

MIDDLEBURGH CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT 2017-18 BOARD GOALS

GOAL #1

The Board of Education will present annual school budgets that provide a quality instructional program.

- Educationally sound and fiscally responsible
- Pursuing and maximizing State and local aid, as well as grant opportunities
- Optimizing the use of shared services with other governmental entities where cost-effective
- Professional development workshop regarding monitoring school budget

GOAL #2

The Board of Education will support the Superintendent and administration by monitoring the progress of the district towards the recommendations of the NYS Focus District report.

- Professional development (use of technology, career day within school, at BOCES and/or colleges)
- Curriculum development
- Instructional practices by teachers, teacher assistants and support staff with accountability

GOAL #3

The Board of Education is committed to the success of all students by emphasizing high academic standards and providing a safe learning environment.

- Maintain the graduation and attendance rates
- Provide resources and opportunities that positively support students' social, emotional health and well-being
- Support student learning by utilizing technology through SMART Schools Bond Act resources
- Increase the participation rate of students taking the NYS 3-8 exams (letter to editor, inform Board with same bullet points regarding testing)

GOAL #4

The Board will conduct its policy-setting and work sessions in an open and transparent manner, and be proactive in its communication with the community. It will meet this goal by:

- Conducting public work sessions in addition to regular business meetings
- Increase parent and community engagement by effectively using district and school websites and tools