

Mission

Empower all learners to:

Aspire to reach their highest potential

Explore their passions and interests

Discover their pathway to success

Connect with each other, the community, and the world

Vision

District 34 will be an inclusive, equitable school system that provides comprehensive, authentic learning experiences to develop the whole child. []

All learners will: 🛛

- Build skills as critical and creative thinkers and communicators
- Show confidence, resilience and self-direction in pursuing their interests, tracking their progress, and sharing their learning and growth []
- Be citizens of character who contribute to their community and embrace diversity and individual differences

All staff will: 🛛

- Commit to student academic growth and social-emotional well-being
- Value learner voice and choice and provide consistent instruction in a welcoming, flexible, innovative, and motivational environment []
- Pursue professional learning, collaboration and collective inquiry as learners themselves

All families and the community will: 🛛

- Collaborate with the District to foster student academic growth and social-emotional well-being
- Partner with the District to provide authentic, extended learning experiences D
- Demonstrate pride in and understanding of the District's work, successes, opportunities, and needs I

Core Values

District 34's core values guide behaviors, actions and decisions.

Growth & Aspirations: We are forward-focused on the academic and social-emotional growth of students and the professional growth of staff, and on creating the best future for our community.

Diversity, Inclusion & Equity: We embrace and welcome the differences of each member of our community and provide equitable resources to meet the needs of all learners.

Relationships & Respect: We build collaborative, respectful relationships through trust, open communication, and shared responsibility and accountability. **Stewardship**: We are diligent stewards of our resources.

| Goals | Strategies | Suggested Measures |
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| Student Success & Well-Being: Provide a comprehensive education that supports deep learning and social-emotional growth. | Redefine student success to open doors for students to explore varied pathways Ensure articulation and programming that facilitates smooth social, emotional, and academic transitions from school to school Use data to provide differentiated instruction to meet the academic needs of each learner, improve overall growth and achievement, and narrow achievement gaps Provide opportunities for the earliest learners to establish a strong academic and social-emotional foundation | Early learning readiness Student growth and achievement in reading, math and social-emotional learning Achievement gaps Student satisfaction Student attendance Student engagement Co-curricular participation |
| Educator Growth & Support: Attract, retain, and support quality, collaborative staff who demonstrate content expertise and provide consistent, impactful instruction. | Foster a positive climate, culture and competitive compensation to attract, support, and retain high-quality staff Maximize the return on the investment of resources for staff collaboration, professional learning, and shared leadership Create innovative opportunities that allow students and teachers to co-facilitate and explore their interests, use technology, and interact with problem-based, real-world application | Staff performance Staff retention Staff satisfaction Staff compensation Certifications in identified areas of need Staff diversity |
| Parent & Community Partnerships: Build strong partnerships with families and the community to create a system of care, support, and extended learning opportunities for students. | Provide parents with tools, resources, and relevant, consistent information to connect with the school and support their child's progress Ensure clear and accurate communication so all community members can understand District programs, initiatives and performance Increase partnerships to provide students with authentic learning experiences, service-learning opportunities, and exposure to career pathways | Parent and community awareness of District initiatives, successes, opportunities and needs Parent satisfaction Parent engagement Community satisfaction Community and volunteer partnerships |
| Resource Stewardship: Demonstrate effective and responsible use of resources. | Address aging facilities and deferred maintenance to provide safe, clean, and well-maintained facilities Equitably and responsibly allocate resources of time, space and scheduling to enhance programming and best instructional practices and meet the needs of all learners | ISBE annual recognition status Annual audit Annual budget Condition of facilities Long-range facility plan |





Strategic Plan 2015-2020

MISSION

To inspire a passion for learning that empowers all students to achieve *personal excellence*

VISION

Students will achieve **personal excellence** when everyone demonstrates:

- Commitment to continuous
 improvement
- High expectations for academic, social, emotional and behavioral growth
- Effective collaboration, communication, critical thinking and creativity
- Ownership, responsibility and accountability for growth and development

GOALS

- Continuous Student Growth & Achievement
- Supportive Learning Environment
- High Quality Workforce
- Family and Community Partnerships
- Efficient and Effective Use of Resources

CORE VALUES/COMMITMENTS

IOCH SCHOOL DISTRICT 34

We believe students learn in **different** ways and at different rates.

