

Parsippany-Troy Hills Board of Education

Board of Education Goals – 2019-2020 **Board Work Session – October 17, 2019** **Board Approved October 17, 2019**

1. Strategic Planning

- Support and be informed by the Superintendent on the continued implementation of the Strategic Plan through annual District Goals as presented on September 26, 2019.

We will serve *all* of our students by focusing on the following goals within a comprehensive and coherent PK-12 framework:

- Our district will create an innovative and rigorous educational experience in a borderless learning community that produces creative students who are problem solvers and self-directed individuals.
- All students will receive social and emotional support to become adaptable, confident citizens who embody self-awareness and strong interpersonal skills, capable of responsible decision-making and managing their emotions and behaviors.
- Our community of adult learners will be fully engaged in professional growth experiences which enable them to continuously hone their craft and maximize student achievement.

2. Budget 2020-2021

- To direct the administration to adhere to the following goals in the construction of the 2020-2021 school operating budget:
 - Manage and control expenses in the operating budget with the goal of achieving an end of the year surplus of 2.5% of the total operating budget
 - Provide adequate funding that does not diminish, to the greatest degree possible, current services to students, including facilities and security and support the goals of the Strategic Plan.
 - Ensure a tax levy of 2% exclusive of the SGLA (spending growth adjustments) and banked cap.

3. Out Reach

- To continue opportunities for school, community, and Municipal engagement.
- To continue to foster communication through the superintendent to all employees.
- To continue to provide timely updates of major district initiatives to all stakeholders.
- To continue to be visible at district and community events.

4. Boardsmanship

- To strengthen our abilities through inservice and development by taking advantage of workshops and seminars.
- Explore best educational practices that support our Board and district goals.
- To continue to build positive Board relations.