

**Purpose** 

Barrier

## **MS Algebra I Performance Reporting Strategies**

# **Addressed**

### Description

#### 1. Student Acc'l Math Badge

Build parent awareness and advocacy around accelerated math pathways

Families are not always aware of acceleration options for their students

Implement an Accelerated Math badge on STAAR report cards for students in grades 5-7, along with a description of what this means for that student. Students qualify if they meet the equivalent scale score for Meets Grade Level on STAAR grade 8 in any of these grades.

#### 2. Campus Math Distinction

Adjust math distinction to more appropriately account for 8<sup>th</sup> grade Algebra I performance

Existing Algebra I indicator only accounts for participation, not performance

Change one of the 13 math distinction indicators from 'Algebra I by Grade 8 – Participation' to 'Algebra I by Grade 8 – Performance' to encourage targeted enrollment of students in Algebra I.

#### 3. Accountability Incentive

Incentivize districts to increase Algebra I enrollment by 8<sup>th</sup> grade

District reluctance to enroll students in a course that has a more difficult exam

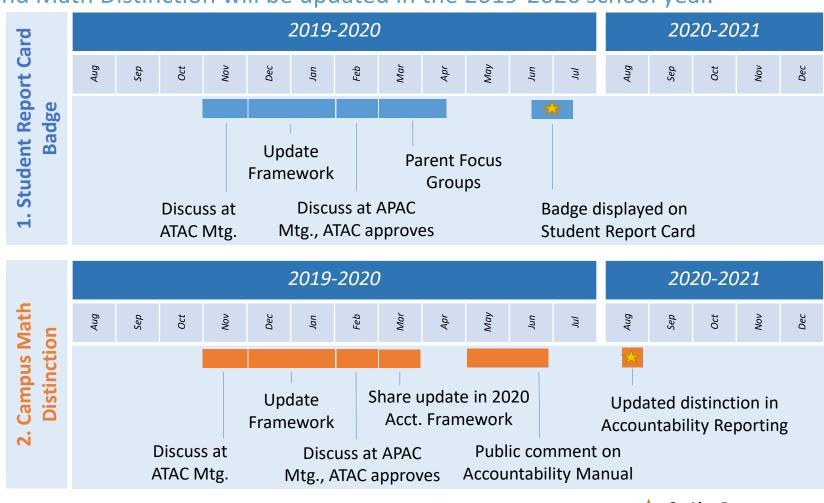
Conduct a study over the next year to identify the key identifiers to Algebra I student readiness. Use these identifiers to establish an accountability standard for incentive points.



### **Badge and Distinction Implementation Timeline**

The Student Report Card badge and Math Distinction will be updated in the 2019-2020 school year.

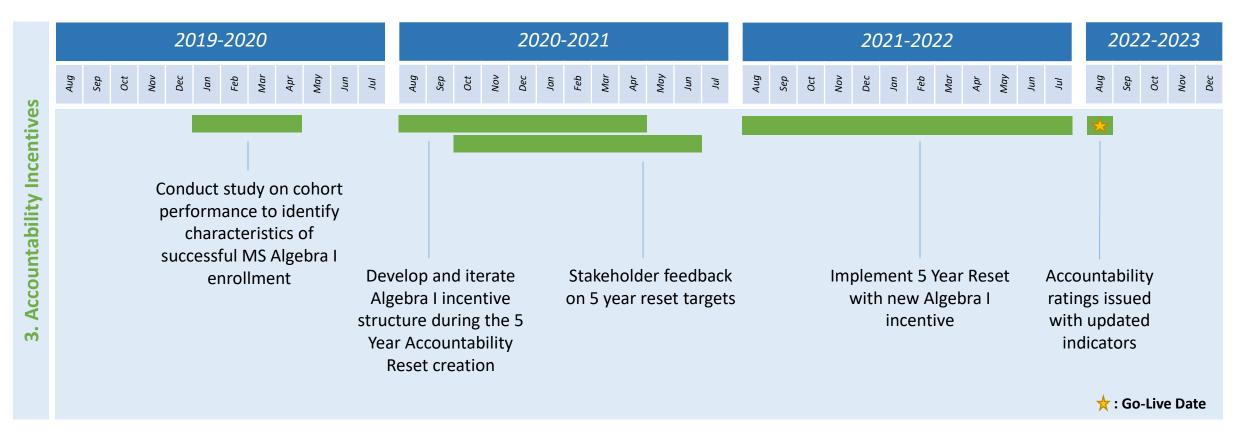
The Student
Report Card
badge and District
Math Distinction
can be
implemented
reflecting 20192020 data





## **Accountability Three Year Timeline**

The Performance Reporting vendor will conduct a study in spring of 2020 to inform recommendations for changes during the "5 Year Accountability Reset", with implementation in the 2021-2022 school year.



<sup>\*</sup>Accountability incentives will be implemented reflecting data from the 2021-2022 school year