

***Every leader tells a story about  
what he or she values ...***

***This year,  
the Sayreville Board of  
Education  
will tell our story ...***

# Purposes and Strategy of Vision

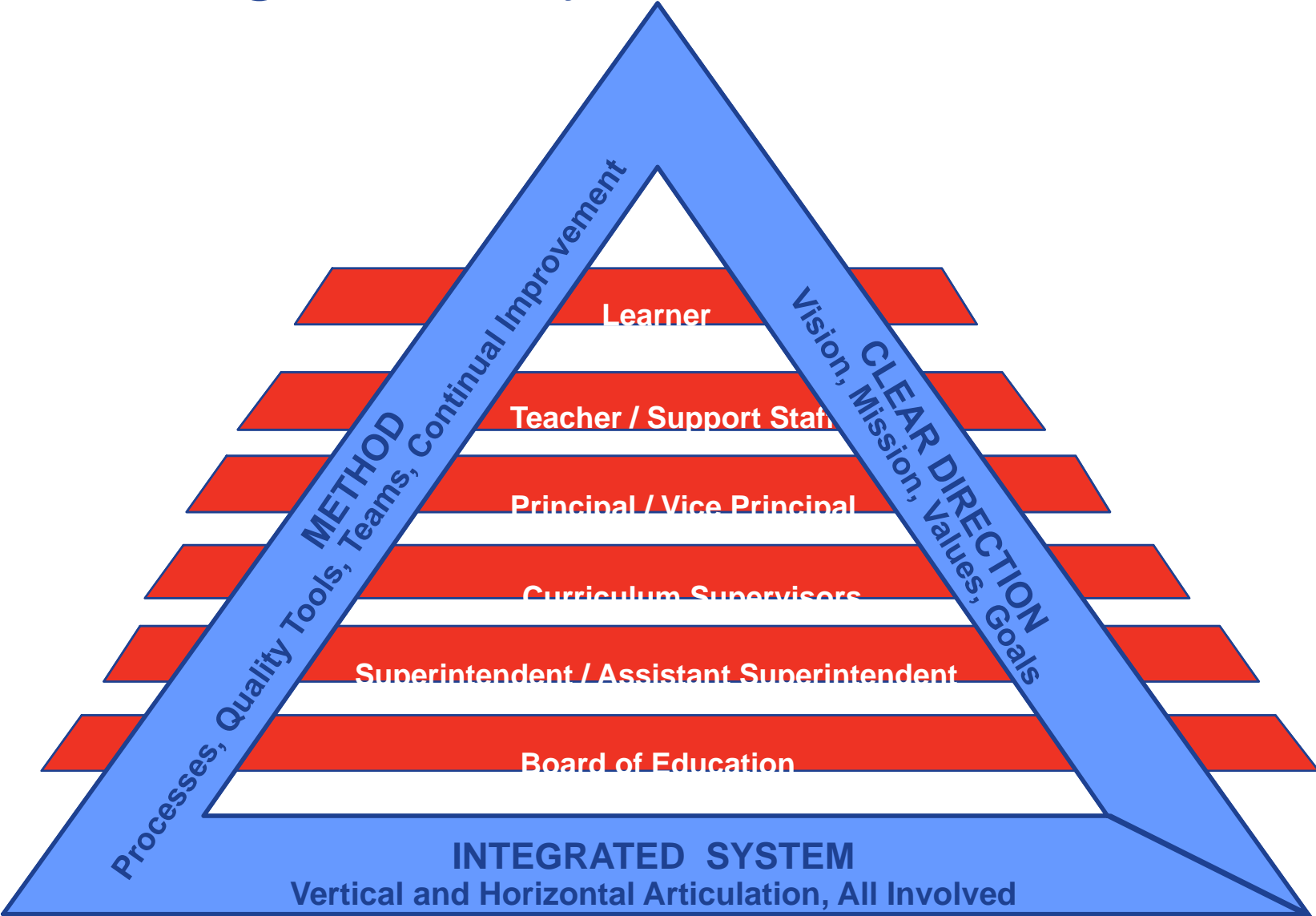
An effectively communicated vision does the following:

- ✓ Creates a shared and meaningful purpose.
- ✓ Inspires passion and interest.
- ✓ Guides decision making and strategy.
- ✓ Conveys values.

