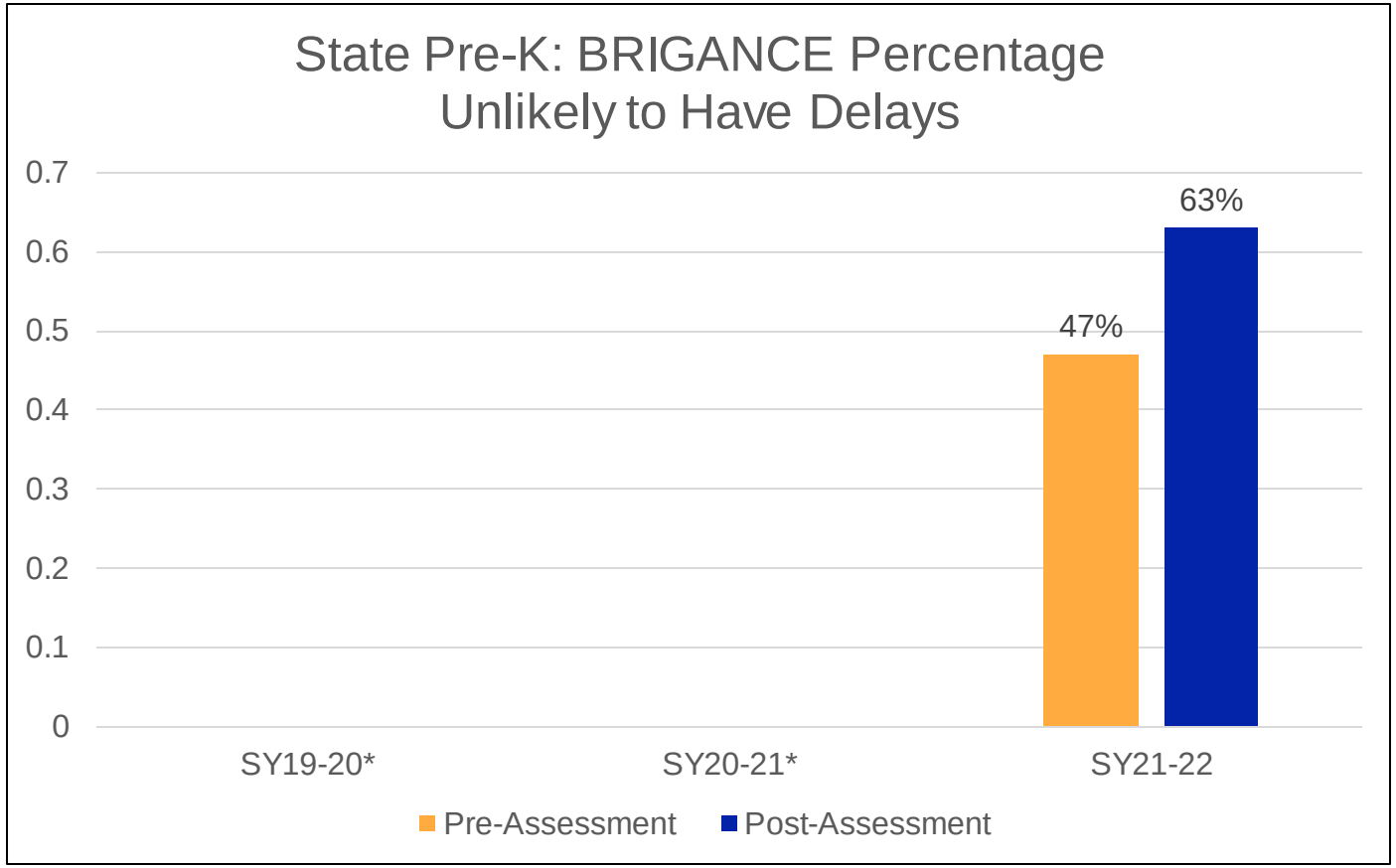
Goal 2: Access to effective teachers

Success: Decrease licensed educational personnel vacancies

School Year	Total # of Reported Positions	Total # of Reported Vacancies	% Vacancies to Total # of Positions
2020-2021	24,773.77	2,048.53	8.27%
2021-2022	30,034.91	3,737.07	12.44%
2022-2023	30,491.00	2,922.20	9.58%

