# St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School

# Strategic Plan 2018-2023

With Annual Goals For 2019 – 2020



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## I. Introduction to St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School

St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School is a co-educational, college preparatory school founded in 2009 by the Roman Catholic Diocese of Austin to prepare young men and women to become faith-filled, visionary and inspirational leaders in service to the Church and the world.

### History

Bishop Gregory Aymond authorized a feasibility study in 2002 to determine if a Catholic high school in north Austin would attract sufficient demand. Beginning in 2003, the Metanoia Group conducted market research with a sample of 750 individuals who participated in interviews and focus groups and responded to mailed surveys. Using the findings from the study and an analysis of local demographic data, the decision was made in 2004 to purchase the land upon which St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School currently sits.

With feasibility confirmed and the land purchased, Bishop Aymond established a Steering Committee in 2006 to further guide planning and set a direction for the new Catholic high school. The Steering Committee, with the assistance of Meitler Consultants, Inc., prepared a case statement for the proposed new school and submitted it to Bishop Aymond in June 2007. The case statement was approved by Bishop Aymond on June 29, 2007.

In December 2007, the Diocese of Austin contracted with Community Counseling Services to identify the potential financial support needed to build the new Catholic high school. A \$10 million campaign was recommended and a Campaign Cabinet was established. Following an initial contribution from the Diocese of Austin's "Future Schools Fund", additional gifts ranging from \$100,000 to \$1.5 million were received.

Construction of St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School commenced on October 12, 2008 and A Certificate of Formation was signed and filed with the Texas Secretary of State on December 22, 2008. Phase one of construction includes 83,690 square feet of new construction, housing 13 classrooms, two science learning centers with laboratories, a computer learning center, a library/media center, a fine arts suite, a gymnasium, administrative offices, a conference room, student health and teachers' work suites and three leveled athletic fields.

St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School opened in the fall of 2009 with 86 freshmen and sophomores.

Enrollment has continued to grow over the years, with a starting enrollment of 405 students in fall, 2018.

# **Patron Saint**

Dominic Savio was born on April 2, 1842 at San Giovanni di Riva, near Turin, Italy. Dominic was one of ten children born to Carlo and Birgitta Savio. A prayerful and promising student of St. John Bosco, Dominic was an ordinary young person with an extraordinary love of God. Dominic once said, "I can't do big things, but I want everything to be for the glory of God."



Dominic was an example of childhood holiness. He was nourished by the sacraments and held firm to his Marian devotion. On a visit to Turin, John Bosco's mother commented to her son: "You have many good boys, but none can match the good heart and soul of Dominic Savio. I see him so often at prayer, staying at church after the others; every day he slips out of the playground to make a visit to the Blessed Sacrament. When he is in church, he is like an Angel living in paradise."

Unfortunately, Dominic died from tuberculosis on March 9, 1857. Pope Pius XI described Dominic Savio as "small in stature, but a towering giant in spirit." Dominic Savio was canonized on June 12, 1954.

# The Crest

The crest of St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School includes a cross, which represents Faith; a lamp, which represents the Wisdom gained through knowledge and scholarship; a star, which represents the State of Texas; and, stripes, which represent Discipline.



# II. Mission, Philosophy and Goals

# Mission

St. Dominic Savio Catholic High School is a co-educational, college preparatory school founded by the Diocese of Austin to prepare young men and women to become faith-filled, visionary and inspirational leaders in service to the Church and the world.

# **Philosophy and Goals**

St. Dominic Savio expresses the Church's educational mission through faith-formation, social development and awareness, and a strong academic program.

We seek:

- To develop within the school a strong theology program based on Catholic teachings, Scripture, liturgical experiences, and service so each student grows and develops in the Catholic Christian way of life;
- To facilitate the spiritual, intellectual, social, emotional, and physical development of each student; and,
- To challenge students to become Christian leaders, living as young men and women of conscience, compassion and action.

