

The Committee on School Improvement and Performance Measurement

Purpose

This committee is responsible for evaluating the progress of the district towards the board's school improvement goals as reflected in the strategic plan and the board's annual goals. This includes measuring incremental progress as reported by district administration. The intent of the team is to determine the communication strategy needed to report to the school board in an informed and effective manner.

Intent:

- Discuss and evaluate the implementation of the Board goals as it relates to school improvement.
 - **Goal 1: Each student graduates having completed a K-12 education with the knowledge and skills they need to adapt to their future.**
 - **Goal 2: Each student's education is driven by an individual education plan that assures high achievement and is based on student needs and aspirations.**
 - **Goal 3: Each student is provided a wide range of learning opportunities, in and out of the classroom, preparing them for college, work and citizenship**
- Learn about the various assessment tools and strategies that are used to demonstrate individual student learning and overall student progress.
- Assess the results of present instructional programs and services offered to students.
- Review ongoing reports on school improvement prior to determining board reports
- Review academic standards and consequent teaching delivery systems.
- Be familiar with the staff development plan for the district and the various buildings.
- Make periodic visits to classrooms and encourage board members to visit schools.

Membership

The membership of this committee will consist of a School Board member serving as chair, the Director of School Improvement and five district educators representing our kindergarten through twelfth grade system. Of these five, one will be a High School Administrator, one a Middle School Administrator, one an Elementary Principal, the two remaining positions will be filled by Certified Teachers.

The school board will appoint the school board representative. The Five educators will be invited and appointed by the Superintendent and the Director of School Improvement, with input from the committee chair.

Membership on the committee will be for two years, beginning in the month of September.

Members' Responsibilities

- Attend all meetings.
- Seek and receive feedback from staff and community regarding school improvement.
- Be an informed decision maker for our district; listen with an open mind, be an active participant (prepared, knowledgeable).

Meetings

Meetings will be held the first week of each month, September-June, with a meeting the last week of June to review our progress as a subcommittee.

Format:

- Will follow all Open Meeting laws in the State of Oregon.
- Any interested person may attend meetings. Voting is limited to members.
- Any data collected will be analyzed and reported.
- Any student, parent, community or staff member may submit an item to the Subcommittee on School Improvement as a new business item to be discussed at a future subcommittee meeting.
- Decisions will be knowledge-driven and research-driven.

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Those Who Cannot Read or Write...
But Those Who Cannot,
Learn, Unlearn, and Relearn**

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