Goal 3: Continued Academic Growth

Success: Close pre-K-8 opportunity gaps



Success: Close pre-K-8 opportunity gaps

Opportunity Gap Success on NV ELA CRT by Grade Level Cohort and Subgroups (20/21-21/22)

	Female	Male	Am In/AK Native	Black	Hispanic	White	2+ Races	Asian	Pacific Islander	IEP	Not IEP	EL	Not EL	FRL	Not FRL
Overall	★				✓			★			★	✓	★	✓	★
Grades 3-4	★	✓			✓			★			★		★	✓	★
Grades 4-5	★				✓			★	✓		★		★	✓	★
Grades 5-6	★							★			★	✓	★	✓	★
Grades 6-7	★				✓	✓	✓	★			★		★	✓	★
Grades 7-8	★	✓	✓					★			★	✓	★	✓	★

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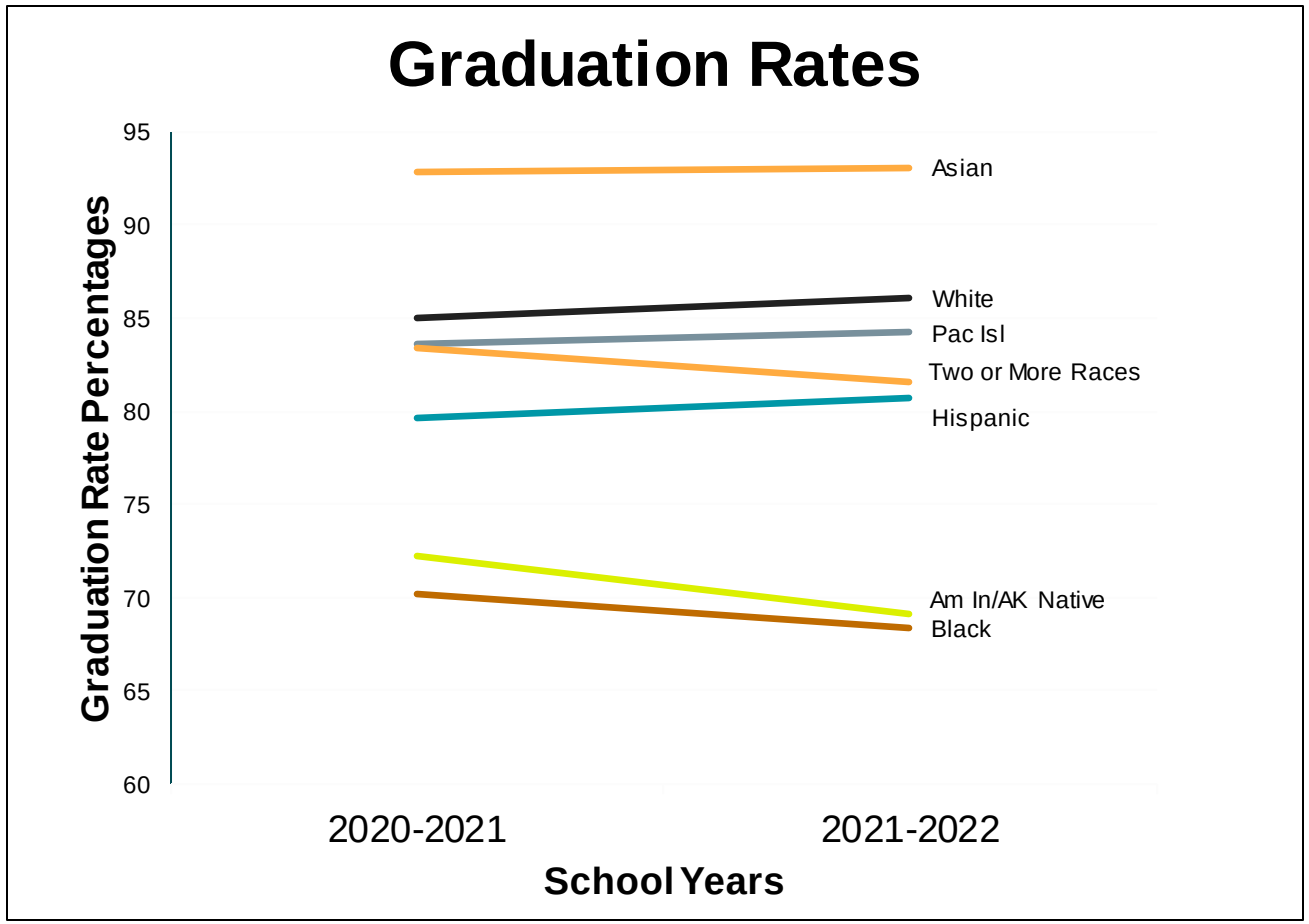
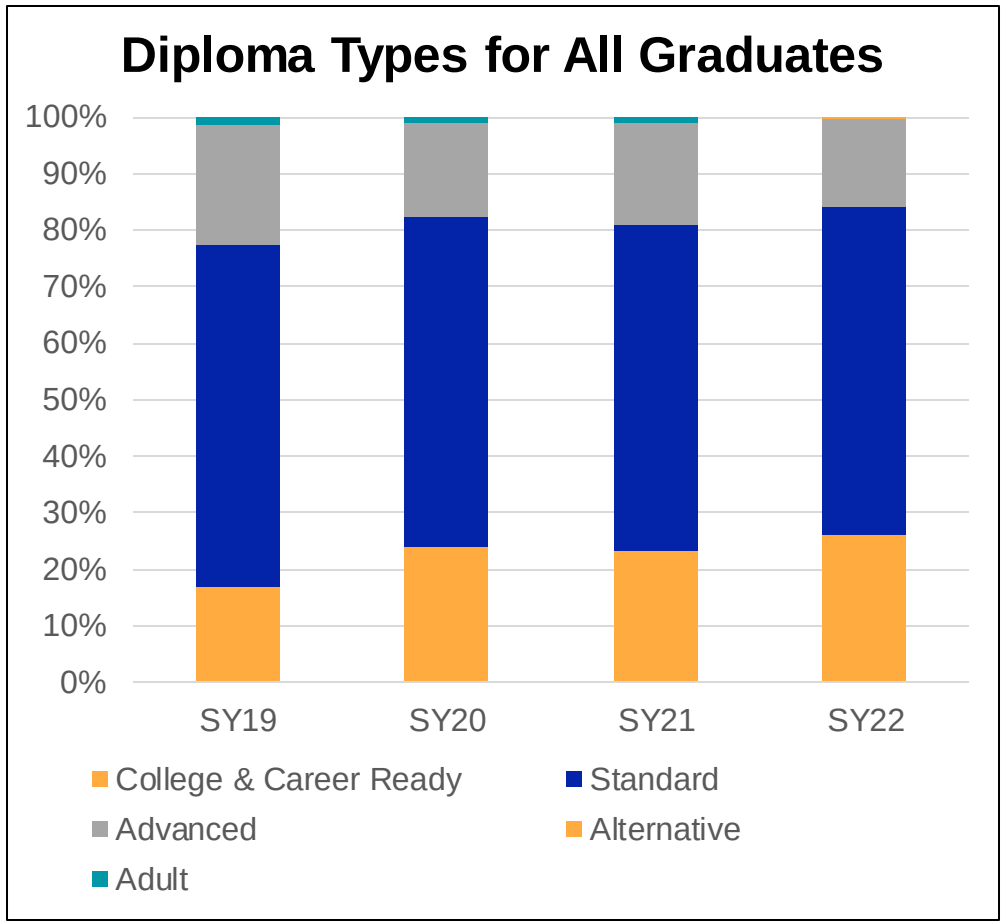
Goal 4: Graduate future ready and globally prepared