### **Vision Statement**

• Forming Servant Leaders in the Image of Christ

# **Core Values**

• We hold firm to our core values, which define our identity and serve as the fundamental beliefs that guide the daily life of the school.

# Strategic Plan Areas of Priority

The format for the Strategic Plan 2018-2023 is modeled after the Texas Catholic Conference of Bishops -Education Department (TCCB ED) Self Study document, which focuses on five Domain areas reviewed in our accreditation process. Each Domain standard statement is given in this document and serves as an overarching goal for the area. Along with each Domain Standard, TCCBED Benchmark statements indicate areas of qualification that clarify elements of successful implementation of that overarching goal. The accreditation standards and benchmarks serve as a guide when determining short or longrange goals. In addition, the <u>National Standards and Benchmarks for Effective Catholic Elementary and</u> <u>Secondary Schools</u> have served as a resource for school effectiveness that are reviewed when annual goals are identified.

The Strategic Plan 2018-2023 was developed from key resources: school bylaws, TCCB ED accreditation standards and benchmarks, the <u>National Standards and Benchmarks for Effective Catholic Elementary</u> and <u>Secondary Schools</u>, as well as survey input gathered from faculty, staff, and parents.

The Strategic Plan identifies TCCBED accreditation standards and benchmarks. The school has identified key benchmarks from the accreditation documents that are the focus for annual goals, in each of the following areas:

- I. Catholic Identity
- II. Governance, Administration and Management
- III. Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment
- IV. Student Services, Resources and Activities
- V. Plant and Facilities (Standard V)

For further clarification, symbols are used to reference their original source:

NS – National Standard	AS – Accreditation Standard
NB – National Benchmark	AB – Accreditation Benchmark

#### I. Catholic Identity

**Standard 1:** The Catholic school is a unique environment which has as its primary purpose the continued formation of the Christian person. The mission and beliefs of the school shall reflect the integration of Catholic faith and Gospel values and promote a community of believers and learners. Members of the school are a community and are called to unite in prayer, to proclaim the Gospel message and to serve others.

**Benchmark 1.1** - The mission statement describes the purpose of the school, its reason for existence, and is rooted in the Catholic faith and Gospel values.

**Benchmark 1.2** - The school maintains a relationship with the pastor, school/parish organizations, and the larger Catholic community in promoting Catholic identity within the school.

**Benchmark 1.3** - The school provides opportunities for prayer, liturgy, spiritual formation, and service.

Benchmark 1.4 - The school hires faculty/staff that support the mission of the school.

**Goal 1.1** - The mission statement describes the purpose of the school, its reason for existence, and is rooted in Catholic faith and Gospel values. (AB1.1)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal: The mission will be reviewed and understood by faculty, staff and students.	The mission will be shared with students throughout the year including freshman activities and within the house system House Council will identify information and activities to be used during the family time presentations	Fall, 2019	House Council, Classroom documentation	
Discuss the concept of charism and vision with the Catholic Mission committee	Catholic Mission committee to discuss charism and vision statement and to determine whether to proceed with evaluating	Fall 2019 Fall 2018/Spring 2019 Spring 2019	<i>Charism and Culture</i> by Dr. Timothy Cook	
Responsible: President, Principal, Director of Formation, House Council Advisor, Faculty				

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal:				
Expand communication efforts to Diocesan parishes	Collaborate with St. Vincent de Paul parish staff regarding music, liturgy and planning	Fall, 2019	Liturgical planning document, No cost	
	Extend invitations to parish staff for school events	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	No cost	
	Include parishes in the mailings for Savio Now and Tim's Team Annual Report	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	\$600	
	Invite Pastors and Associate Pastors to Clergy Day	Fall, 2019	\$500	
	Participate in local parish events as Sponsor	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	\$1,000	
Responsible: President, Principal, Director of Formation and Ministry, Catholic Mission committee, Director of Communication				

