



ADVANCING SYSTEMIC SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL LEARNING

While many school districts nationwide are prioritizing social and emotional learning, it can often be challenging to implement a systemic approach that leads to improved student outcomes.

CASEL CAN HELP.

Our **SEL Readiness and Engagement Analysis (SELREA)** helps districts create a roadmap for systemic SEL to ensure the work ahead is coordinated, doable, and sustainable. Our experience working with districts and external perspective can help you advance SEL in support of all students.



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SELREA?

- Are you just launching or planning a new focus on SEL implementation?
- Have you begun, but the work is siloed or happening in pockets?
- Are you working to integrate SEL with other priorities?
- Are some of your schools using an SEL curriculum?
- Do some schools have PBIS and/or restorative practices?
- Are you focused on equity?
- Are there some anti-bullying and character programs in place?

SEL READINESS AND ENGAGEMENT ANALYSIS

KEY BENEFITS

The **SEL Readiness and Engagement Analysis** is a \$60,000 investment that includes a two-day visit to your district from a CASEL team of experts who meet with the district leadership, visit schools, and hear from various stakeholders about the current state and priority for SEL.

CASEL's detailed report of observations and recommendations will enable you to:

- ✓ **Identify strengths and challenges in your current strategies, programs, and approaches.** We look at everything from central office staffing and budgets to school climate and classroom instruction.
- ✓ **Honor and build on the good work already underway in your system.** We strongly favor an assets-based approach that builds on your current foundation.
- ✓ **Connect the dots among programs, priorities, and plans.** We have found – and independent research reinforces – that systemic, strategic approaches that harness the power of multiple initiatives have much greater impact.
- ✓ **Hit the ground running with an action plan.** Our recommendations link you directly to specific, short- and long-term action steps and offer tailored guidance in our District Resource Center and Schoolwide Guide – piggybacking on and promoting the successful work districts like yours have done.
- ✓ **Provide the external, third-party recommendations that communities, school boards, and staff members often look for.** CASEL has been the acknowledged expert about SEL for more than two decades.
- ✓ **Take advantage of the deep expertise and experience we have built** from working closely with many of the school districts – large and small – that are on the vanguard of implementing quality SEL.

How We Work With You

- Analyze district demographic, achievement, climate, budget, and discipline data
- Examine organizational structure and current strategic priorities, including where SEL fits
- Meet with the superintendent, board members, union leadership, and other top district leadership
- Meet with key departments including Teaching and Learning, Research and Evaluation, Equity, Human Resources, and Professional Learning
- Conduct school visits, classroom observations, and conversations with principals, teachers, parents, and students

For more information about the SEL Readiness and Engagement Analysis and how our CASEL team can support your school district, please contact selrea@casel.org.