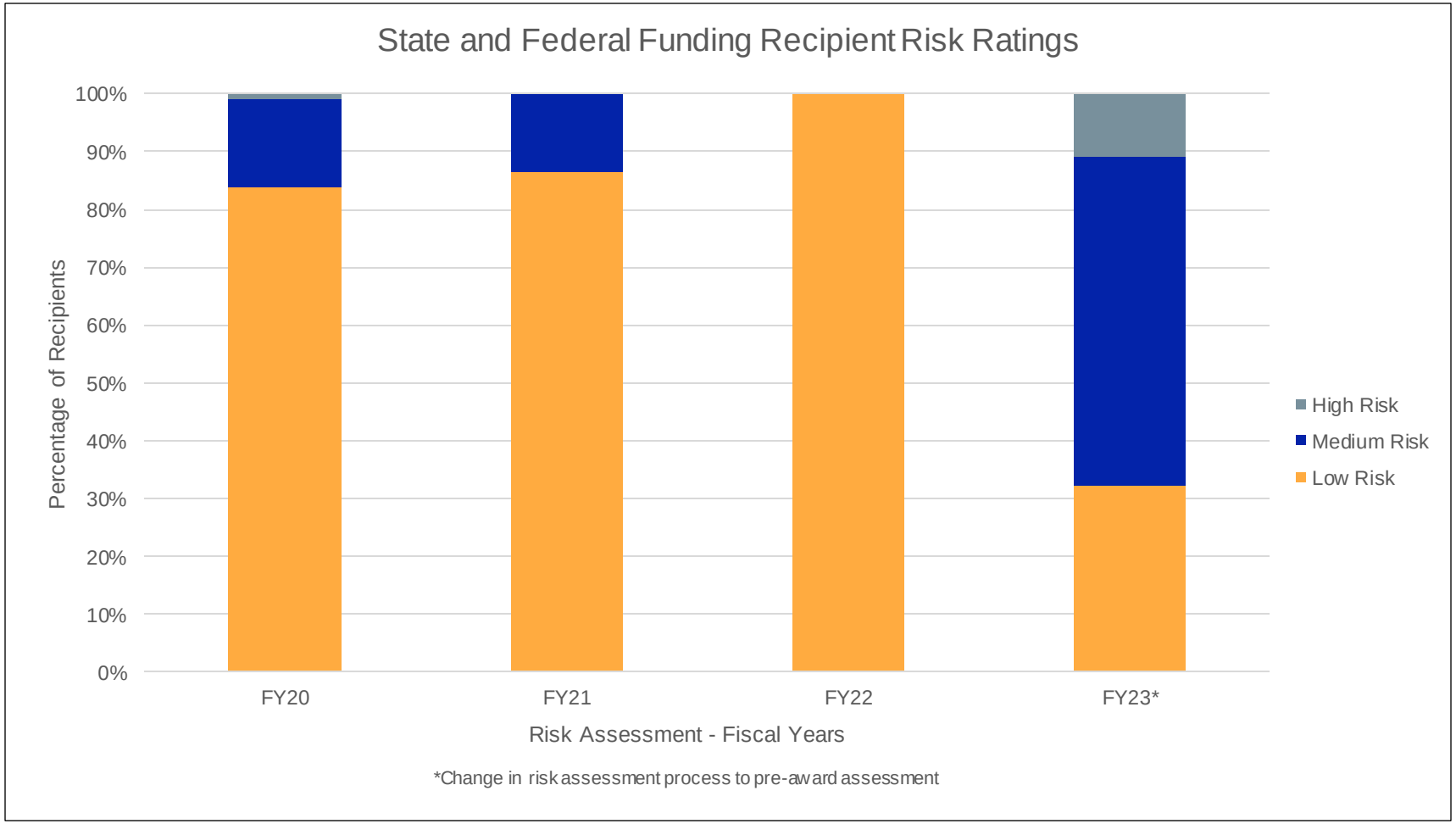
Success: Reduce graduation rate opportunity gaps





