

TO:District 225 Board of EducationFROM:Charles Johns, SuperintendentDATE:December 7, 2020RE:Goals and Initiatives 2020-2021

On Saturday, September 26, the Glenbrook 225 Board of Education and members of the administration met to review the 2019-20 Goals and Initiatives and discuss and confirm the Goals and Initiatives for the 2020-21 school year. The Goals and Initiatives for this school year fall into three categories:

- 1. Communications
- 2. Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion
- 3. Student Safety and Well-being

## **Communications**

- 1. Increasing stakeholder engagement
- 2. Establishing the District as the credible source for district information
- 3. Increasing awareness of district initiatives, challenges, and successes

To accomplish these goals, the District will improve navigation, calendar functionality, and user experience of the District and school websites.

## Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)

- 1. Conduct IASB equity training for school board and Cabinet
- 2. Develop a task force designed to focus on learning more about DEI, including opportunities to learn from experts in the field
- 3. Review the newest programs for
- 4. Include a variety of voices
- 5. Develop a 3-5 year plan to address areas of growth related to DEI

## Student Safety and Well-being

1. Develop a data system to provide an "early-warning" for struggling students

2. Update Board policies related to the safety and well-being of students and staff

## **Policies**

During the 2020-21 school year, a significant number of policies need to be reviewed, revised, or developed. The Policy Committee will address these policies:

2070 Uniform Grievance Procedure
5010 Safety and Security
6010 Nondiscrimination Including Title IX and 504 (and procedures)
6020 Minority Recruitment and Hiring
6080 Tobacco Use Prohibited
6090 Drug, Alcohol, and Tobacco
6330 Educational Support Personnel Sick Leave (and procedures)
6400 Leaves Without Pay Educational Support Personnel (and procedures)
6410 Educational Support Personnel - Vacations (and procedures)
6440 Harassment Employees (and procedures)
8000 Equal Educational and Extra-Curricular Opportunities
8460 Illegal Substances & Paraphernalia
8470 Harassment Students (and procedures)
8480 Hazing and Bullying (and procedures)