

**WOLFPACK WORKS:  
Activities Report  
Updated January 4, 2019**

**Timeline of Major Activities in Wolfpack WORKS: Activities in bold are complete**

Time Period	Activities
<b>April &amp; May 2018</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Hire a project manager and graduate assistants</li> <li>✓ Select participating school districts and initiate MOU</li> <li>✓ Adapt the 10 essential practices in literacy instruction to NC standards</li> <li>✓ Meet with the Advisory Council to refine practices and program approach</li> <li>✓ Develop indicator checklist for coaching tool to accompany practices</li> <li>✓ Coordinate with the New Teacher Support Program</li> <li>✓ Identify and subcontract with an external evaluation team (SSRI/Duke) and work with the team to complete the logic model and evaluation plans</li> </ul>
<b>June &amp; July 2018</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>Initiate development of learning modules: hire videographer, web developer, content developer</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Develop research and evaluation protocols, surveys, and consents, obtain NC State IRB approval</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Hire and train 20 university-based literacy coaches</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Support school districts with hiring and/or contracting for interventionists</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Secure venues and develop the 2-day regional professional development program</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Survey teachers who are finishing their first year of teaching in the partner districts about resources needed</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Establish partnerships with 2 comparison districts for research and evaluation purposes</b></li> </ul>
<b>August 2018</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>Conduct six 2-day regional professional development programs</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Build capacity of district personnel by inviting principals and LEA-based coaches to the launch of the professional development program</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Convene district leader meeting</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Administer baseline surveys to all participating teachers</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Hire and train graduate student data collectors</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Produce first progress report for NCDPI</b></li> </ul>

<p><b>Fall 2018</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ <b>Implement the College of Education learning management system for K-2 teachers to access</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Identified and secured digital, distance-coaching tools (Zoom and GoReact)</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Conduct beginning-of-year observations of literacy instruction in K-2 teachers' classrooms</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Monitor university-based literacy coaches' relations with K-2 teachers and LEA-based coaches</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Support partner districts in recruiting and hiring interventionists to assist beginning teachers in working with students needing extra reading support</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Host RtA diagnostic assessment trainings at NC State for coaches, beginning teachers and interventionists in partner districts</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Identify and secure literacy instructional resources for K-2 teachers</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Secure venues and conduct three 1-day winter regional professional development programs for K-2 teachers (December)</b></li> <li>✓ <b>Administer mid-year surveys to all participating teachers</b></li> <li>● Complete development of 10 learning modules (<b>4 modules completed, 6 in process</b>)</li> <li>● Produce mid-year progress report for NCDPI (in process)</li> </ul>
<p><b>January thru June 2019</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Continue to use the learning management system and monitor work of university-based literacy coaches</li> <li>● Conduct focus group with subset of participating teachers</li> <li>● Secure venues and conduct two 1-day spring regional professional development programs for K-2 teachers (April)</li> <li>● Administer end-of-year surveys to all participating teachers</li> <li>● Conduct end-of-year observations of literacy instructions in K-2 teachers' classrooms</li> <li>● Make learning modules available on line for all reading teachers</li> <li>● Analyze outcome data for evaluation</li> <li>● Produce final report for NCDPI</li> </ul>