

## Skaneateles Central School District

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Dear Skaneateles family,

While we have all endured so much this year navigating the COVID-19 pandemic, it is critical that we continue to move our district forward with a shared vision for the future of Skaneateles Schools. This process requires the participation of our entire school community in developing our new strategic plan.

Over the past several weeks, we initiated planning conversations and engaged Cayuga-Onondaga BOCES in partnering with Skaneateles Schools to facilitate our new strategic plan. The strategic planning process will officially begin in September and continue throughout the 2021-2022 school year. When done correctly, this process requires widespread community participation and a critical component of effective strategic planning is the ability to bring groups of people together. While these opportunities to gather in person were limited this year, COVID-19 restrictions continue to lift and we are once again able to gather in person to share and collaborate.

On behalf of everyone on our team, we welcome your active participation in this process. In the coming weeks we will begin to solicit volunteers from our entire school community, identify partners, and establish committees tasked with collaborating in setting the course for Skaneateles Schools for years to come.

Thank you in advance for your partnership in this process.

Stronger together,

Eric Knuth

Superintendent of Schools