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**Process:**

BELIEVE

Core Values

WANT

goals

**DO**

Action

KNOW – Data, Facts, Experiences, Research

**Proud List:**

What makes you proud to be associated with Uniontown school district?

Group Input:

Dedicated Staff

Supportive community’

Outstanding students

Legacy – Multigenerational

Pride & character

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Academic Excellence

Community

Staff – Quality

Financially Stable

Student Conduct

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Good academic reputation

Community Support

Hard-working

Strong extra-curricular activities

Dedicative & supportive staff

Works together

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High Academic standards/quality

Caring staff

Quality facilities and technology

Administrative support

Community support & engagement

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**Core Values:**

High academic standards

Community support

Dedicated staff

Students – represent themselves and school well

Tradition/Legacy

Extra-Curricular programs

**Magic Wand List:**

If you had a magic wand and could change anything about the school district, what would it be?

Group Lists:

Increase education opportunities for all students (Programs)

Facility improvement

Increased teacher compensation (Money)

Increased utilization of technology (technology)

Food ….amount/quality (Food program)

School lunches (quality and quantity) (Food Program)

Good support system at home and school (Total child)

More resources and space for facilities (Facilities = $$)

No drugs

Motivation of each student (Total child, programs)

No cell phones (Distraction to learning)

Parent education – budgeting, connecting to resources, discipline

Employability skills – Internships, culture, responsibility

Student self-worth (Total child)

Salary, financial resources in general (Increased $$)

Career exposure/connectins- Bridging the gap between school, college/training, work force (Programs)

Continually upgrading facilities and technology (Facilities)

Update/new sports complex (Facilities)

Every student graduate (Academic achievement)

Full buy-in with goals & expectations (Dedicated staff and others)

Meet all students needs – raise household income, including mental health (Total child)

Students have broad opportunities for career training (Programs)

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Potential action steps: (Ideas individually submitted from group members)

1. **Expand educational opportunities for students**
   1. Internships, job shadowing, certification opportunities
   2. Partner with technical programs, add vocational college courses
   3. Work with local college, FSCC, on trade schools
   4. Internships for credit
   5. Family consumer science classes
   6. Real world application for core classes
   7. Job shadowing
   8. Career Fair
   9. Programs for the non-college or trade school students
   10. Develop career education, grades 9-12
   11. Look into internship opportunities
   12. Bring in industry people to interact w/students
   13. Schedule more college visits
   14. Allow students to talk to professionals and set a steady plan for the future – broaden perspective and options
   15. Not just more technology… but cyber security training programs for students and staff
   16. Skilled labor class
   17. Carpentry/building
   18. Classes focused on not educated jobs
   19. Have certain days a week in the afternoon designed for shadowing or career training. Don’t need new space, we just need to restructure time kids have to explore.
   20. Tours for career options, pursuing college & opportunities
   21. Make electives after lunch so kids have time to be exposed to careers. This could be job shadowing, field trips, labs, etc. Not limited to 50 min. After lunch in open time.
   22. College visits to campuses young, including seeing classrooms at the college.
   23. Connections to job shadow in high school
   24. Programing and technology
   25. Individual plans of study for students
   26. Have a weekly specials that deals with varying topics: coding, design, money, interest
   27. Job shadowing day: Every student find someone to job shadow for that school day
   28. Allow students to continue to learn. If they finish early, move to another class to continue learning.
   29. Internships, job shadowing
   30. Project based learning
   31. Increase the academic expectations
   32. Eliminate the soft classes (Classes that don’t teach anything)
   33. Field trips, no shopping trips.
2. **Addressing the “total child” wellbeing**
   1. Sponsors will take students on quality trips.
   2. Possibly host math or reading nights to showcase educational activities or games for families to utilize at home
   3. VPL – we need teachers teaching
   4. Hire or execute a contract with SEK MH to get MH counselors in both buildings
   5. Bring parents in and explain to them how much your home life is exposed while your child is at school
   6. Have more options when school lunch does fail and a student is hungry
   7. Alt/Supp Food options from outside sources (Local gas station pizza, salad bar)
   8. Education program for parents- opportunities to connect with each other.
   9. Additional staff member for/as liaison between community, school, families – connect resources, handle truancy.
   10. Discuss how to approach
   11. Develop parent education opportunities
   12. Teach: 1. Discipline, 2. Respect, 3. Basic Skills
   13. Mentoring for junior high/high school students to connect jobs
   14. Activites/games for kids by STUCO & NHS, etc. on a night for parent education class
   15. Parent/Family wellness training and seminars
   16. Conflict resolution training
   17. Other options besides school lunch
   18. More parent interaction in the classroom
3. **Improve district facilities**
   1. New tract surface
   2. Safer street crossings between schools and walking trails
   3. Bus barn
   4. Baseball lights
   5. Pre-school out of temporary structures
   6. Aesthetics- landscape- trees & landscape work – attractiveness
   7. Have sports programs coached here young to engage kids like gymnastics/dance
   8. Form group for building improvements from local contractors
   9. Develop facilities master plan
   10. Multitude of things from cleanliness, etc.