2014-15 District Goals

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TEACHING AND LEARNING

GOAL: Each student will meet or exceed individual academic goals (IEP, student set) consistent with those set forth by the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE) and District 107. Using data collected from the STAR Assessments administered during the 2014-15 school year, the District will set student growth goals in the 2015-16 school year with a goal of showing consistent student growth to our constituents.

Conditions of Satisfaction:

- All instructional staff will receive professional development including a focus on the Common Core State Standards and instructional technology in the 2014-15 school year
- Development and implementation of a documented curriculum including a scope and sequence for all grade levels and disciplines
- Utilization of a variety of assessments including teacher developed and nationally normed to measure attainment and student growth of skills and concepts within the academic disciplines
- Through an RtI/MTSS model, students will make progress in targeted intervention areas
- Research, discuss the costs/academic benefits of free full-day kindergarten and if appropriate, implement for the 2015-16 school year
- Update district website
- Develop parent and community mailings when appropriate
- Conduct parent & community meetings when appropriate

TECHNOLOGY

GOAL: TBD – Pending Technology committee presentation in October 2014. Develop a detailed technology plan to be presented to the Board in April/May 2015 to include: infrastructure, website improvements, instructional technology and a staffing plan.

Conditions of Satisfaction:

- Update district website
- Develop parent and community mailings when appropriate
- Conduct parent & community meetings when appropriate

STRATEGIC PLANNING (BOARD OF EDUCATION)

Conditions of Satisfaction:

- Recruit and hire a high quality Superintendent for Pleasantdale School District by late winter 2015
- Negotiate a multi-year contract with the Teachers Association of Pleasantdale
- Enhance the effectiveness of the Board of Education
- Update district website
- Develop parent and community mailings when appropriate
- Conduct parent & community meetings when appropriate

DISTRICT FINANCES

GOAL: Maintain a healthy fiscal position.

Conditions of Satisfaction:

- Maintain a balanced budget
- Communicate the District's financial position and grants applied for and secured to the Board of Education, staff, parents and community members

SAFETY

GOAL: Maintain a safe school climate that is conducive to learning.

Conditions of Satisfaction:

- Continue to work collaboratively with local law enforcement officials to ensure the District's safety protocols are current with best practices and maximize school safety
- Ensure that the district provides resources to educate students, parents, and staff on social emotional issues, positive behaviors and substance abuse prevention
- Execute a traffic flow study at both schools
- Update district website
- Develop parent and community mailings when appropriate
- Conduct parent & community meetings when appropriate
- Conduct annual radon testing