

# ABOUT OUR SCHOOL





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### **MISSION**

All students are prepared to be successful members of society through rigorous academics, career exploration, cultural growth, character development and community involvement.



# STRATEGIC GOALS



## Curriculum and Instruction

All students will maximize their individual growth through engaging curriculum and strategic instructional practices.

## Community Engagement

The district will build relationships with the local and broader community to ensure and increase family engagement, parent involvement, and student opportunities.

## Finance and Facilities

The district will establish short and long term facilities and finance plans to ensure a safe and functional learning environment.

## Recruit, Train, and Retain

The district will recruit high quality staff, provide instruction and culturally sensitive training, and establish recognition and retention programs.

# CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION

All students will maximize their individual growth through engaging curriculum and strategic instructional practices.

- Implement, monitor, and adjust the Isanti Community Schools Priority Plan
- Create a curriculum adoption cycle and process.
- Review curriculum and resources for cultural sensitivity and make adaptations.
- Provide and establish an ongoing, continuous, training of professional development district wide to ensure implementation of curriculum.
- Review more rigorous and a broader range of course offerings, credits, and dual credits.
- Define alternative pathways to graduation.
- Develop Career and Technical Education programs.

# COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The district will build relationships with the local and broader community to ensure and increase family engagement, parent involvement, and student opportunities.

- Create community events and opportunities for families to participate in school events.
- Establish a strong partnership with the community and tribal council.
- Create a strong relationship with NICC.
- **Build relationships with post secondary institutions.**
- Create and establish mentorships with students and community members.

# FINANCE AND FACILITES

The district will establish a short and long term facilities and finance plan to ensure a safe and functional learning environment.

- Create a plan for continuous maintenance and replacement of facilities and equipment.
- Create a finance plan to ensure financial stability continues long term.
- Create a budget that meets the educational programming of the students.
- Create a prediction of financial and facility needs based on student enrollment.
- Create a district financially stable nutrition plan.
- Create a process for spending guidelines for activities and projects

# RECRUIT, TRAIN, AND RETAIN

The district will recruit high quality staff, provide instruction and culturally sensitive training, and establish recognition and retention programs.

- Update Isanti Community School Website and recruiting materials.
- Establish an extended onboarding training program with an emphasis on teaching strategies that are recommended for our culture.
- Establish a recognition program for all employees.
- Provide and establish an ongoing, continuous, training of professional development district wide to accomplish priority initiatives.
- Recruit and incentivize student teachers.
- Stay competitive with compensation and benefits.