

2022-2025 STRATEGIC PLAN

MISSION

The mission of Decatur Public Schools is to unlock students' unique and limitless potential to achieve their personal aspirations as fully prepared, contributing citizens in a global society.

VISION

DPS will ensure educational learning experiences distinguished by

- commitment to the whole person resulting in student growth and confidence
- relevant, innovative, personalized academic pathways that promote passion and pride
- a learning environment that fosters curiosity and the thirst for achievement and discovery
- a culture of diversity, adaptability, and resilience
- meaningful and lasting relationships
- extraordinary school and community connections

GOAL #1 STUDENT EXPERIENCE

Ensure unique, innovative learning experiences for all students

GOAL #2 STUDENT ENVIRONMENTS

Ensure a student-focused environment that expands learning beyond the traditional expectations to engage students

GOAL #3 WHOLE STUDENT

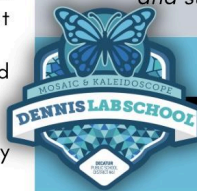
Establish a support network that will identify and address students' physical, social/emotional, and mental health needs to allow each student to reach their full potential

GOAL #4 STAFF

Attract and retain talented and invested staff by ensuring they feel valued and supported

GOAL #5 COMMUNITY

Create and foster mutually beneficial relationships throughout the community



SMART GOALS DENNIS LAB SCHOOL

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#1 READING

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Dennis Lab School's student rate will increase 2% or higher as measured by Fastbridge in the low risk category, 28.3% to 29.7% or greater.

#2 MATHEMATICS

By the end of the 2024-2025 school year, Dennis Lab School's student rate will increase 2% or higher as measured by Fastbridge in the low risk category from 30.1% to 31.5% or greater.

#3 ATTENDANCE

Dennis Lab School will establish an Attendance Intervention Team to develop Data systems that identify students for increased support based on attendance, behavior that facilitate targeted efforts to reduce chronic absenteeism.

