

Nicolet families:

Nicolet is fortunate to have an incredibly rich tradition of excellence fueled by our community's high expectations and shared desire for continuous improvement. While the world our students will enter after graduation is always changing, our goal as a district remains the same; we are committed to doing whatever it takes to accelerate achievement for *every* student. Our District is held accountable to these high standards of excellence through periodic continuous improvement planning.

During the 2020-2021 school year, the Nicolet administrative team, school board, staff and Nicolet school community have the opportunity to collaborate to reevaluate and refresh the District's comprehensive, continuous improvement plan. The District's previous plan, the Five Year Vision 2020, led to the accomplishment of several goals, including:

- The implementation of the freshman transition program;
- Multilevel systems of support;
- One to one devices for all students and staff; and
- Development of professional learning communities.

Based on data and input from the Nicolet community, the continuous improvement plan will serve as a guiding framework for our administration and board for the next four to six years. It will include a refreshed mission and vision statement, updated value statements, new strategic goals and tactical plans that will focus our efforts on accelerating student learning. Additionally, the continuous improvement plan will enhance our previous program developments, further our pursuit of equity, and determine the next steps for our comprehensive facility study.

Engagement from our learning community in this process is crucial and deeply valued by the Nicolet Administration and School Board; we are committed to providing opportunities for the community to share input, feedback and questions.

Mark your calendar for Nicolet's **first strategic planning and visioning work session on Monday, October 19 from 5:30 - 7:30 p.m.** Additional information on the session and more opportunities to get involved will follow.

We are thankful for an engaged community that is passionate about fostering a school environment that supports and pursues achievement for all. We look forward to hearing your feedback and ideas in our upcoming listening sessions. In the meantime, please email me at Greg.Kabara@nicolet.us with any comments, questions or concerns.

Your partner in education,

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