# Woodbridge School District Communication Plan – 2019 Update

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### Strategic Development Plan Goals for Continuous Improvement







- The District will promote rigorous 21st century academic and social skill 1. standards/expectations that will enable students to be successful collaborators, critical and creative thinkers, contributing citizens and life-long learners.
- 2. The District will provide a *student centered and personalized learning* environment that promotes innovation, creativity, choice, independence, growth and student ownership.
- 3. The District will provide professional learning to all faculty and staff as it relates to and supports student learning, development and continuous improvement.
- 4. The District will promote, build partnerships and celebrate the diversity and multi-dimensional aspects of school, local, regional and global community.
- 5. The District will maximize the efficiencies of systems and resources that support students in reaching high levels of learning and growth.

# April 2018 Comprehensive Communication Report

- Provides Baseline Information
- Identifies:
  - Purpose
  - Internal and External Publics Served
    - Students, Staff, Community, BOE, Others
  - Summary of Efforts
  - CABE Recognition and Parent Perspectives
    - Update: Parents: 89% **⇒**90%
    - CABE Update: 2018 Barney Carney Awards
  - 2018-19 Communication Plans
- Overview Reflections on Current Communication

## 2018-19 Communication Additions/Changes/Considerations

External: Parents	Coming Soon Powerschool Registration Replaces paper forms Online registrations for new students Online forms and contact information updating for returning students  COMPLETED	Supt, Principal and other identified staff
External: Parents	Coming Soon Alert Solutions: Swift K12 Messenger Replaces Honeywell Instant Alert Integrated with our SIS Powerschool (information updates in Powerschool within 12 hours) Cost savings to district and offers messages in a families native language Same system used in Bethany, Orange and Amity  COMPLETED	Supt, Principal and other identified staff
Internal and External	Under Consideration: Initiate Social Media <u>COMPLETED</u>	Supt or designee
External: Community	Under Consideration: Monthly Woodbridge Town News Education Article from Superintendent  COMPLETED	Supt

# Communication Expectations: Teacher to Parent/Family

- Standard Yearly Expectations 6 points of contact
  - Open House Night
  - 2 Parent Conferences
  - 3 Report Cards
- Response Expectations: Reply to email/phone inquiries
- Teacher Initiated/Additional Communication
  - Email, Phone, Additional Conferences, Newsletters, etc.
- 2019-20 Focus Areas/Plans
  - Full Implementation of Kindergarten Report Card
  - Standardized Math Unit Overview to Parents



#### THANK YOU

**Questions and Comments** 

