

# OFFICE OF STRATEGIC INITIATIVE MANAGEMENT

**Broward County Public Schools** 

Driving organizational excellence through strategic plan execution.

# Goal 1: High-Quality Instruction

Goal 2: Continuous Improvement Goal 3: Effective Communication

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**Quote of the Month:** 



"Perfection is not attainable, but if we chase perfection we can catch excellence."

~ Vince Lombardi

# Your Voice Matters!

Our 2019-22 **Strategic Plan Survey** closes soon! Visit <u>www.browardschools.com/sim</u>, and share your ideas today.

#### FRIENDLY REMINDER:

For those participating in the **Strategic Plan Committee**, our next meeting will be Thursday, **October 11, 9-11 AM** in the KCW Board Room on the 1<sup>st</sup> floor.

#### OFFICE OF STRATEGIC INITIATIVE MANAGEMENT (SIM)

**Dr. Deborah Posner**, Executive Director **Ofelia Leyton**, Department Secretary

PROGRAM EVALUATION: Dr. Russell Clement, Director Dean Vaughan, Evaluation Administrator

PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT: Dale Schmidt, Director Leigh Kamens, Coordinator Gregory Rawls, Senior Programmer

INITIATIVE OVERSIGHT: Peter Eschenbrenner, Coordinator Annual Outcomes Report

The SIM team has now published the 2017/18 Strategic Plan **Annual Outcomes Report** for the District. This report describes the SIM framework to oversee and evaluate our initiatives, and the status of **key metrics** for **Year 2** of our current three-year Strategic Plan. Download it at <u>www.browardschools.com/sim</u>.

Thank you to all of our outstanding teachers, staff, students, and administrators for your excellent work executing on our goals and initiatives for ensuring student success!



# SIM's 2017/18 Activities Aligned to the Strategic Goals

# High-Quality Instruction:

- Early Literacy Sustaining and Scaling Up
- Reimagining Middle Grades Planning, Partnerships, and Implementation Models
- College and Career Readiness Initiation and Planning

## **Continuous Improvement:**

- **Performance Management (PM) Reviews** completed for Food and Nutrition Services; Procurement; Transportation; and Physical Plant Operations
- SIM re-alignment that included new leadership, professional development, and business model resulting in new processes and outputs listed in our SIM Menu of Services

## **Effective Communication:**

- Enhanced **communication** and **data collection methods** that include web tools, surveys, focus groups, and dashboards
- Examples include the **SIM Service Request Form**, Strategic Plan Survey, Strategic Plan Dashboard, Environmental Scan, Project Plan Tool, and Monthly Newsletters, which can all be found on the newly redesigned **SIM SharePoint site**