**Goal 1.2** - The school maintains a relationship with the Pastor, school/parish organizations, and the larger Catholic community in promoting a sense of Catholic identity within the school. (AB1.2)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal:				
The school will generate more school sponsored opportunities for servant leadership	Work with Christian Outreach to identify new opportunities and organize the information	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	Christian Outreach students and Sponsor, no cost	
The school will communicate more effectively with students about service opportunities	Develop an online communication tool	Fall 2019, Spring, 2020	Current software available, no cost Speakers,	
The school will provide meaningful retreats and other spiritual	The school will offer a spiritual retreat for faculty and staff	September 20	activities, AM refreshments, lunch, materials, rental; est. \$2800	
experiences for the faculty and staff (NB4.1)	Integrate small group faith formation into each faculty meeting	Monthly during school year	USCCB resources, Catholic book lists, NCEA resources, Austin Diocese; \$300	
Responsible: President, Principal, Director of Formation and Ministry,	The school will provide spiritual books for faculty and staff throughout the year	Advent, Lent	Catholic publications, \$1500	
Christian Outreach Sponsor	The school will provide documents identifying opportunities for spiritual enrichment	Fall, 2019	Catholic Identity Committee documents	

Goal 1.3 - The school provides opportunities for prayer, liturgy, spiritual formation, and service. (AB1.3)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal:				
The school will continue to develop a hiring process that sufficiently communicates	Review of hiring process and practices	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	USCCB, NCEA, Catholic resources, Diocese ; no cost	
the school's mission		Fall, 2019	Diocesan templates, permission to hire processes	
Responsible: President, Principal, Department Chairs, Athletic Directors		Fall, 2019	nire processes	

Goal 1.4 - The school hires faculty/staff that support the mission of the school. (AB1.4)

#### II. Governance, Administration and Management

**Standard 2:** School Governance and leadership support an educational program of quality with systematic, legal and fiscal responsibilities that support the school's mission. School governance and leadership effectively plan and monitor school growth and viability in all areas. School governance and leadership support an effective and efficient instructional program.

**Benchmark 2.1** – The governance structure, (e.g. advisory board, governing council, etc.), supports the mission, vision and/or philosophy of the school.

**Benchmark 2.2** – Code of Canon Law 801 states "Religious institutes whose proper mission is education, retaining their mission faithfully, are also to strive to devote themselves to Catholic education through their schools, established with the consent of the diocesan bishop."

**Benchmark 2.3** – Rights and responsibilities of the faculty, staff, students and parents/guardians are explicitly defined in regulatory handbooks.

**Benchmark 2.4** - The school demonstrates long range strategic planning to support the school's mission, vision and/or philosophy.

**Benchmark 2.5** The instructional program and educational facilities are funded to meet the stated goals of the Long Range Strategic Plan.

Benchmark 2.6 – There is a comprehensive plan for institutional advancement.

**Benchmark 2.7** – The school is aware of and responds to the changing needs of the community.

**Benchmark 2.8** – School effectiveness is monitored and evaluated by the principal and/or the administrative team.

**Benchmark 2.9** – The school provides professional development opportunities for faculty and staff.

**Goal 2.1** - The governance structure, (e.g., advisory board, governing council, etc.) supports the mission, vision and/or philosophy of the school. (AB2.1)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal: Consider overall needs of the school, as tuition is set for upcoming year.	Consider enrollment trends, tuition assistance, diocesan tuition levels, school needs	Fall, 2019	Historic data: enrollment parish subsidy, annual income, and Diocesan tuition rate document.	
Finalize annualized debt payment schedule for the loan, based on school bonds	Create annual budget and long- range debt service schedule based on loan guidelines.	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	Debt schedule digital template provided by the Diocese; school bond financing	
Conduct board review of newly developed Athletic Master Plan; considering timeline	Evaluate the possibilities of a full or partial capital campaign; timeline	Fall, Spring 2019	Athletic Master Plan, created by Studio 16:19, Finance Committee & Board Review, Diocese	
Board to consider addition of classrooms for future need Responsible: President, Board, Principal, Assistant Principal for Curriculum and Instruction, Business Manager, Finance Committee	Determine need, curriculum areas, timeline, funding	Spring & Summer 2020	Faculty surveys, classroom assessment, student projections	

