What the CIO/DTC and District STLP Coordinator (if applicable) should do:

- Consider forming a committee of school STLP Coordinators to help collect evidence
- Contact State STLP Coordinator to discuss and begin the review process
- Submit the evidence for Titanium/Platinum Status by posted deadline

Prerequisite for applying: All schools within district must have achieved Gold Status prior to district submitting application. Districts apply one time for this award.

A District’s hard work on behalf of STLP should be recognized. This rubric is used to determine when a district has reached Titanium or Platinum status. Platinum is the highest award for a district. A district that has reached Titanium may reapply for Platinum.

Districts may submit their evidence in any format they choose. However, all evidence should be in digital form (scanned if necessary) and available online. Many districts will choose to utilize a website specifically for this process.

District Award: High Degree of Involvement at All Five Levels

- Titanium (400 - Up to 450 points needed)
- Platinum (451-500 points needed)

**SCHOOL LEVEL (Total per level 100 Points)**

Do all STLP schools in the district have projects that support instruction?
(Up to 5 points)
**Documentation: List the instructional projects by school. (At least one project type per school)**

Do all STLP schools in the district have projects that support the community?
(Up to 5 points)
**Documentation: List the community projects by school. (At least one project type per school)**

Do all STLP schools in the district have projects that support technical needs in the school or district?
(Up to 5 points)
**Documentation: List the technical projects by school. (At least one project type per school)**

Are there opportunities in all schools for STLP students to build leadership skills?
(Up to 10 points)
**Documentation: List the projects or activities that build leadership by school**

Do all STLP schools encourage entrepreneurial thinking/opportunities for students?
(Up to 10 points)
**Documentation: Memos, emails, expenditures by school**

Do all STLP schools have schedules that allow interested students to participate and join anytime?
(Up to 15 points)
**Documentation: Multi schedules to show how students participate or join in each school**

Do all STLP schools in the district have multi grades/ages/membership?
(Up to 25 points)
**Documentation: Enrollment numbers by school, gap groups, gender**

Do schools have stories/examples of students that have been impacted from participating in STLP?
(Up to 25 points)
**Documentation: At least 25 stories from teachers, staff, parents, grandparents and community (different students, schools) just include the person reporting the story. No student names are needed.**
RUBRIC: TITANIUM/PLATINUM STATUS

DISTRICT LEVEL (Total per level 100 Points)

Does the CIO/DTC/District provide support with district coordinator, stipends or letters of commitment? (Up to 5 points)
Documentation: Board approval of stipend, coach’s pay, letter of commitment

Does CIO/DTC/District provide support with STLP camps or special sessions? (Up to 5 points)
Documentation: Camp registration or schedule docs

Does CIO/DTC/District provide support with internships, work or independent studies? (Up to 5 points)
Documentation: List of businesses or school system internship dates, work schedules

Does the CIO/DTC/District provide support with scholarships opportunities? (Up to 15 points)
Documentation: Awards program, newspaper articles, emails that support the KATC scholarships, business STLP scholarships started by district

Does the principal of each school and the CIO/DTC/District provide support for a district showcase? (Up to 15 points)
Documentation: Schedules, brochures of event, URL at KDE of date

Does the CIO/DTC recognize projects that impact a school and/or community? (Up to 15 points)
Documentation: Announcements, brochures

Does the CIO/DTC recognize outstanding STLP models in the district? (Up to 15 points)
Documentation: Description of models that meet the needs of district/school

Does the school district have all schools registered as state recognized STLP? (Up to 25 points)
Documentation: State recognized list for district showing all schools in district

UNIVERSITY/REGIONAL LEVEL (Total per level 100 Points)

Does a school in the district have students that attend a fall showcase? (Up to 10 points)
Documentation: List of students, brochure or schedule from showcase

Does a school in the district have students participating in the fall showcase? (Projects, cyber-reporters, services, presenters, engineers) (Up to 20 points)
Documentation: Student rubrics, registration, brochure or schedule from showcase

Does the CIO/DTC/District support a school attending a fall showcase? (Up to 15 points)
Documentation: Bus schedule, expenditures, subs

Does the district have more than one school attending fall showcase? (Up to 20 points)
Documentation: List of all schools attending

Does a school in a district provide a judge for fall showcase? (Parent, teacher, staff, community member) (Up to 20 points)
Documentation: Provide name of service or product

Does a district provide DTC/CIO/TIS to support the fall showcase? (Up to 15 points)
Documentation: List of TIS that have helped at school level, district level and attending regional showcase
RUBRIC: TITANIUM/PLATINUM STATUS

STATE LEVEL (Total per level 100 Points)

Did the district support STLP schools (students or coordinators/coaches) attending State Championship?  
(Up to 5 points)

Documentation: List of ways in which support is offered

Does a school in the district have students attending State Championship in a category of Invited Projects, Presenters, Cyber-Reporters, Products, Services, and/or Live Performance Competitions?  
(Up to 10 points)

Documentation: Registration copy

Does a school in the district participate in any collaborative projects, activities or events in the school, district, state or nations?  
(Up to 20 points)

Documentation: Lists ways in which schools collaborate.

Does a school in the district provide a judge to support the statewide event this year or last?  
(Up to 20 points)

Documentation: Judges name in registration database

Does a school in the district have gold or silver status?  
(Up to 25 points)

Documentation: Copy of the gold/silver certificate, or list from

Do all schools in the district have gold status?  
(Up to 20 points)

Documentation: Copy of the gold certificates for all schools, or list from

NATIONAL LEVEL (Total per level 100 Points)

How has the school gained recognition nationally due to STLP? How has a student been recognized nationally due to involvement in STLP? This can be in the last five years.  
(Up to 100 points)

Documentation: News release, certificate, national magazine, ThinkQuest Winner, web sites  
(Outside KY, ISTE schedule, NSBA schedule, any national organization)