

Glen Ellyn District 41



Why are we here?



Roles and Responsibilities

- Note Taker
- Board Recording Secretary
- Facilitator
- Participants (The Board)

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Our Vision

Ignite Passion. Inspire Excellence. Imagine Possibilities

Our Mission

We embrace the future with optimism, working in partnership with our community on behalf of our children. We develop intellect, engage creativity, foster responsibility, and build positive and collaborative relationships to enable all children to thrive in a changing and increasingly global society.

Board Norms

Purpose / Non-Purpose

- **Purpose:**
Identify Strategic Board Priorities
- **Non-Purpose:**
Creating Action Plans

Current Long-Range Plan



A Long-Range Plan for the 21st century

"It's Our Future—OWN IT!" Our Long-Range Plan logo and motto were designed to emphasize that we all play a role in the plan's success. On this page is an overview of the plan; on the reverse are the essential pieces needed for the plan's success: our Learner Characteristics; Our Vision, Mission and Values and our Positive Core.

Goal 1: Student learning and achievement in the 21st century

The district will prepare students to succeed in the 21st century. In the early grades, the focus will be on providing a strong foundation in reading and math; as students progress through the grades there will be more emphasis on higher order and innovative thinking skills. Students will be able to demonstrate the knowledge, expertise and learner characteristics necessary for 21st century learners which include critical thinking, problem-solving, communication and collaboration skills. We will strive to foster learners who are self-directed and able to thrive in today's global society.

Goal 2: Development of human capital

Employees are the district's most valuable asset. To build capacity to succeed in the information age, the district will focus on providing opportunities to develop skills necessary for the 21st century educational environment such as critical thinking, problem-solving, technology, communication, collaboration and the attributes of those who are able to thrive in a professional learning community. We are aiming to recruit a workforce that better aligns with student demographics.

Goal 3: 21st century learning through technology

We will use technology to propel student learning by building the capacity to link students with learning opportunities around the world, and to provide the potential for one-to-one access to technology for every student. District technology will stay current with industry standards that support 21st

Board/Superintendent Goals

- Academics Learning and Programing
- Facilities
- Finances
- District Culture/Climate
- Community Engagement and Communication

Strategic Priorities

Academics–Learning and Programs

Facilities

Finances

Culture & Climate

Community Engagement & Communication

Convictions and Beliefs

What do you want the Legacy of this Board to be?

Student
focused

Improve the outcomes
for all students

Board Legacy

What do you want the Legacy of this Board to be?

Academics
Learning and Programs

• Legacy

Facilities

• Legacy

Finances

• Legacy

Culture & Climate

• Legacy

Community Engagement
& Communication

• Legacy

Next Steps

- Bring the Board's work to Administration Team and the CIT to start the review process and begin setting the benchmarks
(November – April)
- Bring the work of CIT back to the Board for feedback
(Spring 2016)
- Renew the Long-Range Plan
(June 2016)

November 9th BOE Meeting:

- ◉ Set another meeting to continue the discussions on the work plan process to support Board Priorities through the renewal of the Long Range Plan