

Sayville Public Schools



Board of Education Planning Session
November 2, 2023

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

- Around The District
- Update on Progress Towards Goals





Lincoln Avenue Homecoming



Sunrise Drive Trunk or Treat



Lincoln Avenue Book Vending Machine



Sunrise Drive S.T.R.I.D.E.S. Kick Off



Middle School Halloween Dance

Hispanic Heritage
Month Celebrated
at Elementary
Schools With
L.A.C.E.S.





Empty Bowls Fundraiser



Not-So-Scary Halloween



Halloween Around the District



Girls Varsity Volleyball: Class A County Championships

Boys & Girls Cross Country: County Championships

Boys Varsity Football: Qualifying Round, Div 3, Sec 11

Boys Golf: Section 11, Quarter Finals Section

Swimming & Diving Team: Suffolk County Championships

Girls Varsity Cheerleading Team: Class B Game Day Cheer Suffolk County Championships and NYS Championships

**Athletic Teams
Competing In
Playoff Games!**

Goal #1: Achieving Desired Outcomes

Independent Learners

We want our students to be able to complete tasks with independence and take responsibility for their work. We want them to be resilient when things get hard or challenging. We want them to persevere through challenging tasks and uncomfortable situations, realizing that success takes effort.

Caring Citizens

We want our students to care about others. Caring means being kind to others, respectful, and aware of people's similarities and differences. We want our students to be good citizens, leaders who contribute to our community within Sayville and beyond.

Communicators

We want our students to effectively communicate verbally and in writing, expressing what they know well, advocating for themselves and others.

Collaborators

We want our students to effectively collaborate with each other, work together in small groups to solve problems, and demonstrate the skills to work well with one another, much in the way they will be required to when they enter the modern-day workforce.

Critical Thinkers

We want our students to be able to consume information as critical thinkers, developing the ability to analyze, evaluate, and synthesize information to produce their own conclusions, understandings, theories, or beliefs about the world. We want them to use what they learn to be creators, producers, leaders, or innovators in their chosen field.

Joyful Learners

We want our students to find joy in learning and for their daily experiences in our school system to be positive, happy, and engaging.

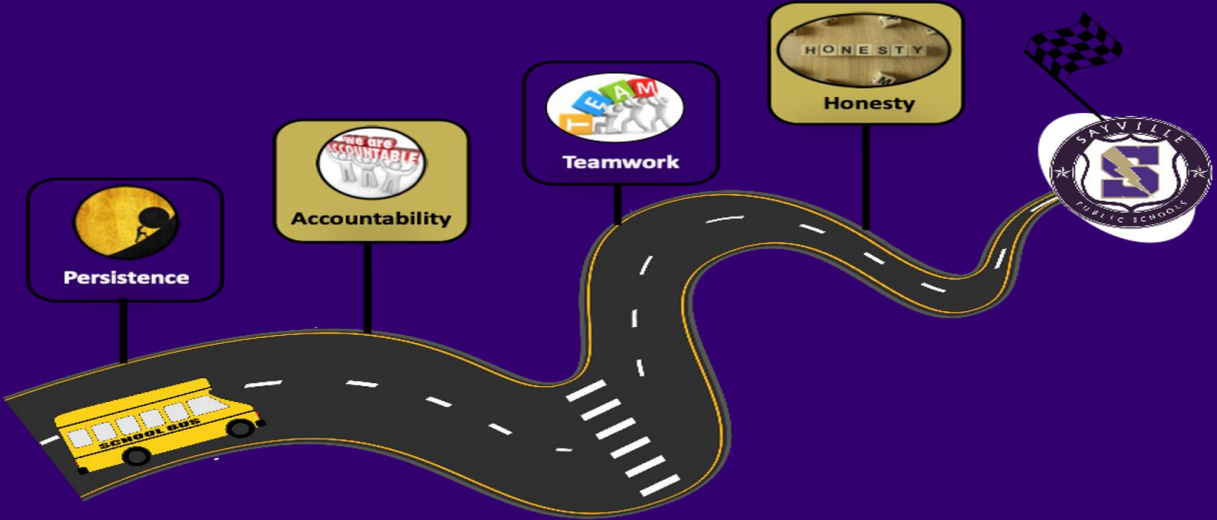
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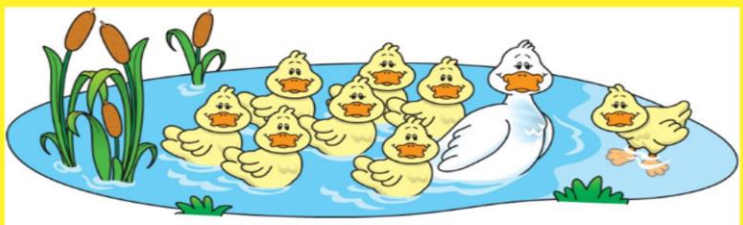
Sayville High School

Proud of yesterday, seizing today, improving tomorrow

C	O	R	E
Connection	Ownership	Resilience	Exploration



Welcome to the pond!
Sunrise Drive Elementary
2023-2024

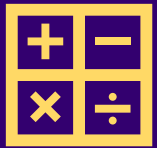


Lincoln
Learns!