**Goal 2.2** - Code of Canon Law 801 states "Religious institutes whose proper mission is education, retaining their mission faithfully, are also to strive to devote themselves to Catholic education through their schools, established with the consent of the diocesan bishop." (AB2.2)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal:				
Collaborate and communicate with Diocesan clergy regarding the school, in appreciation for	Plan for various mailings to the priests: thank you letter to Pastors	Fall, 2019	\$150 postage	
the institution of parish assessments to support Catholic high	Mailings of Savio Now	Fall, 2019	\$1500 print/mail	
schools	Mailings of Timothy Team Annual Report	June, 2020	\$1200 print/mail	
Responsible:				
President, Principal, Directors of Communication &				
Faith Formation				

**Goal 2.3** - Rights and responsibilities of the faculty, staff, students, and parents/guardians are explicitly defined in regulatory handbooks. (AB2.3)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal: Updating Crisis Management Plan to include Standard	Edit content to include SRM	Fall, 2019	Crisis Management Plan, SRP & SRM documents	
Reunification Method. (AB2.4a)	Train faculty and staff	Fall, 2019	Texas School Safety Center, local agencies	
	Inform students, parents and emergency response agencies	Fall, 2019		
	Practice SRM plan to close sites	Fall, 2019		
The school will review existing policies and programs for bullying	The administration will review the policies in a faculty meeting, including use of Stop It app	September, 2019		
Responsible: Principal, AP for Student Life, Director of Guidance, faculty and staff	The faculty will review the curriculum in a grade level meeting	September, 2019		

**Goal 2.4** - The school demonstrates long range strategic planning to support the school's mission, vision and/or philosophy. (AB2.4)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal: The school will ensure that stakeholders are included in long range strategic planning	The administration will work with staff to initiate the annual goals Draft copies will be submitted to the board for review and input	Summer, 2019 August, 2019	Strategic Plan Draft, no cost	
	Draft copy will be submitted to the faculty for review and input	August, 2019		
The school will ensure that annual surveys for parents, board, faculty and staff are conducted	Fall surveys will be conducted to obtain information can be reviewed and considered for implementation during the current school year.	Fall, 2019	Survey document and results; no cost	
	Key items will be incorporated in employee handbooks, in- service training and professional development	Summer, 2020		
Responsible: President, Board, Principal, Assistant Principal for Curriculum and Instruction, Assistant Principal for Student Life	Surveys will be reviewed for upcoming year's Strategic Plan goals. Survey will use Harvard's Universal Question "How Likely is it that you would recommend our school to others?"	Fall, 2019		

**Goal 2.5** - The instructional program and educational facilities are funded to meet the stated goals of the Long-Range Strategic Plan. (AB2.5)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Responsible			COST	
Goal: The school will ensure long range strategic resource management of budgets and facilities	The board will consider enrollment trends when setting tuition, tuition assistance, and budget projections	December, 2019	Budget and enrollment history, budget projections and forecasting, survey data	
	A Five Year Financial Plan will be updated following determination of debt service	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	Financial data, enrollment and budget projections and debt schedule	
The school will evaluate the human, material, and fiscal resources to meet the schools' identified needs and priorities	School will evaluate enrollment projections, program needs to determine implications for growth and staffing	Spring, 2020	Enrollment trends, admission event participation and school needs Costs will be included in budget planning	
Responsible: President, Board Principal, Business Manager			for upcoming year	

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal: The school will combine multiple plans for communication, development and admission into one Advancement Plan	Review of existing documents Identify goals, action steps, timeline, resources/cost, and evaluation for each category	Fall, 2019, Spring, 2020	Existing documents, best practices for admission, communication and development; No cost	
Responsible: President, Principal, Directors for Admission, Communication and Development				

