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Strategic Plan

Education Action Plan: Student Achievement

Desired Result: Increase Student Achievement							
Implementation Steps		Responsibility	Year 1 (July 2014)	Year 3 (July 2016)	Year 5 (July 2018)		
1	PSSA		The PSSA, as we know it, will be changing. A new assessment system will be phased in during the 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 school years	Review/update schedule	Review/update schedule		
2	SAT		Establish S.A.T. Committee to review data and consider options.	All students to score a <i>minimum</i> of 500 in each section (1500).	All students to score a <i>minimum</i> of 550 ir each section (1650).		
3	KEYSTONES		As of this year, the Keystone Exams are required for all students taking Algebra I, Biology, and English Language Arts Courses. The goal would be for all student to pass the exams. For the 2012-2013 school year, all 11 th graders will take the Keystone exam regardless of course enrollment.				



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Education Action Plan: Curriculum

Strategy:					
Desired Result:					
Implementation Steps		Responsibility	Year 1 (July 2014)	Year 3 (July 2016)	Year 5 (July 2018)
1	Offer a challenging and rigorous curriculum for ALL students				
2	Explore pre-AP courses at the Jr. High Level				
3	Continue to expand upon our AP courses at the High School				
4	Ensure consistency in the curriculum across courses and grade levels.				
5	Establish a continuous curriculum review cycle				
6	Consider providing early exploration with STEM related subjects/content				
7	Continue to explore opportunities to find our "niche."				
8	Consider adding additional time to the school day and year				
9	Consider scheduling alternatives (i.e. double periods for certain subjects, length of school day, school year, 4-day weeks, as appropriate)				
Fin	ancial or Budgetary Implications:	•	•		



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Education Action Plan: Senior Year Options

Strategy:					
Desired Result:					
Implementation Steps		Responsibility	Year 1 (July 2014)	Year 3 (July 2016)	Year 5 (July 2018)
1	Consider options for senior projects. Allow groups to work collaboratively on a problem or project.				
2	Pursue relationships with the community, business, and universities to establish partnerships.				
3	Consider offering college and career readiness programs (resumes, preparation, mock interviews, etc.)				
4	Consider expanding Internships/Externship placements				



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Education Action Plan: Online Learning

Strategy:					
Desired Result:					
Implementation Steps		Responsibility	Year 1 (July 2014)	Year 3 (July 2016)	Year 5 (July 2018)
1	Continue partnerships with organizations/companies such as Waterfront Learning to offer online course options				
2	Continue to create and develop our own online courses				
3	Continue to investigate requiring students to take an online course in grades 9-12.				
4	Communicate online offering to parents and students				
5	Explore the possibility of utilizing e-books when appropriate				
6	Explore the use of online learning at the elementary and Jr. High levels.				