Goal 5: Access to educational opportunities

Success: Assess and manage risk



Goal 6: Safe environments

Success: Increase school safety

Emotional Safety (# of schools)	Most Favorable	Favorable	Least Favorable
2019-2020	150	540	2
2020-2021	165	504	3
2021-2022	132	584	2

Physical Safety (# of schools)	Most Favorable	Favorable	Least Favorable
2019-2020	271	420	0
2020-2021	444	225	0
2021-2022	273	439	5

Considerations

- The metrics used in the Success strategies allow us to measure achievement of individual strategies as written

- Some progress has been made, but there are areas of opportunity for the Department, Local Educational Agencies, and individual schools to improve

- Due to waivers and changes in learning environments for SY19-20 and SY20-21, the data points needed to identify trends are incomplete making it difficult to pinpoint progress

Conclusion

- Based on data collected throughout the Department and collaborative work with WestEd, several actions listed in the strategies were not within the purview of the Nevada Department of Education, making individual districts, schools, and even teachers' effectiveness the determining factor for success
- As a result, the Department will:
  - submit the 2023 STIP Addendum pursuant to NRS 385.111
  - shift the focus of the Strategies in the Statewide Plan for the Improvement of Pupils to ensure alignment with the work of NDE divisions and offices moving forward, as well as identify more authentic measures of student progress beyond academic assessment results
  - identify and monitor supports available to continue the progress outlined in the 2020 Statewide Plan for the Improvement of Pupils

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