

Strategic Plan | Specific Result Report

Goal 1 Action Plan Year 5 Priorities – 2021-2022

Call to Action:

Katy ISD learners, through active engagement, achieve individual success while making positive contributions in an ever-changing world.

Goal 1:

All learning environments will foster engagement by integrating personalized learning experiences.

Specific Result:

1.5 Provide a variety of learning experiences that address distinct learning needs, interest, aspirations and cultural backgrounds of all learners.

Summary Report:

During the fall of 2021, the Division of Teaching and Learning reviewed and evaluated instructional unit plans, resources, and programs to ensure that students have a variety of opportunities to engage in learning experiences that meet their diverse needs and interests.

Katy ISD's unit plans include instructional guidance on how to address students' individual learning needs as well as strategies and resources to meet those needs. Teacher trainings were developed and implemented on providing students choice in their learning, and authentic learning opportunities that are relevant and of interest to them. The Division of Teaching and Learning has also utilized surveys to gather feedback from teachers regarding the professional learning needs they have as it relates to meeting student needs.

Additionally, courses and pathways in Career & Technical Education, Advanced Academics, and Ethnic Studies (Mexican American & African American Studies), have been offered to address student interests, aspirations, and cultural backgrounds. Students are also invited to participate in summer enrichment opportunities that are designed to meet a variety of interests.

Learning pathways are constantly reviewed to ensure that all students have multiple opportunities to engage in coursework that is challenging, relevant, and of interest to them. The Division of Teaching and Learning will continue to provide teacher training, increase academic pathways, and gather student and teacher feedback to ensure that a variety of learning experiences are available to all students.