2025-2026 Strategic Initiatives

Goldendale School District Calendar

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Month	Strategic Initiative Priority	Key Questions	Actions	Board Report
August -	GSD Strategic Plan	Who must we become?	Share strategic plan with community	Overview of Strategic Plan and Initiatives for 2025-26.
			Distribute strategic plan, calendars, and resources to staff.	
	High Quality Staff	What instructional strategies will	Professional Learning	Professional Learning Plan
		we focus on for student learning?	Sessions focused on:	
		How will we implement actions with fidelity?	 Instructional Strategies for Math/ELA 	Professional Learning attendance
			 Data analysis and use 	
September	Future Ready Students	What do baseline data show? Which students need intervention?	Beginning of Year (BOY) benchmark assessments/evidence	BOY preliminary data
		What strategies are in place for support?	(AMMA)	Lead Learner overview, focus, trends
			Identity and Interview Lead Learners	
	Community Engagement and	Who are our learners? What	Family Connections	Family Connections overview,
	Connection	support do families need?		focus, trends
October	Future Ready Students	How do we know if we are implementing key instructional strategies with fidelity?	Learning Design: Instructional Walk Throughs	Baseline implementation data for key instructional practices
	Future Ready Students	What trends are emerging? How	AMMA: BOY review and analysis	Overview of AMMA
		can instruction be adjusted?		review/analysis
November			Learning Design: develop targeted	
			instructional plans for students	Examples of learning design plans
	High Quality Staff	What will we do? How will we know?	Inquiry Cycles	Overview of goals, inquiry cycles, and learning design
		KIIOW!	AMMA data and student growth	implementation
November			goals connected within	
_			collaborative team inquiry cycles	
	Community Engagement and	How are we doing? What support	Parent/Teacher Conferences	Trend data on participation and
	Connection	do families need?		key take aways
	Safe and Caring Environment	Are students engaged in learning?	Learning Design: Instructional Walk Throughs	Data and Evidence for attendance, discipline, SEL

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				Key learning and evidence from instructional walk through
December	Future Ready Students	What activities are we providing for students to contribute positively to their communities?	Contributive Learners	Fall activities and participation
January	High Quality Staff	How are we growing? Are we implementing with fidelity? Is what	Professional Learning Sessions focused on:	Professional Learning review
		we are doing working? For whom?	 Instructional Strategies for Math/ELA 	Professional Learning attendance
			Data analysis and use Inquiry Cycles	Synthesis of Inquiry cycle completed, impact, next steps
February	Future Ready Students	What does MOY data show? Which students need intervention? What	Middle of the year (MOY) benchmark assessments/evidence	MOY data
		strategies are in place for support?	(AMMA) Identify and Interview Lead Learners	Lead Learner overview, focus, trends
March	Future Ready Students	What activities are we providing for students to contribute positively to their communities?	Contributive Learners	Winter activities and participation
	Safe and Caring Environment	Are students engaged in learning?	Learning Design: Instructional Walk Throughs	Data and Evidence for attendance, discipline, SEL
				Key learning and evidence from instructional walk through
April	Future Ready Students	How do we know if we are implementing key instructional strategies with fidelity?	Learning Design: Instructional Walk Throughs	Middle of the year implementation data for key instructional practices
	Community Engagement and	What are your hopes and dreams?	Parent/Teacher Conferences	Trend data on participation and
Мау	Connections Future Ready Students	How can we better support? What activities are we providing	Contributive Learners	key take aways Spring activities and participation
	Future Ready Students	for students to contribute positively to their communities?		
	High Quality Staff	How are we growing? Is what we are doing working? For whom?	Professional Learning Sessions focused on:	

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	High Quality Staff	What do assessment results indicate about instruction? Which strategies were most effective?	End of the year (EOY) benchmark assessments/evidence (AMMA)	School board <u>will join</u> analysis to review/analyze AMMA for end of year to include state assessments and instructional effectiveness.
June –	Future Ready Students	What do assessment results indicate about instruction? Which strategies were most effective? What more is needed?	Schools develop School Improvement Plan (SIP) for the following year	Overview of SIP from schools
July	Strategic Plan	How can we build on successes? What areas need improvement?	Plan for the upcoming academic year based on data insights	Full 2025-2026 academic report