CHERRY AVENUE

BACK TO BASICS!!!

Goal #2: Elementary Curriculum & Instruction



- Four committees to study K-5 disciplines



- Widespread Involvement

- Nearly 50 teachers from all five buildings
- Administrators involved in each committee
- Engagement of Faculty at large
- Each committee has met once, each will meet again before December break.



Goal #2: Elementary Curriculum & Instruction



Productive and Collaborative:

- Shared exploration of its topic
- Discussion around current areas of strength, short-term goals, long-term goals



Next task for each committee:

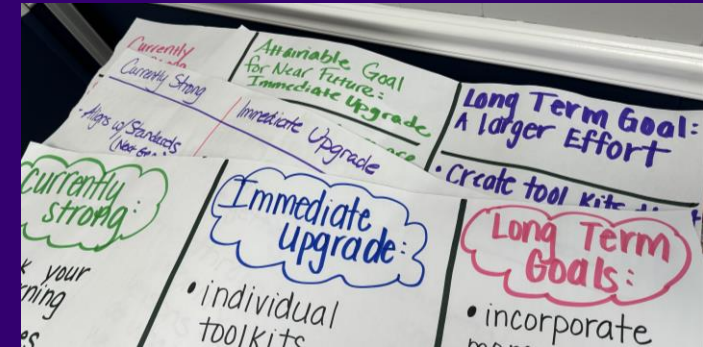
- Identify specific action steps toward goals.



Goal #2: Elementary Curriculum & Instruction

Committee Goals include:

- Examining current systems:
 - Build upon strengths
 - Revisit for any necessary revisions/updates
 - Revise for consistency and clear communication
- Creating new systems



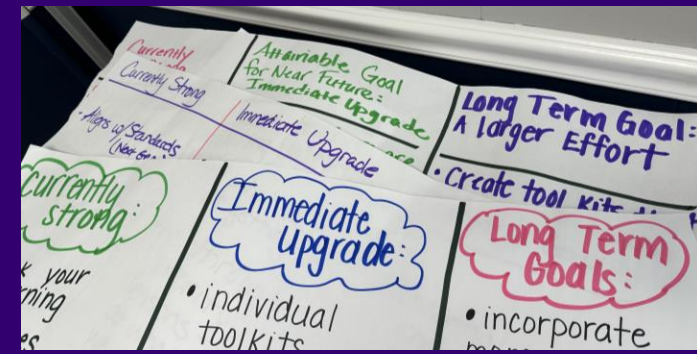
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Committee Goals include:

- Clarifying our scope & sequence documents
- Creating plans for more in-depth curriculum mapping
- Engaging in shared study and discussion about best practices; creating PD plans to scale up to full faculty
- District-wide consistency

Goal #2: Elementary Curriculum & Instruction



Positive Outcomes Extend Beyond Initial Goals!

- Interdisciplinary opportunities emerge
- Secondary teachers' participation encourages collaboration across grade level bands
- Grade level meeting time dedicated to engaging teachers in work that informs the progress of these committees.

Goal # 3 Sense of Belonging & Inclusivity

Multi-tiered Approach

1. Community Connections Continued:

3rd Annual Color Run, Islip Goes Purple Initiative, World Mental Health Day, Anti-Bullying Campaigns, HS Community Connect Day