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal: The school will respond to parent input from surveys and ongoing communication by identifying key areas of concern and making them a focus for improvement.	Review identified areas from surveys and conversations for clarification in faculty handbooks, faculty meeting presentations and annual goals	Summer, 2019 Fall, 2019	Handbooks, best practices for instruction; no cost	
Responsible: President, Principal, Directors for Admission, Communication and Development	Teacher coaching will be implemented in the fall by the AP for Curriculum and Instruction	Fall, 2019	Technology resources; ASCD Activate through Diocesan license – webinars, ebooks, instructional videos	

**Goal 2.7** – The school is aware of and responds to the changing needs of the community. (AB2.7)

**Goal 2.8** - School effectiveness is monitored and evaluated by the principal and/or administrative team. (AB2.8)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal:				
Determine the	Principal will meet	Quarterly	Curriculum	
effectiveness of	quarterly with	Quarterry	documents,	
school programs in	Assistant		College Board	
curriculum and	Principals to		curriculum: test	
instruction and	review grades,		scores: No Cost	
student life.	attendance, AP			
	test scores, ACT,			
	SAT and CLT			
	scores			
	Assistant Principal	Monthly		
	for Curriculum and	Monthly	Grade analysis,	
	Instruction will		test scores: No	
	meet with		Cost	
	Department Chairs			
	to evaluate the			
	effectiveness of			
	curriculum and			
	instruction based			
	on student grades,			
	AP test scores,			
	ACT, SAT, and CLT			
Responsible:	scores			
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Principal, Assistant	(exam and		Estimated Cost	
Principals,	analytics and		\$2,550 for 9th	
Department Chairs,	reporting) as one		and 10th Grade	
Assistant Principal for	of the measures			
Curriculum and	for evaluating the			
Instruction, students,	effectiveness of			
parents	curriculum and			
	instruction			
	Conduct a student		Student survey	
	survey to obtain		results; no cost	

data regarding the	
effectiveness of	
Student Life	
components	
including the	
House System,	
Family Time,	
Academic Office	
Hours, and	
Assemblies, as	
well as student	
clubs and	
organizations	
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Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal: The school will provide funds for targeted professional development by department.	Evaluate funds available and determine how it can be divided. Investigate use of Title 2 and 4 funding.	Fall, 2019	Round Rock ISD to advise, partial funding through RRISD, school to complete funding	
The school will focus on whole department attendance at national conferences for: Science, Math, Social Sciences, and Engineering/Technology department.	Determine conferences that whole departments will attend, and make plans accordingly	Fall, 2019	Substitute teachers, conference information Department	
Faculty will be asked to present instructional strategies learned during professional development that can be used across other curriculum areas	Schedule time during monthly faculty meetings for this to occur;	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	meeting time will be used to plan the presentations	
Responsible: President, Principal, Directors for Admission, Communication and Development				

**Goal 2.9** – The school provides professional development opportunities for faculty and staff. (AB2.9)

#### Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment

**Standard 3:** The purpose, design and implementation of the curriculum represent the school's mission. A Catholic atmosphere, which is shared as well as understood by the teachers, students and parents, permeates all areas of the curriculum. Instructional decisions support the schools' academic goals, objectives and priorities. (AS 3)

#### III. Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment

**Standard 3:** The purpose, design and implementation of the curriculum represent the school's mission. A Catholic atmosphere, which is shared as well as understood by the teachers, and parents, permeates all areas of the curriculum. Instructional decisions support the schools' academic goals, objectives and priorities. Evaluation of the curriculum is continuous and responsive to the student needs.

**Benchmark 3.1** – The curriculum content and instructional program are rooted in Catholic teachings, traditions and values.

**Benchmark 3.2** – Curriculum (objectives to be taught) and instruction (what is actually taught) are explicitly aligned.

Benchmark 3.3 - There is evidence of the use of current technology in the instructional program.

Benchmark 3.4 – Individual student needs are met through programs of instruction.

