



The Plattsburgh City School District is excited to start the process of strategic planning. Our district mission statement will be our compass for the journey ahead. The District-wide Educational Committee (DWEIC) will be leading this endeavor, but this committee knows in order to re-focus and unite our district around our mission, the process must be a collective effort. DWEIC will strive to ensure transparency and communication surrounding the steps of this process and will provide opportunities for stakeholders to have a voice. While our work may be challenging at times, we firmly believe this strategic planning is the next integral step for our district. We look forward to all we can accomplish, together.

Our Mission

Our mission is to educate each student of the Plattsburgh City School District by creating challenging, supportive, and interactive learning that advances intellectual, physical, social, and cultural development.

Our Culture

Our culture is built by hard working people.
Compassion, collaboration, empathy, and supportive feedback lead our way.

Our Commitment

We are committed to modeling and maintaining safe, respectful, and responsible learning environments.

We are committed to preserving and promoting a school culture that champions positivity, diversity, teamwork, and an inclusive school climate.

We are committed to increasing family and community involvement in order to accelerate student success and reach our student-centered mission.

We are committed to utilizing research based instructional practices and innovative tools to support each student's progress, development, and achievement.

We are committed to providing continuous professional learning and growth opportunities across our district to build well-rounded leaders, effective teachers, and exemplary employees.



Our Core Beliefs

We believe that learning is a lifelong process.

We believe in building to building collaboration.

We believe in the power of resilience and perseverance.

We believe in pursuing excellence by making our best better.

We believe in the ongoing process of preparing each student for life.

We believe each person deserves a network of trust, kindness, acceptance, and support within our schools and our community.

We believe self-awareness, self-management, social awareness, relationship skills, and responsible decision-making are essential to building productive citizens.

Our Community

We will explore opportunities to inform and connect with families in our community.

We will maintain a fiscally sound, transparent, and responsible budget that is mindful of our local taxpayers.

We will partner with our local workforce to complement the skills our students are building in the classroom.

We will work closely with community leaders to develop an infrastructure of growth, shared vision, opportunity, and community pride.

We will work toward mutual success with our local partnerships to provide better student outcomes and support the future advancement of the community.

We will expand educational opportunities for all children with the aim of educating each student at or above grade level.

We will pursue unity and uplift our community by publicly acknowledging and celebrating the achievements of our outstanding students, parents, faculty members, staff, administrators, and community leaders.

We will increase our efforts to strengthen the education profession by coaching, advancing, and retaining both veteran and novice educators.