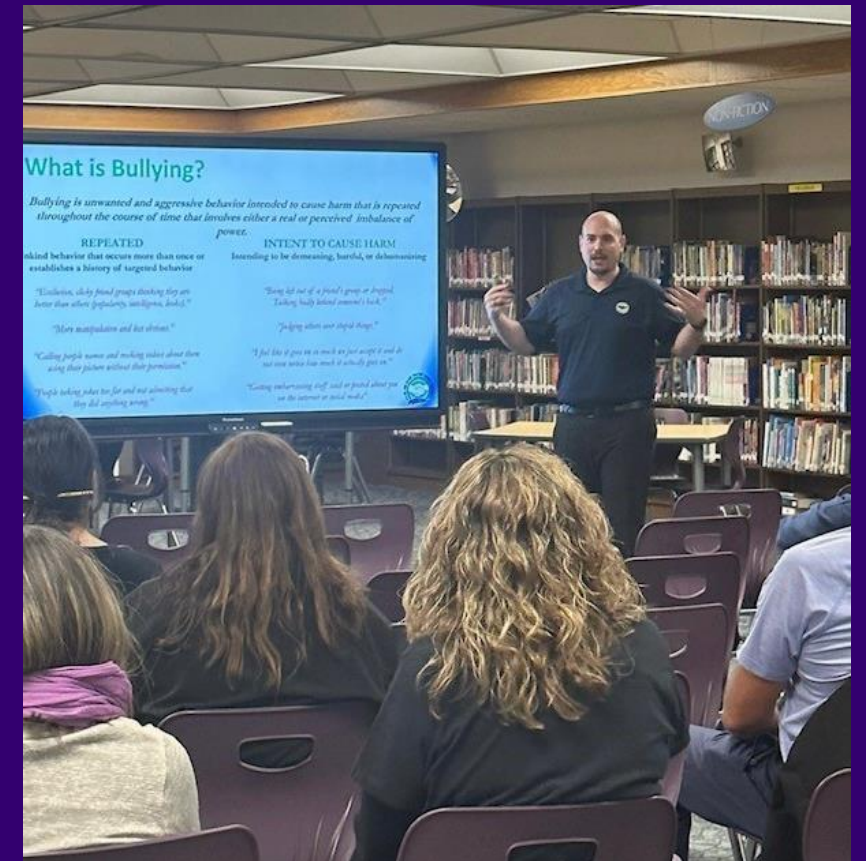


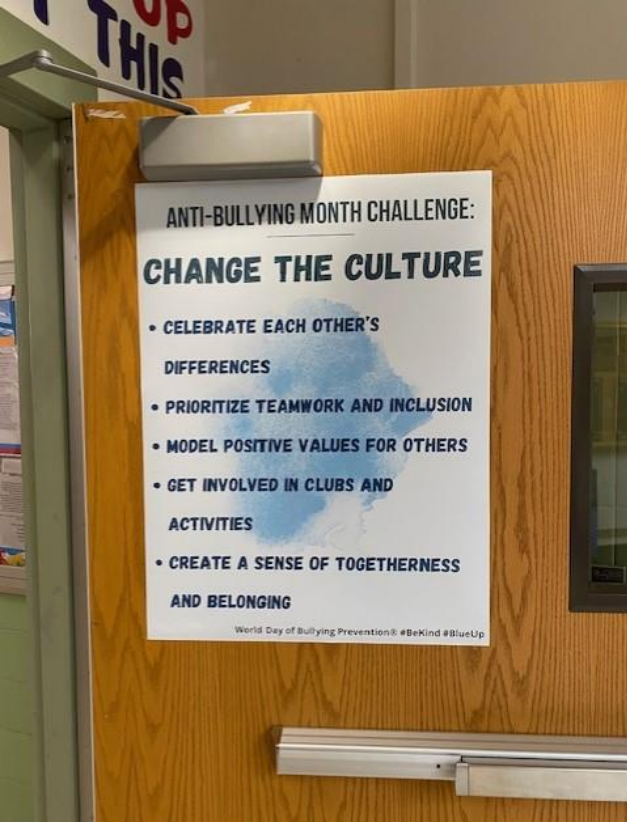
The English dept supports Anti bullying

Goal # 3: Sense of Belonging & Inclusivity

2. Parent Workshops & Participation

- ❖ Anti-Bullying Workshop in October
- ❖ November 14th: Crime Victims Center (Erin's Law & Megan's Law)
- ❖ Other topics for this year: Anxiety, Social Media Dangers, Eating Disorders, Safety
- ❖ We are open to feedback
- ❖ Rapport with PTAs/SEPTA





Goal # 3: Sense of Belonging & Inclusivity

3. Building SEL Committees & Instruction*

- ✓ Monthly lessons in every elementary classroom (self-esteem was first)
- ✓ Anti-Bullying Campaign at the High School
- ✓ Wellness Room at HS
- ✓ Sunrise Drive Kick-off with HS Peer Leaders
- ✓ Lincoln Leader of the Month
- ✓ 6th grade Health Push-ins
- ✓ Family Connect Nights (Jared Campbell, Pickleball Hall)
- ✓ Trauma Informed Classroom PD
- ✓ Cherry Avenue Digital Detox, Parent Resilience Workshop

** Just some of the activities

Goal # 3: Sense of Belonging & Inclusivity



4. Stakeholder Voice

- ❖ Districtwide SEL Committee (DO & Building Administrators, Teachers, PPS Staff, Parents)
- ❖ HS & MS Student Roundtables with a focus on Board Goal # 3

Board Goal #4: Fiscal Planning



2024-2025 Budget Process & Calendar



Infrastructure Update: Energy Performance Contract

Presentation by Energia and Energy Systems Group on November 16th

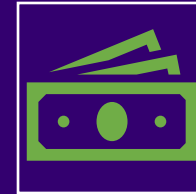
A proposal is being sought from our Architect for an updated five-year Capital Plan



Security

Security Update of 2023-2024 Enhancements will be presented on November 16th

DW Health & Safety Committee conducted first meeting of the year



Maximizing our Earnings: Presentation by Mr. Chris Starr of NYCLASS

Goal 5: Communication



The image shows the ParentSquare logo and three circular icons on a green background. The icons represent a parent and child, a network of four colored nodes, and a family silhouette. Below the icons, the text reads "STAY CONNECTED ParentSquare".

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