IVC District No. 321 - Strategic Plan Update January 28, 2025

Maintain an environment that is positive, healthy, safe, and accessible.

Action Statements

- 1. The district will continue to be proactive in keeping students and staff safe.
- 2. The district will continue to make SEL a focus in every classroom and building.
- 3. The district will incorporate ways to welcome new families to the district.
- 4. The district will explore positivity training for all staff members. This includes administrators, teachers, paraprofessionals, transportation, cafeteria, and custodial staff. Completed

Attract, retain, empower, develop, and reward a highly effective diverse staff.

Action Statements

- 1. Market the benefits of working in the IVC School District as strengths for potential staff members.
- 2. Review current employment rates and benefit packages for non-certified staff to identify areas of possible weakness and improvement.
- 3. Review and recommend incentives for all staff to promote additional growth opportunities.
- 4. Explore the possibility of a Grow Your Own incentive program to reward high school graduates and paraprofessionals who successfully complete their Illinois Professional Educator License.
- 5. Review current collective bargaining agreement with the IVC Education Association (certified teachers) to identify areas of possible weakness and improvement.

Provide an effective communication and collaboration system among students, staff, family, community, and public.

Action Statements

- 1. The district will review and evaluate how the District currently communicates with the community.
- 2. The district will update school and district websites on a consistent basis w/ relevant information.
- 3. The district will review and evaluate how the District currently communicates with our parents.
- 4. The district will review and evaluate how our schools currently communicate with all parents, including "silent" parents, and non-English speaking families.