

Vision

Red Wing Public Schools strives to provide an innovating and meaningful educational experience that:

- Fosters curiosity.
- Pursues and applies best practices.
- Embraces diversity by respectfully engaging all students, families, and staff.
- Connects and partners with our community.

Mission

The mission of the Red Wing Public Schools is to educate and inspire all students as they realize their full potential and become respectful, responsible, and productive citizens.

## Core Values - The Winger Way

Respect -- We act in a way that demonstrates how much we value each other

**Responsibility** -- We keep our promises and follow through on what is expected of us

Pride--We are proud of our history and who we are becoming

**Safety** --We work for the well-being and care of each other

Community--We welcome all and recognize the whole as the sum of our diverse parts

## **Strategic Directions**

Providing excellent educational opportunities to enhance student learning and engagement with proven instructional strategies and technology integration

- a. Establish career pathways by aligning curriculum, increasing connections with the community, and providing internships and other work-based learning opportunities.
- b. Implement more hands-on learning and technology integration, particularly STEAM (science, technology, engineering, arts and math) practices.
- c. Provide additional resources to improve reading and math achievement for both students who are struggling and students needing advanced learning.
- d. Update student computers, curriculum, and instructional equipment as needed.
- Focusing instruction and professional growth on improving student learning and engagement
  - a. Effectively implement Professional Learning Communities.
  - b. Provide support to teachers to implement instructional strategies through targeted professional development.
- Creating a responsive, safe, open and respectful environment across all schools and programs
  - a. Provide additional resources to manage discipline and enhance student behavior.
  - b. Improve communication with families, staff and the community.
  - c. Support student mental health issues.
- Providing high quality and efficient services through the strategic investment and allocation of resources
  - a. Align District, building, and classroom goals.
  - b. Make decisions based on updated 5-year financial plans.

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