Inspiring personal excellence.

We believe it is our responsibility to guide students towards **self-sufficiency**, **ownership**, **responsibility** and **accountability** for their own learning.

We believe in providing a **safe and secure environment** in order to foster a community of collaborative learners.

We value continuous improvement through teamwork, collaboration and shared leadership at all levels.

We believe a **high quality staff** is essential to a high-achieving school system.

We believe that **corroborative partnerships and effective communication** among the community, home and school accelerates student success.

We believe the District must be a **good steward** of community resources.

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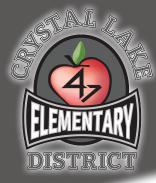
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STRATEGIC PLAN

The 2017-2018 strategic planning process called Forward 47

was driven by stakeholders — engaging parents, community

members, board members, staff, administrators, and former students in a collaborative effort. The new plan is intended to help shape the District's focus moving forward, build on existing strengths, and provide opportunities for growth over the next five years. In January 2018, the District 47 Board of Education approved the new strategic plan, establishing a set of priorities based on guiding principles designed to improve learning for all students.

OUR VISION

Learners are empowered when they:

- Demonstrate academic growth by being independent and strategic learners.
- Apply the life skills of collaboration, communication, citizenship, character, critical thinking, and creativity in real world situations.
- Set goals, monitor progress, and recognize improvement.
- Learn in an environment that is safe, engaging, and collaborative.
- Are supported by high-quality educators committed to meeting individual needs through relevant and differentiated instruction.
- Are supported by collaborative partnerships that engage families and the community.

What We Stand For

- Collaborative and respectful relationships
- Equitable and timely resources
- Engaged and innovative instruction
- Growth and continuous improvement
- Recognizing and accepting individual differences
- Responsible and accountable stakeholders
- Safe, secure environment
- Social, emotional, and physical well-being

OUR MISSION Why We Exist

EMPOWERING ALL STUDENTS Learners Today-Leaders Tomorrow

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OUR GOALS AND STRATEGIES

What We Will Achieve What Is Our Priority Work



For more information, visit www.d47.org/forward47. #D47pride

EMPOWERING ALL STUDENTS Learners Today-Leaders Tomorrow



Student Growth and Achievement

Ensure maximum development, growth, and achievement for all students

- Align and adjust curriculum and assessment to reflect rigor, relevance, and the 6 Cs critical thinking, collaboration, character, citizenship, creativity, and communication
 - gaps through an improved differentiated instruction, intervention, and enrichment system

Learning Environment

Cultivate a supportive learning environment that is safe, inclusive, innovative, and engaging

- Assess and support the social and emotional needs of all students
- Assess and support PreK through grade 2 early learners who are delayed in their readiness



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OUR GOALS AND STRATEGIES What We Will Achieve

What Is Our Priority Work

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Work Environment

that attracts, develops, and retains high-quality staff

- staff collaboration
- and clear expectations to integrate technology into teaching and learning

Family and Community Partnerships

Engage families and the community as vital partners in the learning process

· Investigate and utilize effective tools and strategies to engage families, businesses, and the community as vital partners in the learning process

Resource Efficiencies

Align resources within a balanced budget to accomplish priorities and ensure equity within the District

- Ensure equity in allocating fiscal and program resources across
 Address facility needs in a timely manner to ensure and program resources across the District to address variances in individual school needs
 - an optimal teaching and learning environment





2019 DISTRICT 105 STRATEGIC PLAN 2024



Empower students to make a difference in our world by assisting them to be self-directed, passionate, lifelong learners.

OUR VALUES

WHAT WE STAND FOR

Continuous improvement Well-being Real world application Transparency Individual differences Collaboration Engagement Integrity Character District 105 strives to be a high performing school district that celebrates the importance of each individual student.

Each student will be a valued member of the school community prepared for future academic, career, and life success.

Each staff member will make a positive difference in the lives of students.

Each family and our communities will feel pride in our work and express confidence that we are good stewards of their resources.