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# Student Goal Setting

— Pleasantdale Elementary School —

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# Big Picture:

What is a goal?

How do I set a goal?

What do I need to remember when I set a goal?

(keep the goals “SMART”)

How do I reach the goal I set?

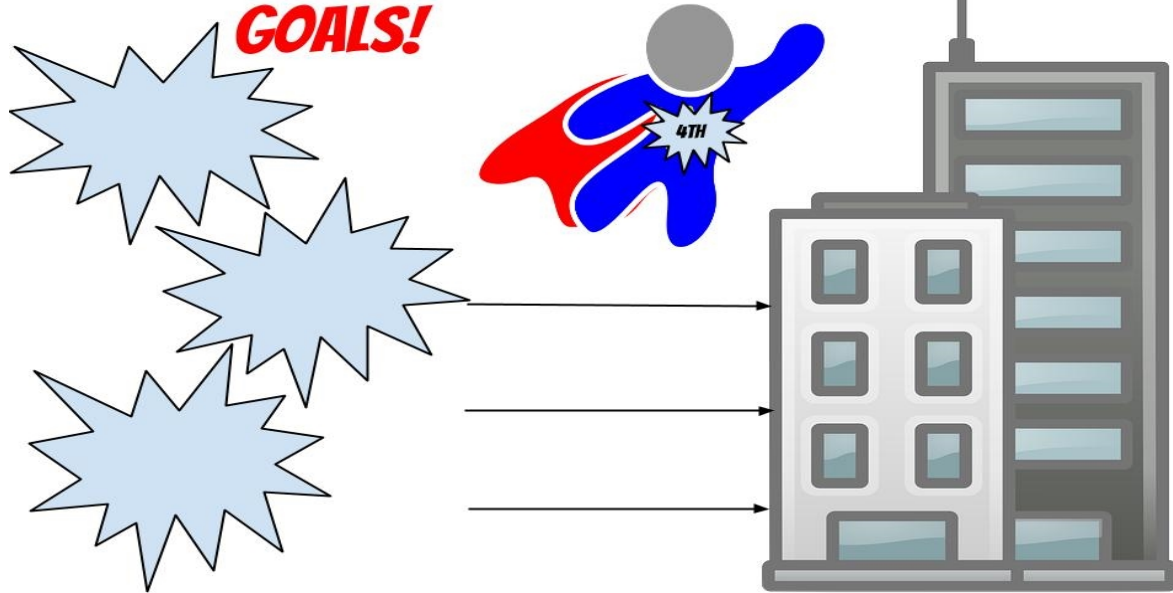
# Background:

- An education.com article states, "Goal setting is an important component of students' motivation, self-regulation, and achievement in academic settings."
- According to a student goal setting article in the Wall Street Journal, "The benefits spill outside the classroom."

# Sticking with the Theme:

## ***SUPERHERO READING GOALS!***

*YOU ROCK! WE ALWAYS SET GOALS SO THAT WE CAN SEE HOW TO BECOME A  
TRUE SUPERHERO! WRITE 3 GOALS TO HELP YOU FLY THROUGH 4TH GRADE THIS  
YEAR!*



# ...and adjusting to meet developmental writing needs:

My classroom goal

# Bright young minds at work:



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**Setting goals is the first step in  
turning the invisible into the  
visible.**

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