Strategic Plan 2009-2012 Year 3 Priorities



Goals

- Student Achievement
- Student Engagement
- Safe, Welcoming Schools
- Parent & Community Partnerships
- Communications
- Effective Use of Resources

Student Achievement

ALL STUDENTS WILL MEET OR EXCEED PROFICIENCY IN CORE CONTENT AREAS.

- A. Essential Learning
- B. Instruction
- C. Assessment
- D. Narrowing the Achievement Gap
- E. Gifted & Talented Education (GATE)

Student Achievement Actions

- Implementation of Response to Instruction and Intervention (RtI²), accelerating instruction for all learners
- Refine completed Pacing Guides and Paced Standards Assessments
- Professional Development Cycle of Effective Instruction with periodic assessments
- Leverage the experts among us
- Research based instructional practices

Student Achievement Actions

- Culture of Collaboration and Support (K-12)
- Universal Screening
- Redesign the Instructional Materials Matrix
- Review GATE qualifications and placement
- Focus on instructional data to guide and adjust learning goals
- Implementation of English Learner Task Force
- Special Education Collaboration
- High School Career Pathways/Graduation

Student Engagement

STUDENTS WILL BE CHALLENGED WITH ACADEMIC RIGOR, ENGAGED WITH RELEVANCE, AND PROVIDED OPPORTUNITIES TO EXPLORE A VARIETY OF EDUCATIONAL OPTIONS.

- A. Identify & Publicize Enrichment Opportunities
- B. Increase Program Personalization
- C. Solicit & Utilize Community Participation

Student Engagement Actions

- Set measurable goals correlated to curricular programs, co-curricular programs and connectedness and engagement in schools
- Common expectations for classroom practices to maximize student engagement
- Assess the current student feedback process
- Parent and student surveys to assess student engagement
- Plans for Career Pathways and Linked Learning

Safe, Welcoming Schools

STUDENTS WILL LEARN AND STAFF WILL WORK IN A SAFE, WELCOMING ENVIRONMENT.

- A. Build School Pride & Morale
- B. Enhance Parent & Community Involvement
- C. Training to Facilitate the Creation of Safe & Welcoming Schools
- D. Improve District and School Safety

Safe, Welcoming Schools Actions

- Provide annual staff training on current safety issues: cyber-crime, bullying & substance abuse
- Develop anti-bullying strategies and support
- Workshops for staff, students & parents to collaborate to better understand cultural awareness and proficiency
- Continue the Canine Detection Program
- Expand the After School Education & Safety Program (ASES)

Safe, Welcoming Schools Actions

- Develop Comprehensive School Safety Plan Template
- Readiness and Emergency Management in Schools (REMS) support and integration with Comprehensive School Safety Plans
- Emergency Operation Center (EOC) training

Parent & Community Partnerships

WE WILL DEVELOP MEANINGFUL PARTNERSHIPS WITH OUR PARENTS AND COMMUNITY, ALL CONTRIBUTING TO THE SUPPORT OF OUR STUDENTS IN ACHIEVING SUCCESS.

- A. Expand Parent/School Partnerships
- B. Develop Business & Community/School Partnerships

Parent & Community Partnerships Actions

- Expand District Advisory Committee role
- Feeder schools continue meeting to share successes
- Continue Principal for the Day Program
- Expand Community and Business Partnerships with Schools
- Expand the OUSD website's Master Events
 Calendar to include additional academic events

Communications

WE WILL BE A TRANSPARENT ORGANIZATION THAT IS CHARACTERIZED BY OPEN, TWO-WAY 21ST CENTURY COMMUNICATION.

A. Evaluate & Update the District Communications Plan

Communications Actions

- Superintendent's Forum Classified & Certificated
 Staff Representatives
- Superintendent's Roundtable Parent Group Representatives
- Podcasts
- Blackboard Connect
- Update District & School Websites
- Update the Community Resources Page

Effective Use of Resources

WE WILL USE OUR RESOURCES EFFECTIVELY WITHIN A CULTURE OF SYSTEMIC PRACTICES THAT SUPPORT OUR PRIORITIES FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING.

- A. Priority Budgeting
- B. Maximize Revenue & Minimize Expenditures
- C. Standardize & Expand the Use of Technology in Classrooms

Effective Use of Resources Actions

- Prioritize goals based on student achievement needs
- Cabinet review of all purchase requisitions and ERCAs
- Recognizing schools for increasing attendance
- Encourage parents to reimburse the district for lost Average Daily Attendance (ADA)
- Recognizing schools for reducing energy consumption
- Market Surplus Properties to maximize on-going revenue

Strategic Plan Extension

April 2009 – Strategic Plan Development

June 2009 — Budget Reductions Start

September 2009 – Plan Implementation

June 2010 — More Budget Reductions

June 2011 - Budget Cuts Continue

Today - No Budget Relief in Sight

June 2012 — Original Plan was to be Modified/Replaced due to New Goals & Realities

June 2014 — Plan Extension

Continued Focus -

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