What does the South Central Comprehensive Center do?

The South Central Comprehensive Center (SC3) at the University of Oklahoma is one of 15 Regional Comprehensive Centers funded by the U.S. Department of Education to support state departments of education in implementing the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). SC3 supports Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico, and Oklahoma.

Are services evaluated?

SC3’s services are evaluated to ensure they are high quality, relevant, and useful to its client states.

95% Quality
98% Relevance
96% Usefulness

*Percentage of respondents who Agreed or Strongly Agreed with statements evaluating these respective areas for services delivered between July 1, 2016, and June 30, 2017.

What are some examples of projects SC3 is working on in its states and region?

SC3 Region
- Equity and Diversity
- Formative Assessment
- ESSA State Plan Implementation

Arkansas
- Strategic Performance Management
- Student-focused Learning Systems
- Standards Implementation
- Educator Shortage Predictor Model

Louisiana
- ESL Coaches Initiative
- State Systemic Improvement Plan
- Support for English Learners
- Support for Students with Disabilities

New Mexico
- Arts Integration
- Principals Pursuing Excellence
- Teachers Pursuing Excellence

Oklahoma
- Curriculum Frameworks Development
- Teacher and Leader Effectiveness Framework
- Comprehensive State Literacy Plan
- Advanced Learning Opportunities

Special Focus

Due to the number of American Indian students in the SC3 region, SC3 has a special focus on support to address their needs.

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