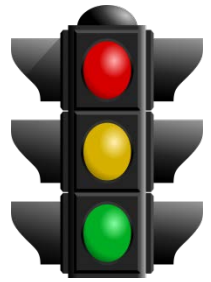


A Year in Review: Ready, Set,...



Kirsten M. Vital, Superintendent
June 24, 2015

Setting Up a Vision for the Future



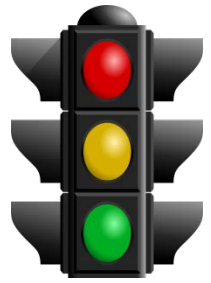
Ready, Set...Superintendent's Entry Plan

- Listening & Learning
 - Communication & Collaboration
 - Building Relational Trust

- Connecting our Present Reality to Meeting the Needs of the Future

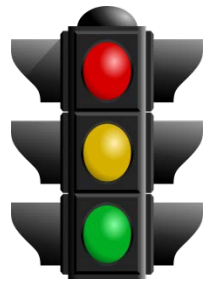
- Setting Short- & Long-Term Goals

Listening and Learning



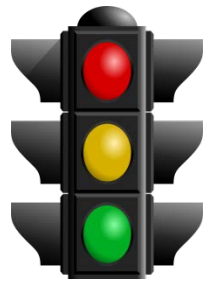
- ✓ Board Members
- ✓ CUSD Foundation
- ✓ CUCPTSA/Parent Leaders
- ✓ PTA Legislative Council
- ✓ ASB Leaders
- ✓ Association Leadership (Teachers, Classified, Teamsters, & Management)
- ✓ Mission Hospital & Saddleback Memorial Hospital
- ✓ Ad-Hoc Groups with City Leaders
- ✓ Boys & Girls Club
- ✓ YMCA
- ✓ Chamber Associations (Dana Point & Laguna Niguel)
- ✓ Ladera Ranch Civic Council
- ✓ Association of California School Administrators
- ✓ Superintendent Community Forums
- ✓ League of Women Voters
- ✓ Rotary Clubs
- ✓ Coffee Chats (Dana Point , San Clemente, and San Juan Capistrano)

Connecting our Present Reality to Meeting the Needs of the Future



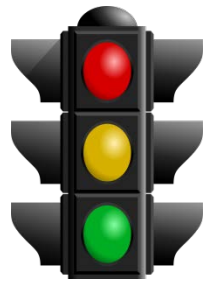
- The number of people learning English in China nearly equals the U.S. Population
- In the past five years the digital universe has grown by 1,000 percent
- Google handles 1 billion queries every single day
- Many of the jobs in 2012 didn't exist in 2002
- Many of the jobs students will have don't even exist yet and they'll use technologies that haven't been invented to find solutions for problems that haven't yet emerged

21st Century Education is About...



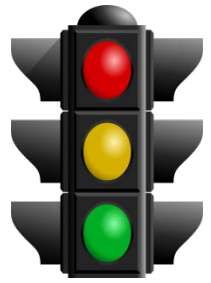
Creativity	Culture Awareness	Problem solving
Innovation	Civic Engagement	Communication
Productivity	Collaboration	Accountability
Exploration	Initiative	Responsibility
Leadership	Creativity	STEM

Setting Short Term Goals 2014-2015



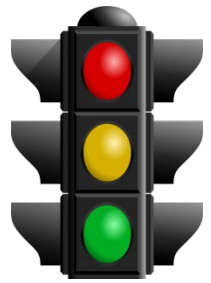
1. Create and Implement a “Road to Recovery”
2. Improve Facilities through both Short- and Long-Range Planning
3. Implement Programs and Services to Increase Academic Achievement for All Students
4. Implement our Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP)
5. Prioritize Programs and Investments

Highlights of Achievements



- ✓ Completed Phases 1 and 2 of our Road-to-Recovery Plan with collaboration from stakeholders
- ✓ Restructured Professional Development to support teachers and students with the implementation of the new state testing
- ✓ Implemented common, formative assessments to measure student achievement throughout the year
- ✓ Increased reclassification rates for English Learners
- ✓ Restructured our Regional Occupation Program
- ✓ Created systems for employee evaluations
- ✓ Successful negotiations with associations
- ✓ Implementation of textbook management system
- ✓ Implementation of work order tracking system

Other Notable Accomplishments



- Karen Gauthier – OCDE Teacher of the Year Finalist
- Colleen Lamb – OCDE Classified Employee of the Year Finalist
- Carl Hankey EYP and MYP Certifications and Gold Ribbon Award
- Las Palmas Teacher Paola PazSoldan named as National Geographic Linblad Fellow
- Tesoro High School Teacher Keith Hancock selected as quarterfinalist for 2016 Grammy Music Educator Award; Tesoro High School named as Grammy Foundation Signature School (Top 100 in the Nation)
- Six CUSD Visual and Performing Arts teachers earned Orange County Music and Arts Administrators awards
- All CUSD comprehensive high schools named as Newsweek’s National Top High Schools
- OCDE Outstanding PAL Awards for Castille, Canyon Vista, Bernice Ayer, and Newhart
- CUSD Reclassification rate of English Learners surpassed county and state averages
- CUSD students attending prestigious colleges including UC Honors programs, Stanford, Harvard, Purdue, MIT, and Military Academies

2015-2016 ...Go!

Vision

An unwavering
commitment to student
success

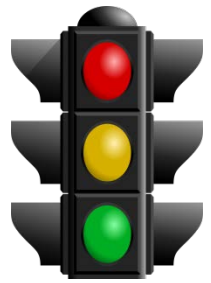


Mission

To prepare our students
to meet the challenges of
a rapidly changing
world

Go...

Wildly Important Goals



Teaching and Learning

- Engage students in meaningful, challenging, and innovative educational experiences to increase post-secondary options for all students.

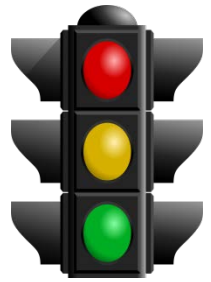
Communications

- Communicate with, and engage students, parents, employees, and community members in Districtwide and community-specific decisions.

Facilities

- Optimize facilities and learning environments for all students.

Every Student Succeeding Fully Prepared for their Future



Every student will leave CUSD with a clear vision and plan for the future.

College	Community College/AA, Transfer, Technical School, UC, CSU, Academy, or Private School
Military	Direct Service or Academy
Career	General Workforce, Industry Certification, Technical, or Entrepreneurial