



LINCOLN PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
Lincoln, Massachusetts

**ANNUAL SCHOOL COMMITTEE GOALS**

The School Committee is responsible to the people for whose benefit the school district has been established. The Committee's current decisions will influence the course of education in our schools for years to come. The Committee and each of its members must look to the future and to the needs of all people more than the average citizen finds necessary. This requires a comprehensive perspective and long-range planning in addition to attention to immediate problems.

The School Committee's primary responsibility is to establish those purposes, programs, and procedures that will best produce the educational achievement needed by our students. The Committee is charged with accomplishing this while also being responsible for wise management of resources available to the school district. The Committee must fulfill these responsibilities by functioning primarily as a legislative body to formulate and adopt policy, by selecting an executive officer to implement policy, and by evaluating the results. It must carry out its functions openly, while seeking the comments of public, students, and staff in its decision-making processes.

Goals will be discussed in the spring/summer of the preceding year and voted on in the fall. The results will be reviewed at the end of the school year. During the course of the year, the School Committee will periodically review progress toward each goal at its regularly scheduled meetings.

Goals will be filed in the Superintendent's office and will be accessible to the community at large.

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