

Roadmap COMMUNICATION

If the district develops and maintains positive, collaborative relationships with all stakeholders, then support for Kelso School District will be strengthened and lead to increased support for district initiatives and education programs.

Goals

IMPLEMENTATION MEASURES

IMPACT MEASURES

Engage with Kelso community using a variety of media to maximize awareness and support of the district's mission, vision, goals, and programs Continue regular engagement via Hilander Highlights, Family Connection, Chamber newsletter, and ThoughtExchange surveys

Maintain and update information on district websites

Maintain proactive media relations

Use social media channels to provide timely and relevant information

Access to timely and relevant communication for targeted audiences

Appearance of positive news stories in the media monthly

Passage of levies and bonds

Enhance an effective staff and student communication plan to improve internal communication and staff and student engagement Communicate strategic goals and solicit staff and student voice:

- · Inside Connection for all staff
- · Safe Schools Emergency documents
- 100% posters, Grad Rate posters, Class of posters
- Timely district department updates for all staff
- ThoughtExchanges, Listening Tours, surveys

Staff and students know district mission, vision, goals, and progress

Staff and students are valued, connected, and honored

Staff and student yearly recognition and appreciation campaigns

Achieve coordinated communications with local, regional, and state agencies for safety preparedness and crisis management

Enhance key communicator network connections among regional leaders

Build and maintain partnerships with local business and community leaders

Develop and standardize key safety preparedness and crisis communication protocols and documents Aligned messages among key communicators in the community, particularly in regard to crisis management

Increased community and regional partnerships

Increased confidence in district safety preparedness and crisis management from staff, students, families, and key community leaders