

**School District of New London
2018-2022 Strategic Direction**



Strategy Goals and Interpretation/Targets:

Strategy #1: Maximize Student Achievement

We will provide instruction which meets rigorous local learning targets and engages students in experiences that develop effective communicators, problem solvers and critical thinkers, self-directed lifelong learners, and responsible contributing citizens.

Interpretation/Targets:

Strategy #1: Maximize Student Achievement		
Ensure learning experiences emphasize opportunities where each student takes active ownership in achieving clear learning targets and developing as an individual.	Define and execute local learning targets that promote growth, work toward gap closure, and provide advanced opportunities.	Evaluate and improve programs and practices to provide a greater variety of learning experiences and opportunities for students.

Strategy #2: Maximize Staff Capacity

We will empower staff through staff development and leadership opportunities to lead their learning by improving professional practices and organizational processes that focus on student achievement and personal well-being.

Interpretation/Targets:

Strategy #2: Maximize Staff Capacity		
Ensure that staff have opportunities to gain understanding and improve practice through a continuous improvement mindset.	Support the "whole staff" by professional learning about wellness, health, financial literacy, and personal well-being.	Provide meaningful professional development opportunities through a learning environment that builds capacity.

Strategy #3: Maximize Sustainable Practices

We will operate efficiently and effectively in managing expenses, resources, and communication to ensure business practices that promote long-term sustainability and positively influence success for all students.

Interpretation/Targets:

Strategy #3: Maximize Sustainable Practices	
Ensure the fiscal obligations of the District are met and resources are managed to preserve the community's investment and support student success.	Enhance communication and connections with internal and external partners to promote the District.

