

Goals and Objectives

2018-2019

1. More clearly define and establish the Laboratory School

Action Items:

- a. Meet monthly with the Steering Committee
- b. Establish research protocols
- c. Create marketing materials
- d. Continue collaboration with Boston College Practicum Office
- e. Leverage donors to support Laboratory School

2. Implement a schoolwide platform for social and emotional learning

Action Items:

- a. Provide training for teachers and staff in Responsive Classroom
- b. institute protocols and policies regarding school discipline
- c. Continue to assess students with learning needs
- d. Create a school culture that addresses the social and emotional needs of the faculty and staff

3. Create a school culture that is Culturally Responsive

Action Items:

- a. Establish a committee comprised of all constituents to assess school practice and guide programing decisions
- b. Begin to research the learning needs of our Culturally and linguistically diverse learners
- c. Provide professional development to faculty and staff

4. Deepen Family/School partnership through engagement opportunities to create a stronger community

Action Items:

- a. Formalize the organization for family engagement
- b. Establish a team of Parent Ambassadors to support marketing, enrollment, and community outreach
- c. Formally establish a parent fund
- d. Formalize the role and structure of the Parent Advisory Committee

5. Optimize strategies for recruiting and retaining students

Action items:

- a. Foster a school culture where all constituents work together to attract new families to the school
- b. Perform a comprehensive study of school enrollment/retention; collect and analyze data from families who have withdrawn from the school
- c. Establish and deepen of relationships with organizations in the local community