

Message to JD CSD School & Community

Jamesville DeWitt CSD Begins Strategic Planning Process

The Jamesville DeWitt Central School District has partnered with the University of Rochester Warner School of Education to develop the district's next Strategic Plan. The conclusion of the district's current Strategic Plan, the changing landscape of education, and evolving needs of students make this important work necessary. The Jamesville DeWitt Central School District looks forward to developing a new Strategic Plan to meet the needs and interests of the students and school community as we look forward to upcoming years.

Plan development began this Fall with the University of Rochester Strategic Planning Team collecting data related to the district, conducting interviews with individuals and small groups, facilitating focus group sessions with district stakeholders, and administering a school community survey.

A Jamesville DeWitt Planning Council was developed to work with the University of Rochester Strategic Planning Team to begin the process of developing the district's Strategic Plan. The Planning Council consists of representative stakeholders, including district administration, school administration, Board of Education, faculty, staff, students, and parents, from the Jamesville DeWitt Central School District.

The Planning Council met on October 30, 2019 to begin the process of working with the University Team to assess the district's current state, identify needs, shape priorities, and create goals to provide focus for the district's work. Council members spent the day assessing the current state of the district by reviewing, analyzing, and identifying strengths and weaknesses related to the elementary and middle level education program. The Council members also reviewed the data compared to similar and benchmark school districts.

The Jamesville DeWitt Planning Council Team will meet again on November 21, 2019 to continue the Strategic Plan development process. The Planning Council Team will work through the first semester of this school year to complete a Strategic Plan that aligns with the district's mission, vision, and core beliefs, with goals that are measurable and attainable. Annual goals will be established, with articulated steps to support achievement and success.

Updates will continue to be provided to the school community throughout the process.