

## Our Successes

We believe every child deserves the best education possible. We utilize school-specific solutions to assist teachers and students and administrators in fulfilling their potential.



The Excellence Group has served over 40% of MS districts in the past five years

The Excellence Group experienced teams have assisted districts in obtaining consistent increases in accountability scores

Our team of leaders and consultants has walked in your shoes and spent their careers in **MISSISSIPPI K-12 PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

*Individual districts have individual needs. The Excellence Group offers catered services from district wide to building level. Contact us today for your customized plan.*

## Who We Are

The Excellence Group, LLC, is an educational consulting organization that focuses on providing support to school districts, school administrators, and educators.

Since 2006, our mission has been to foster educational excellence among Mississippi's K-12 public school children.

The Excellence Group administrative team has combined experience of **over 200 years** in district and school leadership in **MISSISSIPPI K-12 public schools** with many more as **MISSISSIPPI K-12** public school teachers. This puts us in a unique position to understand your needs and provide services to meet them.

## OUR LEADERS



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**Finding Promise.  
Fulfilling Promises.**

**SERVICE SPOTLIGHT**  
**STUDENT TUTORIAL**  
 and  
**PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**  
*To meet*

**SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT GOALS**

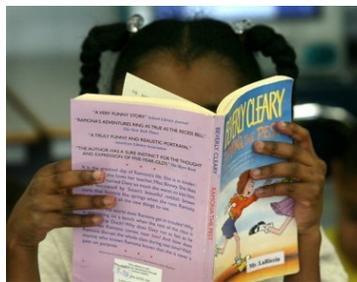
The Excellence Group's pool of seasoned professionals are ready to assist you in meeting the needs of targeted student subgroups. With strong backgrounds in classroom instruction, our consultants can provide:

- Group or individual student tutorials guided by student data
- Training on successful intervention strategies to address specific subgroups
- Classroom management training – handling difficult students, time management, etc.
- Successful inclusion and co-teaching for special education classes
- And MORE

**SERVICE SPOTLIGHT**  
**SCHOOL COUNSELOR SUPPORT**

Our team of experts can assist you in supporting the school counselors in your district in:

- Management and data support
- Scheduling
- Individual and Group Counseling support
- School counselor professional Growth System
- Social Emotional Learning
- Academics-credits, graduation, requirements, individual success plans, good cause exemption, high school acceleration, testing, MTSS, PBIS
- Communication –with parents, teachers, and students



*Dr. David Daigneault, Superintendent,  
 Grenada School District*

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*“The Excellence Group has assisted our district in improving its academic performance through administrative mentoring, refined assessment procedures, and improved special education articulation. Their services have been an integral part of our improvement efforts and I recommend them for your consideration.”*

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*Ms. Allie Pierce, Teacher  
 New Albany School District  
 DRIVING TOWARD EXCELLENCE ATTENDEE*

*“It was a wonderful conference. I learned so much and felt encouraged as we approach the new school year. Lots of thought-provoking discussions that I can't wait to take back to my school to share with other teachers. “*

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*Ms. Rasheda Barksdale, Principal  
 Cleveland School District  
 DRIVING TOWARD EXCELLENCE ATTENDEE*

*“The considerations for what administrators must take into account for the start of the school year, along with the training on SPED process and procedures were insightful and greatly beneficial!”*



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**SERVICE SPOTLIGHT**  
**TEACHER and ADMINISTRATOR**  
**COACHING AND MENTORING**

Seasoned professionals matched to content areas work one on one, or in groups with your teachers and/or administrators in all subject areas and grades to provide job embedded coaching and mentoring. Feedback can be delivered through PLC's, after school meetings, on professional development days, or during teacher planning time.

Sessions are catered to district wants and needs and can address:

- Classroom management
- Student engagement
- Rigor and Content Mastery
- Data interpretation
- Meaningful lesson planning
- Delivery of instruction
- MTSS Planning and Implementation including electronic MTSS file completion and storage
- Differentiation and Intervention
- ACCREDITATION Standards training including MOCK Audits and an electronic data storage solution
- Leadership
- Administrator one on one mentoring

**The Excellence Group can also serve you in the areas of:**

- Accountability, Accreditation, Assessment ACT and SATP Boot Camps
- Bus driver training – **LOAD THE BUS**
- Data Analysis
- Efficiency Scheduling
- English Language Learners
- **Federal Programs Consultation and Training**
- Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) School Business Services
- School Leadership
- Strategic Planning
- Third Grade Literacy Exam and Bootcamps