

Cobblestone Elementary School Strategic Plan 2017-2018

Our Aspiration:

The mission of Cobblestone Elementary School, a community of dynamic learners known for academic excellence and positive personal growth, is to ignite and empower all students to thrive in every aspect of life for today and tomorrow, by:

- Advancing an academically challenging and supportive climate
- Fostering creativity and innovation through the arts, technology, and science
- Cultivating curiosity, perseverance, and critical thinking
- Instilling leadership through the development of personal accountability, effective problem solving, and collaboration
- Providing a socially, emotionally and physically safe environment
- Creating positive partnerships with families, staff, and community
- Modeling and promoting respect and empathy in every interaction
- Inspiring a continuous passion for learning

<u>Objectives:</u>

- All students will show an annual increase on multiple assessments in English Language Arts and Mathematics.
- All students will demonstrate increased school engagement .
- All students will be creative and innovative thinkers.
- All students will successfully uphold the Cougar Code:
 - Show Respect
 - Make Good Decisions
 - Solve Problems

<u>Strategies</u> *A priority the team would like reflected in the plan: We will provide education, opportunities and information to increase family and community involvement.

- 1. We will provide support, intervention, and challenging learning experiences to increase academic growth for all students.
 - 1.1 Utilize data assessment teams to include: multi-grade level teachers, Special Education teachers, and English Language Development teachers in an effort to drive instruction, intervention and enrichment.
 - 1.2 Give high priority to establishing a data driven, multi-grade, uninterrupted block of time for instruction, intervention, and/or enrichment.
 - 1.3 Establish and launch a school wide emphasis on academic language.
 - 1.4 Create and implement a site based professional development and/or coaching model.
- 2. We will provide multiple opportunities using science, technology, engineering, art and math (STEAM) to foster creative and innovative thinkers.
 - 2.1 Infuse instruction with engaging and enriching technological experiences, scientific inquiries, and the arts that emphasizes creativity and innovation.
 - 2.2 Create an all school, multi-age STEAM program taught during the school day by certificated staff.
 - 2.3 Organize and build outdoor spaces and learning opportunities that support STEAM inquiry-based project learning.
- 3. We will enhance student social-emotional growth by learning to show respect, make good decisions and solve problems.
 - 3.1 Update school wide social-emotional curriculum to include self awareness, self management, social awareness, relationship skills and responsible decision making.
 - 3.2 Provide mental health services in the form of behavior plan support, social skills groups and one on one counseling for students with greater need.
 - 3.3 Engage families in social-emotional learning through students, staff, and community resources.