A great Board employs the following strategies to bring a vision to life:

- ✓ Know and understand the vision of your organization.
- ✓ Create a vision that supports and contributes to the overall vision of your organization.
- ✓ Communicate your vision in a way that is compelling to those you lead.

# An Integrated System



# If one side is missing

Vision (Leadership)	Skills (HR)	Recognition/ Incentives (HR)	Processes & Resources (HR)	Goals Action Plan (Strategic Plan)	Situation (Data, Results)
<del>Vision Mission</del>	Skills	Recognition/ Incentives	Resources	Goals/ Action Plan	Confusion
Vision Mission	<del>Skills</del>	Recognition/ Incentives	Resources	Goals/ Action Plan	Anxiety
Vision Mission	Skills	<del>Recognition/ Incentives</del>	Resources	Goals/ Action Plan	Gradual Change
Vision Mission	Skills	Recognition/ Incentives	<del>Resources</del>	Goals/ Action Plan	Frustration
Vision Mission	Skills	Recognition/ Incentives	Resources	<del>Goals/ Action Plan</del>	False Starts

# Board of Education Goal 2014-15

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# Know our customer



How prepared are our students when they enter kindergarten?

How many students have the best meal of the day in the school cafeteria?

What is our special education composition?

How many of our students don't feel challenged enough and what challenges are they seeking?

How many students leave first grade reading on grade level?

What social/emotional challenges must we overcome before learning becomes a priority?

How do our English Language Learners overcome the challenge?

Do our students feel safe?



# Expectations of Class of 2030



College  
Admission  
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Unions &  
Trade  
Association  
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Community  
Leaders

Economic  
Trends

Business  
Leaders

Military

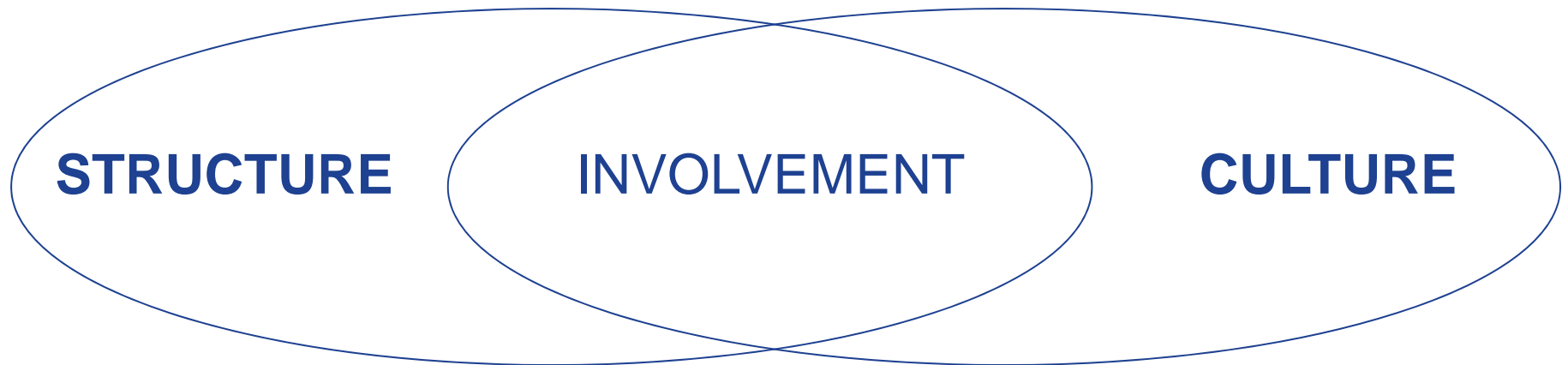
Parents

Employment  
Forecasts

# Defining a Culture ... Once a Bomber

## Leadership Strategies:

1. Design a **structure** that contributes to the delivery of positive **results**.
2. Develop a **culture** that contributes to the demonstration of appropriate **behaviors**.



