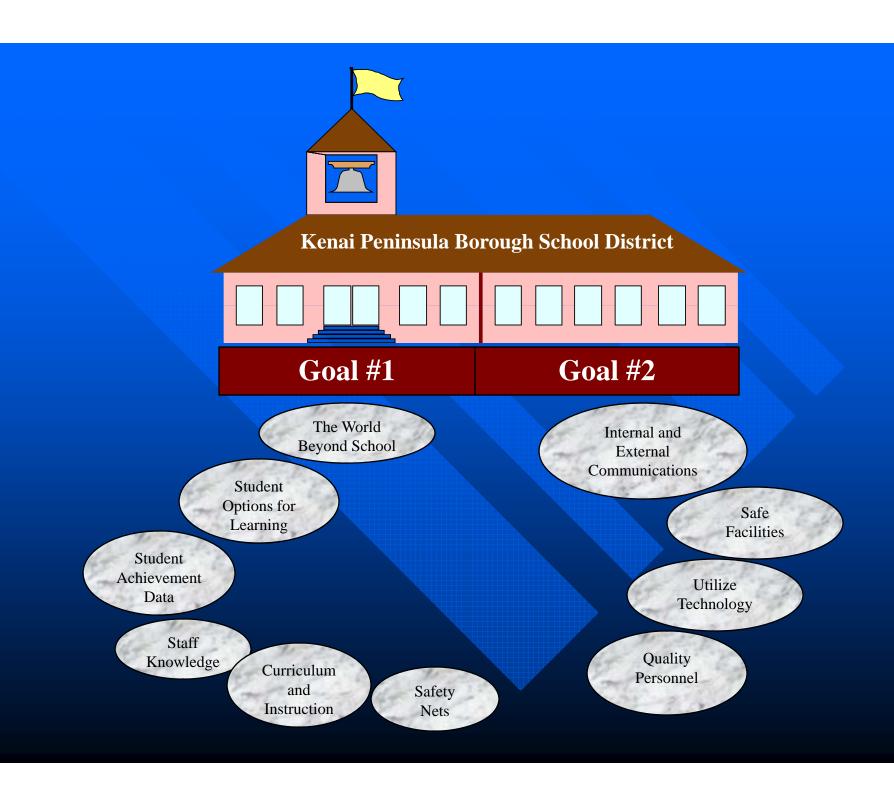
### Learning

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### Public's Expectations

- Keep my child safe
- Teach him/her well
- Treat him/her with respect
- Make him/her feel special



### Goal Number 1

KPBSD will engage high quality, research-based programs and practices to help each student reach his/her highest personal potential.

## "All students can learn and succeed, but not on the same way."

William G. Spady

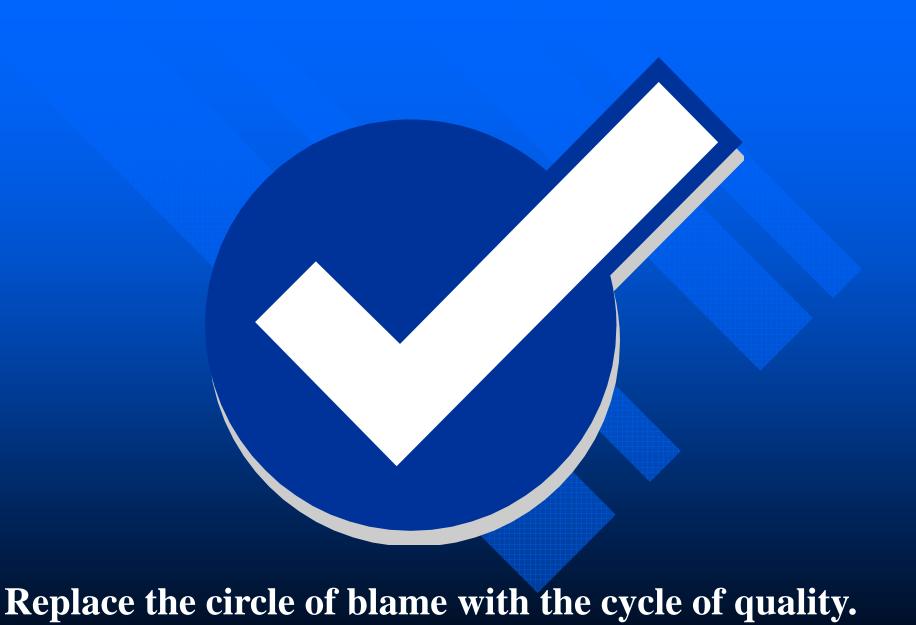


### Goal Number 2

KPBSD will exhibit high quality in all personnel, facilities, relationships and partnerships.



Create Schools Kids Want To Go To



- 1. Chance to assimilate
- 2. Chance to practice
- 3. Chance to collaborate

Passionate pursuit of educational excellence on the Peninsula... what does that look like?

### **Knowing Good Instruction**

- Guiding question How can I have an impact in what happens every day in every classroom for every student?
  - > Walkthroughs this year
  - >Lookfors next year
    - Quality work
    - Classrooms that are "colorful carnivals of learning"

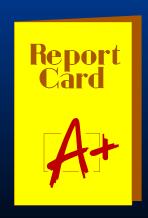


# Questions to Guide You and Your Staff:

- By what criteria will the quality of student work be judged?
- \*What steps have been taken to provide parents with the information they need to be effective partners in the learning process for their children?

### Questions to Guide Students

- How do you know if your work is good enough?
- Do you know what you have to include to make good work in class?
- If you want to make your work better, do you know what needs to be improved?
- When you earn a grade, can you explain why you earned it?



### Indicators/Lookfors:

- 1. Rubrics are shared with students prior to completing their work
- 2. Students know how to use the criteria to evaluate and revise their work
- 3. Students know clearly when they have/have not met the criteria

#### **Example - Dear Santa Letters**

In our dear Santa letters, we are putting several learned skills in to practice:



- 1. Five parts of a letter
- 2. Using questions and statements in writing
- 3. Proper capitalization and punctuation
- 4. Remembering manners and being polite

Why? The best predictor of student success is teacher expectation.

# If we don't know what makes the difference in our schools

then anyone can do your job