**Benchmark 3.5** – The library provides resource and media support to the school's instructional program.

**Benchmark 3.6** – The administrative team and faculty review and analyze student achievement information and test results to plan program effectiveness.

**Goal 3.1** - The curriculum content and instructional program are rooted in Catholic teachings, traditions, and values. (AB3.1)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Costs	
Goal:				
Determine cross curricular activities that support Catholic identity (AB 3.1A)	Define "Catholic Identity" as it relates to specific curriculum areas Set aside time during department meetings to discuss how to incorporate Catholic identity beyond prayer	Fall 2019 Spring 2020	Curriculum documents; NCEA National Standards, Benchmarks & Rubrics; no cost	
Responsible:				
Principal, Assistant Principal for Curriculum and Instruction, Director of Formation and Ministry, Department Chairs				

**Goal 3.2** - The curriculum (objectives to be taught) and instruction (what is actually taught) are explicitly aligned. (AB3.2)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Costs	Evaluation
Goal: Science classes will move to incorporate more laboratory explorations	Increase inventory of student device connected probeware	Fall, 2019	Science resources, \$2,000	
	Purchase biology manipulative materials	Fall, 2019	\$500	
Savio will work to build a culture of authentic research experiences for students	Honors science students will participate in science fair, as recommended by partners at UT Austin	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020		
	Build partnerships with local research facilities for Senior projects	Fall, 2019		
Responsible:				
Principal, Assistant Principal for Curriculum and Instruction, Science Dept. Chair				

Annual Goal/Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal:				
Improve use of technology in the library (3.3 D)	Encourage use of existing digital resources, especially to students in Independent Study and AP courses	Fall 2019	Evaluation of use of resources in student projects and presentations; EBSCO; no cost	
Create a professional development opportunity that explores options for	Identify available classroom response systems that can be used in a high school environment	Fall, 2019	Survey re: library; evaluation of library materials;	
classroom response technology (polling)	Replace/Refurbish 4 library computers for student research and printing	Fall 2019	Student needs/computer options: \$1600	
Inventory and evaluate use of technology in STEM courses (3.3 C)	Inventory existing technology in science, math, engineering, and technology departments.	Fall 2019 – Spring 2020	Student Aides	
Responsible: Principal, Assistant Principal for Curriculum and Instruction, Director of Technology, Librarian	Determine utility of existing technology	Spring 2020	Teacher lessons	

Goal 3.3 - There is evidence of the use of current technology in the instructional program. (AB3.3)

Annual	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Goal/Responsible			Cost	
Goal:				
Develop program for teachers to design and use instructional strategies that reflect best practices for student mastery (AB 3.4 D)	Professional development opportunities will be aligned to program needs Faculty meetings will provide more professional development content.	Fall 2019 Fall 2019	Professional development listings, RRISD Office for Professional Development, ASCD Activate Savio faculty expertise	
Provide students with remediation opportunities (3.4 E	Determine the feasibility of establishing a learning lab within the school	Fall 2019, Spring, 2020	Existing learning labs, needed space and staff	
Develop a relationship with local professionals to enrich the instructional experience Responsible:	Identify areas that can benefit from this type of enrichment Identify local professionals whose knowledge and skills align with the curriculum	Spring, 2020	PSAT scores, student grades, student evaluation data	
Principal, Assistant Principal for Curriculum and Instruction, Director of Guidance, Faculty	Evaluate data on students with an Academic Performance Plan and accommodations			

Goal 3.4 - Individual student needs are met through programs of instruction. (AB 3.4)

**Goal 3.5** - The library provides resource and media support to the school's instructional program. (AB3.5)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsibility			Cost	
Goal:				
The school will develop a plan that	Library site visits	Fall 2019	Visits to local high school	
responds to the 21 <sup>st</sup> century needs of	Teacher surveys	Fall 2019	libraries; no cost	
students.	Research by librarian as part of EdD program	Fall 2019-2020		
	Develop plan	Spring 2020		
Evaluate current print and electronic resources to determine the	Complete process of cataloging library holdings	Fall 2019	Library World	
extent to which they support the instructional	Review Library electronic resources, Library World	Spring 2020	EBSCO, Library World	
program of the school. (AB 3.5A)	Review records of student use	Spring 2020	Library Records	
			No cost at this time	
Responsible:				
Principal, Librarian, Assistant Principal				
for Curriculum and				
Instruction,				
Department Chairs				

