

Portsmouth City School District's Continuous Improvement Plan

The goal of the Portsmouth City School's CIP is:

Academic achievement will increase through the implementation of high performing system that effectively supports out students and stakeholders.

Benchmark 1: Student and Stakeholder Focus

Strategy A: **All of the students in the PCSD will be taught using the Ohio Academic Content Standards, which are aligned with the Learning Outcomes for the Ohio Proficiency Tests and Ohio Graduation Test.**

Strategy B: **All staff will use scientifically researched best practices in the content area.**

Strategy C: **Staff will meet the academic needs of all students, whether typically developing, special education, gifted education, preschool, early education, etc.**

Strategy D: **Parent/Community involvement and support for the PCSC will increase during the next three years.**

Strategy E: **All students at each grade level will be Technology Literate by Eighth Grade according to the standards of No Child Left Behind Act and State Technology Standards.**

Strategy F: **The students of the PCSD will have the opportunity to prepare for a career within the school environment.**

Benchmark 2: District performance results

Strategy A: **Existing programs will be examined and evaluated to determine the extent to which each contributes to attainment of organizational and student goals and overall performance.**

Benchmark 3: Continuous Improvement Planning will continue in the PCSD.

Strategy A: **The internal working environment will be conducive to a high performing educational system.**

Benchmark 4: Faculty and Staff Focus

Strategy A: **Job satisfaction, morale, and performance will be monitored.**

Benchmark 5: Leadership

Strategy A: **District leaders will lead the process to becoming a high-performing school district.**

Benchmark 6: Educational and Support Process Management

Strategy A: **The district will have a process for improving and implementing educational/support process management.**

Benchmark 7: Information and Analysis

Strategy A: **Data collection will lead to informed decision making for the PCSD.**