

2017-18 North Kingstown School Committee Goals

(District Goals Assigned to the Superintendent for Merit Compensation)

DRAFT: November 14, 2017 Meeting

1. **Elementary Level Behavioral School-Based Supports:** Increase social-emotional support capabilities in elementary schools through various means such as staffing, programming, and staff training.

Measurable Objectives

- Complete a school level assessment of behavioral/support staffing and capabilities currently in place
- Identify priority areas in need of increased support
- Present prioritized options to address gaps and shortfalls

2. **Elementary and Middle Learning Supports:** Enhance remedial and advanced personalized learning opportunities for elementary and middle school students. Enhance school transition/bridge programming for students moving from elementary to middle school and middle school to high School.

Measurable Objectives

- Complete a school level assessment of personalized learning opportunities and capabilities currently in place
- Identify priority areas in need of increased support
- Present prioritized options to address gaps and shortfalls

3. **Foreign Language Curriculum:** Assess the district's foreign language programming and provide options that expands the depth and breadth for a single foreign language offering while enabling personalized learning options in other languages (to the extent available through other means). Propose an implementation plan that is cost neutral from FY 18 levels (other than contractual increases). This proposal will improve the depth of foreign language instruction for all students and increase the overall feasibility and sustainability of foreign language programming.

4. **Infrastructure for Career and Tech Education (CTE) Programming:** Increase CTE programming: present music arts option to SC and implement if approved. and follow through with Information Technology (IT) which has initial RIDE approval. With NKSC support, create a CTE program capital funding set aside within the NKSD Capital Budget, and build capacity for growth including transportation options and increased middle-school feeder programming.

NKSC Areas of Interest

1. **District Security:** Periodic updates on progress against action plans and status of security equipment will be provided to school committee.
2. **Athletic Complex:** Prepare and plan based on NKSC guidance; and oversee implementation if funded.
3. **Student Achievement:**
 - a. Increase goal for all schools to achieve above 52 Percentile growth for student performance as measured by the STAR Assessment. (Goal was set at 50 for 2016-17.)
 - b. Increase in the percentage of students enrolled in rigorous coursework (Advance Placement, Advanced Coursework Network, Dual Enrollment, College Credit Bearing, internship, and Career and Tech coursework taken).
4. **District level and Technology Strategic Plan Revisions:**
Update and revise both plans (Technology in December 2017/January 2018; Strategic Plan in August of 2018.)