Welcome
The Pennsbury School District
Comprehensive Planning Overview

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Our Comprehensive Plan is …

The means by which
The Pennsbury School District continually recreates itself toward extraordinary purposes.
Mission Statement

Recognizing our proud traditions and diverse community, the Pennsbury School District prepares all students to become creative, ethical, and critical thinkers for lifelong success in a global society.
District Profile
(Who are we?)

• Mission
• Shared Values
• Educational Community
• District Level Planning Team
Comprehensive Planning

Core Foundations
(How do we do things?)

- Standards
- Curriculum
- Instruction
- Assessment
- Safe and Supportive Schools
- Materials and Resources
- Professional Education
- Special Education
The Comprehensive Planning Dreaming – Doing Continuum

Dreams
Visions
Ideas

Operations
Actions
Doing
The Pennsbury School District

• Where Have We Been?

• Where Are We Now?

• Where Do We Want To Go?

*What is working well?*
*What are our points of pride?*
*What are our expectations for the future?*
Planning isn’t **STRATEGIC** unless it’s......

- learner centered
- based upon the best research
- future-focused
What Have We Accomplished?
The Current Pennsbury School District Comprehensive Plan

Goal Area #1: Student Learning – Improving Academic Achievement of ALL Students

Current Strategies:

• Standards – Based Learning Community (Equity and Access to Rigor for ALL)
• 21st Century Student Learning
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**Goal Area #2:**

**Student Life – Educating the Whole Child**

Current Strategies:

- Character Education
- Expanded Community Engagement
Timeline for Process:

September 2018: Initial Meeting with Superintendent
September 2018: Overview of Process with Superintendent and Cabinet
October 2018 until February 2019: District Staff collect data, needs assessment as per PDE Web Tool comprehensive plan
December 20, 2018: School Board Planning Overview
December 20, 2018 until January 15, 2019: Survey to Staff, Community etc.
February 2019: Special Education Plan completed
February 27, 2019: Community Conversation in the cafetorium at Wm Penn Middle School from 6:30-8:00 p.m.
March 2019: Public review of Draft Special Education Plan for 28 days
April 2019: Special Education Plan approved by Pennsbury School Board Members
May 1, 2019: Special Education Plan Due to PDE
Spring 2019: Comprehensive Steering Team Session (District Stakeholders)
Spring -Summer 2019: Action Plans developed by Teams
Summer 2019: Comprehensive Plan inputted into PDE Tool
September/October 2019: Comprehensive Plan as informational item to school board
October 2019: Public Review of Draft Comprehensive Plan for 28 days
November 2019: Comprehensive Plan Approved by Pennsbury School Board members
November 30, 2019: Comprehensive Plan submitted electronically to PDE

(Timeline and additional meetings can be adjusted, as needed- will also customize process as needed)
“The Main Thing is to MAKE the Main Thing, the Main Thing!”
Thanks for all your Support and Dedication to The Pennsbury School District