

Board of Education SY20 PRIORITIES



Equity Policy Priority A

Equitable access

Equity Policy Priority B

Racial equity analysis

Equity Policy Priority C

Eliminating discipline disproportionality

Equity Policy Priority D

Stakeholder and community engagement

Equity Policy Priority E

Workforce equity

Equity Policy Priority F

Professional development

Equity Policy Priority G

Welcoming school environments

Equity Policy Priority H

Recognizing and valuing diversity

Equity Policy Priority I

Racial equity leadership



Guiding Principles

Board Meeting Norms

(adopted at the Board's May 16-18, 2019 Retreat)

1. Equity of voice
2. Brevity
3. Disciplined thought
4. Preparation
5. Authentic, genuine conversations
 - a. Speak your truth
 - b. Experience discomfort
6. Respectful tone and intent
7. Listen with openness to learning
8. Assume positive intent
9. Maintain confidentiality

Foundational Principles of Effective Governance

(Reference: Illinois Association of School Boards)

1. The Board clarifies the district's purpose
2. The Board connects with the community
3. The Board employs a superintendent
4. The Board delegates authority
5. The Board monitors performance
6. The Board takes responsibility for itself

SY20 Focus Areas

What we will pay attention to in order to advance the District Action Plan; the agenda we will emphasize as a Board

SY20 Focus Areas		SY20 Milestones	
	Task/Action/Deliverable	Lead Person	Date
Focus Area #1: Purposeful Conversations & Continuous Interaction with Families & Community	1.1		
	1.2		
Focus Area #2: Making the Case for Equity	2.1		
	2.2		
Focus Area #3: Championing Equity- focused Resource Allocation	3.1		
	3.2		
Focus Area #4: Leading Strategically with Data, Monitoring Performance	4.1		
	4.2		

SY20 Board Continuous Learning Topics

What we want to learn more about; the skills, competencies, capabilities we want to develop

SY20 Continuous Learning Topics	SY20 Milestones		
	Task/Action/Deliverable	Lead Person	Date
Topic #1: Creating High-Trust, Empowering Culture and Climate <i>Champion:</i> Ms. Keecia Broy	1.1		
	1.2		
Topic #2: Effective Practices for Purposeful Community Conversations & Engagement <i>Champions:</i> Ms. Cheree Moore Ms. Holly Spurlock	2.1		
	2.2		
Topic #3: Becoming Data-Savvy <i>Champion:</i> Mr. Gavin Kearney	3.1		
	3.2		