### *Superintendent Driven*

Reporting Structure  
Job descriptions  
Processes  
Methods of communication



### *Board Driven*

Heritage and Traditions  
Traits and behaviors  
Quality Standards  
Cultural values



# A perspective on culture

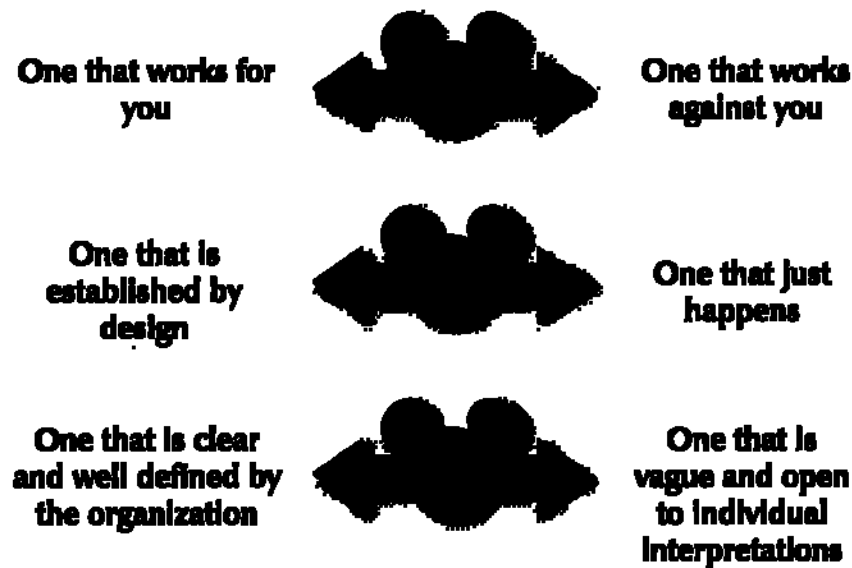
“We spend a lot of time training, but we don’t spend a lot of time defining our culture.”

E. Jane Gallucci,  
Past President, NSBA

# Organizational Culture

Organization culture is the system of values and beliefs an organization holds that drives actions and behaviors, and influences relationships.

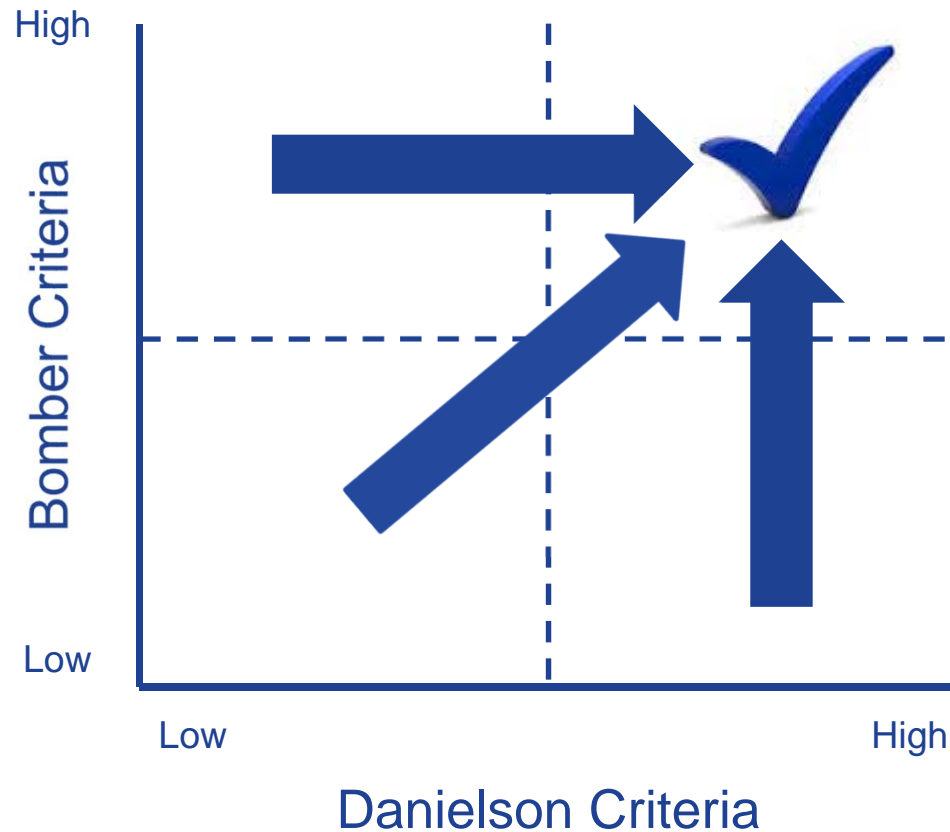
The question is not whether your organization has a corporate culture, but rather, what kind does it have?



***Successful Organizational Cultures: By Design, Well-Defined, Clear to All***

# Dimensions of Educator Success

There are two dimensions to educator success: educational outcomes and the characteristics that make a “Sayreville Bomber”



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