



Summary of April 28, 2021 Strategic Plan Design Team Session

Session 6 opened with a tribute to teachers, in honor of Teacher Appreciation Week. The Design Team members viewed a video titled, [A World Without Teachers](#), and followed up with a discussion generated by two questions:

1. Which former teacher do you most admire? Why?
2. What can we do to ensure that SUSD attracts and retains the best highly qualified teachers?

The next activity included a review of the [Three-Phased Strategic Planning Process](#) and a re-phrasing of possible SUSD Mission Statements for stakeholder consideration.

The session ended with an introduction to the importance of organizational values and values statements. The Design Team examined the values inferred in an array of articles and videos from diverse industries, as well as values contained in the [Transversal Competencies](#). The Design Team divided into four groups to suggest SUSD values and values statements to be considered and refined during Session 7.