

K-8 Collaborative Goal Setting

Hello Parents,

Last year, we introduced collaborative parent/student/teacher goal setting as a part of our process of communicating student learning and growth. This approach involved a goal setting collaboration between parents, students, and teachers.

This time, we are adapting the process based on feedback and the knowledge gained from last year. This goals worksheet is mandatory for all K-8 families and is essential for supporting the growth and development of your child in collaboration with your child's teacher(s). Please use this worksheet to have a discussion with your child regarding goals for his/her development throughout the 2022-2023 school year.

Here are some details about the 2022-2023 Student Goals Worksheet:

- Last year, all goal sheets were standard and looked the same. This year, your child's teacher has worked with his/her division to develop a more age-appropriate goals sheet.
- Your child's teacher may have class goals that he/she is setting to work through with your child. These will be clearly established on the goals sheet.
- You will also be asked to work with your child to create between 1-3 goals for this school year, depending on his/her age.
- Your child's goals can be chosen from the list provided, or you can come up with your own.
- Your child's teacher will send home the goals sheet on Monday, October 17, 2022
- We ask that you return the Student Goals Worksheet to your child's teacher by **Monday**, **October 24, 2022.**

The school will not be having individual goal-setting sessions with your child's teacher this year. The goals will be discussed as an overall part of the regular parent/teacher interviews in November. The sign up for these sessions will be coming in the month of November.

We look forward to seeing your child thrive as s/he strives to reach these goals and celebrate his/her achievements in his/her digital portfolio. Your child's teacher is in the process of sharing your child's digital portfolio with you. If you have not received a sign up to myBlueprint, please contact his/her teacher.

Please expect to see your child's K-8 progress report, which is a snapshot of his/her learning and social/emotional development thus far, in November.

Sincerely, Mrs. Stacy Sowerby Acting Assistant Principal K-12