GRIP Directions and Documents to Print Prior to Beginning a GRIP

Create a TIP or GRIP Account

The TIP and GRIP tools have their own tools, but share many features. You can log in and move between sites without having to re-log in or have a separate password. For simplicity, each tools has its own Toolbox, resources, and planning tools.

There are two ways to access the TIP and GRIP websites:

- 1. Go to the Wisconsin Transition Improvement Grant (TIP) (www.witig.org) website
 - Click the upper green link labeled "TIG Projects"
 - Click "Transition Improvement Planning Tools" for an overview of both the TIP and GRIP, or scroll down and
 - Click the link Graduation Rate Improvement Plan (GRIP) link or the Transition Improvement Plan (TIP). Once you have an account for either
- 2. Alternately, you can go directly to www.witip.org or www.wigrip.org
 - **Log-in**, or click "New Account Registration" to create an account. You will receive an email stating your request was processed.
 - Select the district with which you are associated for this plan. If you are not associated with a district, select "Zeta Test" as your district.
 - You will receive confirmation of receipt of the request and your password. If you select the "Zeta Test" district, on the Indicator 14 Report, you will see the past two statewide survey years rather than a district and a statewide report for the most recent survey year. You will be able to save and print your TIP.

Create Your GRIP Account, Teams and Plans

- My Toolbox. You will always be at the "My Toolbox" page when you log in.
 This is where you create, view and manage all your individual and team plans. There are three main features on this page.
 - My Account. This is your editable log-in information. The password assigned is auto-generated.
 Click "edit your account" to change this or any other account information.
 - My Teams. These are the teams you have either created or been invited to join and have accepted. If you are the "Leader" of this team, you can edit or delete the team. Set-up your team prior to clicking "Start New Plan" so the team is developed before beginning your Plan.
 - My Plans. These are the individual and team plans that are associated with your username and password. If you are on a team, you can view and edit that plan. If you created an individual plan, only you can view and edit your plan. You can edit an individual or team plan if it is open (there will be an edit link), view a pdf of your plan, or delete this plan. Click "Start New Plan" to begin. If you don't see your team listed in the dropdown menu of the page that opens, go back to the "My Teams" yellow box and click "Build a New Team".

GRIP Website

Linked sites

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- 3. **WiPSO** this website houses the Indicator 14/Post School Outcomes (PSO) data collection and reporting tools for Indicator 14, district and statewide reports, and password protected district reports and tools.
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To become familiar with the website and prepare to complete a GRIP, view these left-hand links:

- Home. View the GRIP introduction
- Our Mission. "Improving Outcomes through Planning" (and doing!)
- Contact Us. Easily send Jenny Jacobs or Mary Kampa a question or comment about the TIP/GRIP websites
- **Resources**. These are the Resources used prior to and during the GRIP trainings. You will want to personalize, review or make copies of make copies of some of these prior to starting a GRIP site.

Introduction

- GRIP Getting Started and Building Your GRIP Teams
- Brief Overview of the GRIP Tools
- WISEdash Quick Help Sheet
- Graduation and Dropout Rates Review
- PEFA Beliefs

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- GRIP Sample Agendas (personalize for your training)
- GRIP Ratings and Next Steps Planning Example
- GRIP At A Glance One Page
- GRIP Full Web View

GRIP Training PowerPoints

- Overview of TIG Transition and Graduation Tools
- GRIP Directions
- Learn More. View resources, citations, evidence-based practices and other high quality materials the Learn More and Resources
 - **Learn More/Resources.** View citations, expected benefits, websites, impact of programming, and high quality resources and evidence-based practices.

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