



# Pacific Grove Unified School Board Goals

*“Challenging every student with exceptional learning opportunities”*

## Mission Statement

Pacific Grove Unified School District, in partnership with the community and with a focus on equity, will challenge every student by providing a quality instructional program in a positive, safe and stimulating environment.

The District will meet the diverse needs of all students by ensuring exceptional learning opportunities to acquire and apply the knowledge and skills that develop the insight and character necessary for a productive and rewarding life.

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### A. PGUSD District Goals

1. **Student Learning and Achievement:** Every student is performing at a minimum at grade level, engaged in his or her learning, and contributing positively to the community.
2. **Health and Safety of Students and Schools:** District students and staff are provided a safe and welcoming environment
3. **Credibility and Communication:** Credibility through effective and transparent communication with the public and stakeholders.
4. **Fiscal Solvency, Accountability and Integrity**

### B. Goals Defined

#### 1. **Improve and Enhance Student Learning and Achievement**

- Alignment of District budget with established priorities in Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) and strategic plan so that every student is proficient or above grade level, engaged in his/her learning and contributing positively to the community
- Use data driven, standards-based instruction and curriculum with the goal of all students achieving at proficient or above
- Monitor and utilize multiple measures of assessment and metrics to monitor academic progress
- Monitor and respond to target student populations as identified by the LCAP, as well as other underserved student groups
- Maintain annual LCAP updates and perform regular surveys of service needs, including the social/emotional needs of students and families
- Assess programs and strategies to challenge students performing above grade level

#### 2. **Health and Safety of Students and Schools**

- Provide safe and well-maintained facilities for students and staff
- Address student and staff health, wellness and social-emotional needs
- Support programs that enhance community, staff and student engagement and connectedness

#### 3. **Maintain Credibility Through Effective and Transparent Communication with All Stakeholders**

- Determine strategies to inform the public on a timely basis on District plans and actions
- Board members will report on their community activities and actions impacting the District
- Acknowledge and celebrate stakeholder support in all programs

#### 4. **Fiscal Solvency, Accountability and Integrity**

- Maintain fiduciary responsibilities
- Align budget with LCAP and strategic plan
- Maintain regular State updates and interim reporting, as well as periodic District updates to the Board
- Maintain a current budget handbook available to the public