

Superintendent's Report
August 25, 2022


ALL IN?
Why you?
Together, we'll get through this
LETS MAKE EXCELLENT HAPPEN
Together we keep advancing
Always keep the big picture in mind
DOING MORE
CHANGE TAKES COURAGE
Transform the future for kids
WHAT'S YOUR LEGACY?
Inclusion leads to innovation
"How did it get so late so soon?"
– Dr. Seuss
"THANK YOU"
WHAT YOU DO MATTERS
IS IT TOO MUCH TO ASK?
Let's shape our legacies together.






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Goals 2022-2023

Goal 1- Increase Student Outcomes Through Multiple Pathways and A Data Informed Culture

Utilize data, research, experience, and collaboration to inform instruction and strategic planning.

Openly share data, discussions, and goals to improve academic rigor and performance Pre-K-12.

Create a culture of student agency, where all students are exposed to multiple college and career opportunities.

Goal 2- Improve Communication and Increase Community Engagement

Utilize multiple platforms and outlets to broadcast important information while publicly celebrating and highlighting our students, staff, and district's accomplishments.

Collaborate and be inclusive more often to allow for meaningful discourse with key stakeholders to increase community engagement.

Include opportunity for student voice.

Goal 3- Foster A Sense of Empathy, Community Connectedness, and Pride in Ram Nation

Ensure that students, families, and district staff engage in meaningful and authentic interactions with a focus on mindfulness and mental health supports.

Forge and sustain community partnerships to expand opportunities for students.

Create District-wide opportunities for students and families to celebrate Port Chester Pride and a sense of "Ramily".

Goal 4- Engage in Strategic Planning for Fiscal Responsibilities and Facilities

Collaborate for strategic planning to safeguard fiscal stability.

Take a proactive approach to improve and maintain safe schools and well-maintained facilities and grounds that our community can be proud of.

Review of facilities, budget, and operations for long-term planning purposes.

NYS COVID-19 Guidance For Schools

General Overview

- Students and staff who test positive need to isolate for 5 days. If symptoms improve and fever free may return after day 5. If they return between days 5 and 10, they will need to wear a mask until day 10. This is unchanged from last year and the only requirement.
- Students and staff who are exposed to COVID-19 no longer need to quarantine.
- No requirement for diagnostic or screening testing.
- No requirement to offer testing or mandate testing for unvaccinated staff.
- Test-To-Stay is not a recommended measure of protection
- Schools are no longer recommended to cohort students.
- Contact tracing and notification of positives are no longer required.
- No differences between vaccinated and unvaccinated.
- No differences between indoor and outdoor.
- No differences between staff and students.
- NYS not expected to provide further guidance for schools.