



# APS Strategic Plan Steering Committee

December 21, 2017



### Agenda



Welcome

Core Values
Mission and Vision

**Public Comment** 

Closing



### Housekeeping



### Notes

### Questions from Prior Meeting

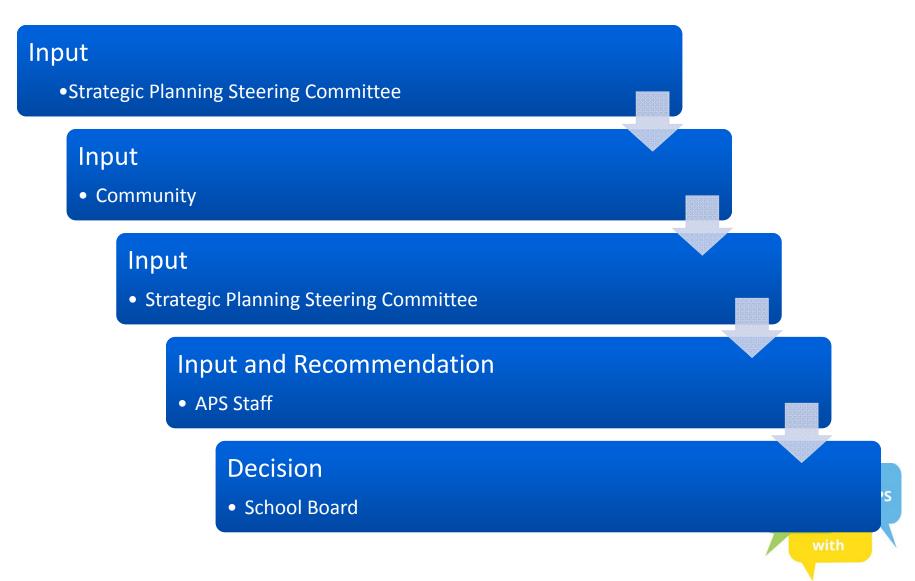
### Revised calendar

School Board Work Session moved to Tuesday, February 6



### **Our Process**





### Our Process:

### Mission, Vision, and Core Values



Input: Strategic Planning Steering Committee

• November 16, November 27, December 5, and December 21

**Input: Community** 

• January 2018

Input: Strategic Planning Steering Committee

• January 24, 2018

Input and Recommendation: APS Staff

• Late January 2018 - Early February 2018

Input and Decision: School Board

• February 6, 2018 and June 2018

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### Mission, Vision, and Core Values



Mission: defines our purpose as Arlington's public education system

**Vision:** establishes what we aspire to achieve in the future, serving all of our students and our community

**Core Values:** beliefs that frame our planning and decision-making throughout APS

### **Core Values**



# Beliefs that frame our planning and decision-making throughout APS



### Core Values



**Excellence:** Each student is entitled to an excellent education that meets his or her individual needs.

**Family and Community Engagement:** Dynamic and supportive partnerships among students, parents, educators, and the community are critical to meet student needs and provide enriching experiences.

**Diversity:** Our diversity is a strength that creates resilient, open, and innovative global citizens.



### Mission and Vision



	Mission	Vision
Answers	Why do we exist?	What do we aspire to achieve? What will the future look like as we fulfill our mission?
Purpose	Informs	Inspires
Activity	Doing	Seeing
Source	Head	Heart
Effect	Clarifies	Challenges
Length	Short	Longer



### **Draft Mission Statements**

#### from Dec. 5



- 1. Culturally empowered individuals: for life, for the community, for the future.
- 2. Provide innovative, responsive and rigorous learning experiences that empower all students.
- 3. To support and inspire all students to thrive and evolve into contributing world citizens.
- 4. To engage every student with the opportunity to thrive.
- 5. Cultivating passionate, confident, global learners who are motivated to improve themselves and the world around them.

### **Draft Vision Statements**

#### from Dec. 5



- 1. Arlington schools are inclusive and diverse centers of growth and learning that develop curious, balanced critical thinkers.
- APS will inspire curiosity, innovation, resilience, selfconfidence, caring, and motivation in our students to serve as global citizens.
- 3. APS attracts and retains dedicated and driven educators that support and facilitate equal access for all students' emotional, mental and academic opportunities through an integrated curriculum to allow students to graduate to diverse opportunities and go on to impact the world beyond them.
- 4. Our learners find solutions.



### Follow-Up for Next Meeting



Review Data Dashboard

January meeting schedule – other ideas?

View videos





### **Public Comment**





## Closing