**Goal 3.6** - The administrative team and faculty review and analyze student achievement information and test results to plan program effectiveness. (AB 3.6)

Annual Goal/ Responsibility	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
ResponsibilityGoal:Establish common grading practices and criteria within departments (AB 3.6A)3.6A)Develop a documented process for 	Action Steps Meet with department chairs to establish uniform grading criteria and procedures in each department Department chairs will facilitate this conversation with the faculty and submit the document Link testing data to student records in a non-evaluative way. Create recommendation	Timeline Fall 2019 Spring 2020	Resources/ Cost Standards-based curriculum Grading polices PSAT, SAT, CLT exams (\$2000 for CLT10 analytics for all freshmen and sophomores)	Evaluation Syllabus for 2020-2021 school year
3.6C) Responsible: Principal, Assistant Principal for Curriculum & Instruction, Dept. Chairs	process for student growth based on scores and class grades			

#### IV. Student Services and Activities

**Standard 4:** Student services enhance the curriculum and are an integral part of the learning process.

**Benchmark 4.1** – The school plans, implements and documents a comprehensive counseling and guidance program for students.

**Benchmark 4.2** – The school plans, implements, and documents the need for student academic assistance.

**Benchmark 4.3** – The school provides support to new families and students on the campus to ensure success.

Benchmark 4.4 – The school provides additional services and resources to meet student needs.

**Benchmark 4.5** – The school sponsors extracurricular activities, including athletics and student organizations, to meet the special interests of the students.

**Goal 4.1** - The school plans, implements, and documents a comprehensive counseling and guidance program for students (AB 4.1)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal:				
Develop a guidance and counseling program to be implemented through the House System	Evaluate existing guidance material; modify for secondary students Work with House Council teachers and Director of Guidance to determine best method to present material	Fall 2019 Spring, 2020	Diocesan recommendations for guidance programs Models Social/Emotional learning curriculum	
Responsible: President, Principal, Director of Guidance, theology teachers, House coordinator, House leaders				

**Goal 4.2** - The school plans, implements and documents the need for student academic assistance. (AB 4.2)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal:				
Establish guidelines for implementation and documentation of student	Accommodation meetings with all faculty members	August, September 2019	RenWeb accommodation	
accommodations	Distribute accommodation folders to keep track of student information	August 2019	Accommodation folders; no cost	
	Monthly follow up for student accommodations during grade level meetings	All year		
Establish and implement a Student Support Plan for monitoring and providing assistance for students on an Academic Performance Plan	Establish a timeline for monitoring and meeting students Determine criteria for releasing students from their Academic Performance Plan Inform parents about the Student Support Plan	Fall 2019	No Cost; Rosters of students on an Academic Performance Plan	
Determine the feasibility of establishing a Learning Center to meet the needs of struggling students,	Visit comparable Catholic schools that already have an established learning center	Spring 2019	No Cost	

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Principal for Curriculum and		
Curriculum and		
	Instruction	

**Goal 4.3** - The school provides support to new families and students on the campus to ensure success. (AB 4.4)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal:				
Evaluate options for a summer gathering for incoming students and parents	Director of Admission will work with SPA and Booster to determine options for the best event that will work for large groups	Fall, 2019	SPA, Booster, family contact information: Cost TBD	
Responsible:				
President, Principal, Assistant Principal for Student Life				

