

What is MTSS?

MTSS is a multi-tiered system of supports that helps educators provide academic and behavioral strategies for students with various needs.

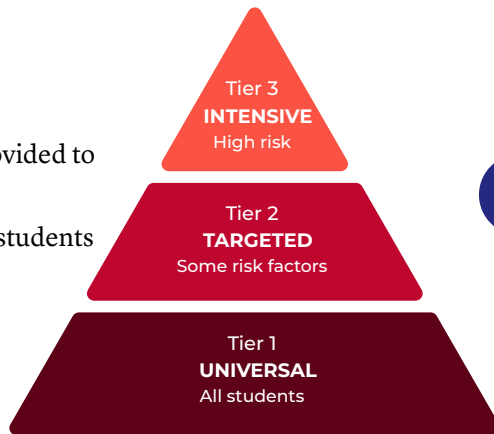
4 KEY COMPONENTS

Every district's MTSS is unique depending on individual context, but there are a few essential components that make up an MTSS:

1. Screening
Screening is generally conducted three times a year to identify students who may be at risk for poor outcomes and need additional supports.

2. Tiered interventions

- Universal support is provided to all students.
- Targeted support is for students who require additional assistance.
- Intensive support is for students with the most significant needs.



3. Data-based decision-making
Data collection and analysis can include academic assessments, behavioral or social-emotional observations, and more.

4. Progress monitoring
Progress monitoring data is a critical tool for decision-making within the MTSS framework. It can guide educators in moving a student through the various tiers of support or making other adjustments to their educational plan.

