The Georgia VISION PROJECT

Local District Recommendations incorporated into
Paulding County School District's Strategic Plan

4.0 Teaching and Learning

4.1 In order to provide an environment where students learn best, ensure that teachers work and plan together, learn and share effective teaching practices, and are provided support for their on-going learning.

4.2 In order to provide an environment where students learn best, ensure that teachers use a variety of technologies to teach and measure what students know and can do.

4.3 In order to provide an environment where students learn best, ensure that teachers teach challenging and problem-solving lessons that are flexible enough to meet the interests and needs of individual students.

4.4 In order to provide an environment where students learn best, ensure that teachers use varied measures to determine what students know and can do.

5.0 Teaching and Learning Resources

5.1 Evaluate and utilize the most effective instructional models and learning supports (i.e. digital, blended, competency, virtual, etc.) implemented by school districts.

5.2: Ensure full integration of current technology and training into the classroom.

5.4 Develop partnerships with business, industries, public agencies and the community to promote shared use of services and facilities.

6.0 Human and Organizational Capital

6.3 Collaborate with the Georgia Professional Standards Commission, the Georgia Department of Education and other credentialing agencies to provide comprehensive strategies to find, grow and keep the most talented educators.

6.5 Organize personnel, distribute leadership and implement processes that maximize student learning.

7.0 Governance, Leadership and Accountability

7.1 Develop and implement at the local school district level an accountability system based on local district educational goals that are aligned with state educational goals and state accountability system, and which include clearly defined measures of school district, school and student success.

8.0 Culture, Climate and Organizational Efficacy

8.1 Develop safe, orderly, supportive learning environments built on respect and encouragement where all individuals believe they can make a positive difference.

8.2 Make each school and school system an inviting place to be for students, parents, staff and the larger community.

8.4 Determine stakeholder perceptions of schools and school districts.

8.5 Develop a culture and climate that foster innovation and responsible risk-taking.

8.7 Get to know and be willing to truly listen to the students in our schools.

9.0 Financial Resources

9.2 Commit local funds to implement comprehensive data and evaluation systems that support continuous improvement of student learning.

9.3 Initiate an ongoing process at the local district level for systematically evaluating all expenditures to enable the development and adoption of budgets that are focused on district strategies for maximizing student learning.