HOWARD LAKE-WAVERLY-WINSTED PUBLIC SCHOOLS STRATEGIC PLAN



2024-2029

CORE VALUES

Safety and Well-Being • Results Oriented • Collaboration • Focus on Learning

BELIEF STATEMENTS

- Our schools can guarantee learning for all students.
- Our communities are better together.
- Relationships built on respect, safety, transparency, communication, and empowerment are central to the success of our schools and our communities.
- All students can be successfully prepared for their future.

MISSION

Creating opportunities for all students through relationships, collaboration, and empowerment.

VISION

Every Laker, Every Day



| FOCUS AREAS | GOALS | OBJECTIVES |
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| Student Achievement and Well-Being | Goal 1: All students perform at or above expectations. | Objective 1.1: We will annually evaluate the success and development of meeting the five goals of the WBWF plan: All children are ready for school. All third-graders can read at grade level. All racial and economic achievement gaps between students are closed. All students are ready for career and college. All students graduate from high school. Objective 1.2: We will annually evaluate the success of meeting the goals of the READ Act. Every child reading at or above grade level every year, beginning in kindergarten. Support multilingual learner and students receiving special |
| | | education services in achieving their individualized reading goals. Objective 1.3: Monitor student learning on a timely basis. Objective 1.4: Provide additional time and support until student becomes proficient. Objective 1.5: Actively teach and assess student professional skills, e.g. executive, soft, life. |
| | Goal 2: All students feel they belong and are supported. | Objective 2.1: Identify essential learning outcomes and proficiency targets. Objective 2.2: Identify and deploy assessment tools to measure student sense of belonging. Objective 2.3: Create and implement instruction and support. Objective 2.4: Seek additional opportunities to support student well-being. |
| Effective Resource Management | Goal 3: Effective and efficient use of resources. | Objective 3.1: Publish accessible reports relating to district resources. Objective 3.2: Establish and maintain unassigned fund balance at policy level. Objective 3.3: Annually manage and monitor ongoing facility needs and use of space. Objective 3.4: Annually evaluate, manage, and allocate resources aligned to prioritized learning needs. Objective 3.5: Increase program opportunities for students within the community. |
| Family Partnership and Community Engagement | Goal 4: Demonstrate HLWW school communities as the BEST choice for students, staff, and residents. | Objective 4.1: Provide communication that enhances collaboration between school and community. Objective 4.2: Increase/create number of community partnerships from X to Y. Objective 4.3: Increase HLWW's presence within community activities. Objective 4.4: Seek new ways to involve families in learning and activities. |
| Staff Development and Support | Goal 5: Create and maintain a collaborative culture, focused on learning and results. | Objective 5.1: All staff teams are committed to guaranteeing high levels of learning for all students, collaborating, and focusing on results. Objective 5.2: Develop and implement an enhanced mentorship and professional development plans. Objective 5.3: Instructional staff are organized into meaningful teams. Objective 5.4: Time set aside for collaboration. Objective 5.5: Focus team goals on learning and measurable results. |