Parkrose School District Secondary Professional Development Plan *"Every child reads and thinks critically, and graduates ready for college and career."*

WHY?

• If we collectively and consistently provide instruction in student success skills and WICOR strategies to support our students to be college and career ready

• Providing the scaffolding upon which students develop life-long habits of mind, such as responsibility, accountability, discipline, collaboration, continuous inquiry, and determination meets our vision of a college ready system for Kindergarten-12th grade

• Common and consistent engagement strategies using the integration of WI-COR-AVID strategies into all subjects. Each of these skills are paramount to the implementation and assessment of Common Core State Standards

How?

• Monthly professional learning time (4.5 hours) to support that is focused on teacher needs in our collective area of focus using WICOR and the integration of technology as a learning tool

 Development and implementation of Common core based performance tasks to assess student content knowledge and thinking

 Professional Learning Team professional development based on data from teacher needs and classroom observations



• 1:1 i-Pad professional development and student use in the classroom

• District PORTAL to support digital professional learning

• Ongoing coaching and support on the AVID framework of WICOR

 Increasing the number of opportunities for all students to take advanced coursework, including attaining college credit

• Providing systemic supports for students to have the tools needed to apply and be accepted to a college or university

Implementation of Common Core
State Standards in core subjects

What?