#### Stakeholder-driven Strategic Planning



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#### 1. Identify your role in the community. Check all that apply. Response Response Percent Count 57.9% 11 Parent **Community Member** 100.0% 19 26.3% 5 Staff Member 0.0% 0 Student 19 answered question

2. What are the greatest challenges or issues this school district will face over the next five years in order to provide a quality education for all students? (choose only 5 of your highest priorities from this list):

	Response Percent	Response Count
Providing consistent student programs and services with a declining enrollment	73.7%	14
Hiring and retaining quality educators in an increasingly competitive market	42.1%	8
Continuing to meet the yearly progress goals of No Child Left Behind	5.3%	1
Meeting the educational needs of growing numbers of second language learners	15.8%	3
Meeting the increasing health issues of students	0.0%	0
Maintaining physical facilities as buildings age	47.4%	9
Meeting the broadening academic and social needs of an increasingly diverse student population	31.6%	6
Keeping up-to-date with technology hardware, software, applications, and support	68.4%	13
Meeting the needs of special education students	10.5%	2
The growing outside stressors on families that impact parental support and quality of student work and behavior	47.4%	9
Responding to state and national economic conditions that affect the levels of financial support the district receives	57.9%	11

Providing a rigorous educational program that will prepare students for college and career  57.9%	11
Maintaining or reducing class size 21.1%	4
Other (please specify)	1
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## 3. What are the most important skills and abilities students need to know or be able to do to be prepared for a successful future? (Choose only 5 of your highest priorities from this list):

		Response Percent	Response Count
A mastery of reading		57.9%	11
A mastery of mathematics		47.4%	9
A mastery of science		10.5%	2
A mastery of social studies		5.3%	1
A mastery of the communication skills of writing, speaking, and listening		68.4%	13
A mastery of the fine arts	*	0.0%	C
The ability to locate information and use it appropriately		36.8%	7
The ability to use computer technology to extend learning and master subjects		47.4%	Ş
Consumer and financial skills		26.3%	,
Volunteerism and community service		5.3%	į
The ability to collaborate and work productively with others and resolve conflicts when they arise		47.4%	,
The ability to organize, prioritize, set goals, and manage time		78.9%	1
Learn a foreign language		10.5%	
The ability to work with a team (being a team player)		26.3%	
The ability to do research and seek out answers to questions		26.3%	
The ability to be a self-reliant learner		31.6%	

	Other (please specify)	0
	answered question	19
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# 4. What evidence do you use to judge the quality of education in our school district? (Choose only 5 of your highest priorities from this list):

	Response Percent	Response Count
Amount of community involvement in school and student activities	10.5%	2
The number of students in each class per teacher (class size)	15.8%	3
The amount of money allocated for the education of each student (cost-per student)	10.5%	2
How well students perform in high school (graduation rates and ACT/SAT scores)	73.7%	14
The number of extracurricular (clubs, sports, etc.) activities that are offered	5.3%	1
The awards and recognition the district, schools, teachers, or students receive	21.1%	4
The condition of district buildings	21.1%	4
Test scores (state tests and other state or national tests)	36.8%	7
The student standards based report card	5.3%	1
Comparisons to the results other school districts achieve	57.9%	11
Numbers of discipline problems/issues	10.5%	2

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	Other (please specify)	0
How well the districts educational programs reduce the achievement gap between subgroups of students	47.4%	9
Successful employment after leaving high school	42.1%	8
Success at the college and university level	52.6%	10
The number and quality of special programs available to meet student needs	26.3%	5
Your perception and satisfaction with district schools	5.3%	1
Newspaper articles about school or district achievements and recognition	10.5%	2

## 5. What should the financial priorities be for this school district during the next five years? (choose only 5 of your highest priorities from this list):

	Response Percent	Response Count
Maintain clean, well-repaired, secure buildings	47.4%	9
Maintain up-to-date technology	78.9%	15
Provide training and development opportunities to keep staff skilled and competent	47.4%	9
Wisely invest tax revenues in a quality education	26.3%	5
Be a good steward of taxpayer money by balancing the budget	15.8%	3
Maintain and improve current instructional programs	68.4%	13
Introduce foreign language programs in the elementary schools	0.0%	0
Maintain low class sizes	36.8%	7
Keep salaries and benefits competitive in order to attract and keep quality staff	68.4%	13
Keep libraries/media centers up-to- date	5.3%	1
Make sure that students have quality educational books/materials in the classroom and the library	52.6%	10
A continued emphasis in supporting services programs special needs students	10.5%	2
	Other (please specify)	0
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### 6. What could the school district do that would delight you? Response Count 11 answered question 11 skipped question 8 7. What information or advice would you give the strategic planning team as they make decisions about long-term priorities and goals? Response Count 9 9 answered question skipped question 10