Overview of the System & Management
Cobb Teaching & Learning System

“Assessment has been about what students know. Assessment should be a tool used by teachers to effect positive change in instruction for each and every student.”

Chris Ragsdale
Superintendent

The Cobb Teaching & Learning System (CTLS) supports the District priorities by empowering CCSD teachers and administrators to use data to make decisions:

• Designed by CCSD, the system allows teachers, students and parents to access all necessary learning resources for student success in one web-based location.
• Provides a “biopsy” approach to student assessment that allows teachers to gauge student performance and adjust accordingly (formative assessment) as opposed to a traditional “autopsy” approach, which assesses progress near the end of the school year.
• Allows teachers to deliver differentiated and more immediate instruction based on frequent student assessment monitoring. Provides immediate feedback and data to assist teachers in driving classroom instruction.
• Gives parents access to on-demand resources so they can support their student at home.
• CCSD is a pioneer in development and implementation of this formative approach to education and is receiving national recognition for its design and theory.