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/Cost	Evaluation
Responsibilities				
Goal: Evaluate the interest/need for summer program offerings	Prepare survey and distribute by email to students and parents	Fall, 2019	Faculty, student and parent surveys: no cost	
Evaluate need for changes to transportation routes and vehicle requirements	Evaluate lease vs purchase options Consider greater van than bus use for routes and need for another school van Determine the need for new routes	Fall, 2019 Fall, 2019 Fall, 2019	Vehicle dealerships: cost TBD Evaluation of family interest and their home locations: no cost	
Responsible: President, Principal, AP for Student Life, Director of Facilities				

**Goal 4.4** - The school provides additional services and resources to meet student needs. (AB 4.4)

**Goal 4.5** - The school sponsors extracurricular activities, including athletics and student organizations, to meet the special interests of the students. (AB 4.5)

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal: Consider interest and requirements of any new sports – costs, uniforms, location, budget	Investigate costs for implementation of a new sport	Fall, 2019	Area programs, venue costs, local leagues: cost TBD	
Responsible: President, Principal, Athletic Director				

### V. Plant and Facilities

**Standard 5:** The physical plant/facilities and safety practices of the school promote a safe environment conducive to student learning.

**Benchmark 5.1** – The physical facilities and indoor/outdoor area(s) of the school are designed for their functions.

**Benchmark 5.2** – The school maintains a safe environment for the school community.

**Benchmark 5.3** – The school community is informed and aware of safety practices.

**Goal 5.1** – The physical facilities and indoor/outdoor area(s) of the school are designed for their functions. (AB 5.1)

	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
		Cost	
Evaluate field condition, irrigation, fencing, bleachers, dug outs, strength and conditioning area	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	Best practices; athletic equipment information	
Discard unusable items to ensure effective use of existing space; plan for additional space	Fall, 2019 Spring, 2020	Inventory, facility planning	
Create parking assignments for students, faculty and staff. Repaint lots and number spaces	Fall, 2019	Evaluation of student, faculty and staff needs. Painting schedule and plan	
Determine future seating needs	Fall, 2019	Lunch schedules and plan	
Evaluate best space for addressing student health needs	Spring, 2020	Space and equipment evaluation	
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Goal 5.2 The school shall maintain a safe environment for the school community. (AB5.2)

Annual Goal/ Responsible	Action Steps	Responsible/ Timeline	Resources/ Cost	Evaluation
Goal: Introduce I Love You Guys Foundation- Standard Reunification Method (SRM)	Identify multiple reunification locations	August, 2018	I Love You Guys Foundation Trainer, Mr. John-Michael Keyes Texas School	
Modify Crisis	Update plan once SRM	Fall 2019	Safety Center	
Management Plan to include SRM information. (BM 2.4) Comply with Foundation Memorandum of Understanding to inform all first responder groups of the use of SRM and SRM.	is determined Letters to be sent/contact/meetings to be held with law enforcement, fire departments, EMS< County and/or City Emergency Managers	Fall, 2019	Current Emergency Management Manual, SRP and SRM materials, Texas School Safety Center	
Responsible: President, Principal, AP for Student Life				

Annual Goal/	Action Steps	Timeline	Resources/	Evaluation
Responsible			Cost	
Goal: The school will provide students with training on the SRM at least once each year.	Review SRM with faculty, staff prior to student training	October	I Love You Guys Foundation material and website	
The school will drill each of the actions of the SRM	Students will be taught and practice	Fall, 2019	I Love You Guys Foundation material and website	
The school will provide parents with information about the I Love You Guys Foundation, SRP and SRM, online references and/or print.	Parents will be detailed information about the SRP and SRM within the Parent Handbook	Summer, 2019	l Love You Guys Foundation material and website	
Responsible: President Principal, AP for Student Life				

Goal 5.3 - The school community is informed and aware of safety practices. (AB 5.3)

#### **Summary and Conclusion**

The Strategic Plan provides a valuable opportunity for ongoing evaluation of program and school needs. The document serves as a general guideline for planning and decision making and can be modified as new information becomes available. We look forward to the opportunities that our goals and action steps provide, and we look forward to enjoying the progress that can be made in a growing and everevolving school.