



EAST SIDE
HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
Silicon Valley

Preparing every student to thrive in a global society.

The New East Side
Strategic Plan

**The community has spoken.
East Side has acted.**

Our Strategic Plan You Spoke. We Listened.

On December 12, 2013, the Board of Trustees approved a Strategic Plan for the East Side Union High School District. The Plan is a result of 22 community conversations and focus group discussions, soliciting feedback from parents, students, teachers, administrators and community members regarding the District's performance and its future focus and priorities. Meetings were also conducted with the Superintendent's Cabinet to solicit the development of objectives, goals and strategies for the Strategic Plan, including Study Sessions with the Board.

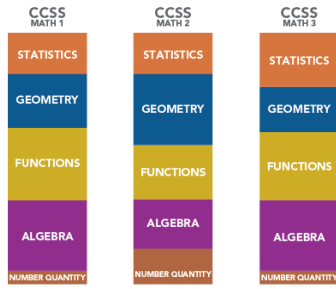
As a result of these meetings, five key performance measures were identified:

1. Increase graduation rate
2. Decrease dropout rate
3. Increase A-G completion rate
4. Develop College & Career Readiness Indicators (5Cs: Critical Thinking, Collaboration, Communication, Creativity, Civic Engagement)
5. Reduce achievement gaps in 1-3

To guide the key performance measures in the strategic planning process, five key objectives were developed:

1. Quality Learning & Instruction
2. Professional Learning Communities/Social Capital
3. Innovative Learning Structures
4. Aligned Resources
5. Stakeholder Engagement

Click [here](#) to view the District's Strategic Plan and Executive Summary.



East Side Alliance to Better Serve 85,000 Students

NEW Common Core State Standards

The Common Core State Math Standards introduce a new way of teaching math and assessing students' learning as part of our commitment to providing our young people with the mental tools, skills and focus to contribute to and succeed in the 21st Century global economy.

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East Side's New Brand Reflects Bold New Direction

The East Side Union High School District is pleased to launch its new brand. Its multi-colored chevron represents many aspects of who we are today and where we're headed.

For students, we are an all-inclusive high school experience in an environment that is a reflection of Silicon Valley and the world. We want every student to have the tools to thrive in a global society, regardless of their origin or advantage.

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The East Side Union High School District and its seven elementary feeder districts have joined forces to create a bold new model for student success called the East Side Alliance. The goal of the alliance is to improve academic achievement for all students, but particularly some of the county's poorest performing students, and set them on a path to college, careers or both.

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