

## Comsewogue School District

2020-2021 School Year

# The Year in Comsewogue

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Continue to increase student learning through the Problem Based Learning and STEAMS Framework and maximize student potential by enhancing the quality of instruction.

- Continue Year 4 of Middle States Accreditation Path
- Develop Business Partnership to strengthen PBL program
- Sustain College/University Partnerships
- Support K-12 Innovation Labs
- Integrate CTE Programs at CHS Virtual Enterprise
- Implement Social Emotional Learning (SEL) Plan
- Offer Seal of Biliteracy



- Earned Middle States Mid-Term Assessment Accreditation
- Held Business Partnership Meetings to enhance PBL- Zoom Meetings
- Sustained College & University Partnerships added SUNY
  Language Programs Italian, Spanish, French
- Implementation of SEL Plan
- Instituted Seal of Biliteracy
- Produced Work Based Learners: CISCO Certifications
- Conducted College Signings
- Enhanced PE Health and Wellness Course
- Doubled Intel Prep Participation
- Introduced Virtual Credit Recovery Program
- Constructed Innovation Lab at CHS
- Expanded Virtual Enterprise Courses won local and national competitions

- Created eSports Team won local and national competitions
- Continued Service Learning Projects
- Integrated Social Awareness
- Provided Technology Training: Faculty/Staff, Parents,
  Students
- Accomplished Athletic Seasons
- Maintained 1:1 Initiative
- Over 100 students participated in NYSSMA
- Continued Athletes Helping Athletes
- Hosted Virtual Field Trips
- Arranged Art Shows and Concerts
- Named Top Schools for Music NAMM
- Musical Field Day CHS



## Safety and Security

Ensure a safe, secure and orderly environment that supports student learning through a safe and healthy environment.

- Implement Covid-19 Protocols for Safety of all students and employees
- Sustain Security Levels Meetings
- Initiate district-wide physical improvements based on bond
- Implement Ed Law 2D Data Privacy and Personal Information
- Uphold use of Safety Features Rave, ID badges, Raptor
- Uphold standards of buildings' appearances
- Review drop-off procedures at building level



- Followed all protocols set forth by Suffolk County Board of Health
- Maintained and adhered to written procedures
- Provided PPE to entire faculty/staff and students
- Faculty, staff, students trained on protocols on COVID-19 procedures
- Engaged all stakeholders in COVID-19 discussions
- Sustained healthful and isolation nurses' offices in each building
- Maintained compliance with all regulations
- Hired additional custodial staff
- Upheld EdLaw 2D
- Maintained ADA Compliance on Website
- Conducted Cybersecurity risk assessments
- Continued with Supplemental Safety Features
- Enhanced Drop-Off/Pick-Up Procedures



# Fiscal Responsibility and Accountability

Ensure fiscal responsibility, stability and accountability through a transparent process that has the support of the community.

- Capital Improvement Bond: Implement Phase II Summer 2020 & plan Phase II1
- Negotiate PJSTA Contract expiring June 2021
- Comply with new laws and regulations in healthcare and finance



- Implemented Phase II of Bond
- Planned Phase III of Bond
- Negotiated PJSTA Contract
- Complied with new laws and Regulations
  - School Level Financial Reporting
  - Federal Requirements (ESSA)
  - State Requirements (3614)
  - Reserves Planning (TRS & Capital)
  - CARES ACT
  - o ESSER ACT I and II
  - o GEER ACT
- Passed Budget



## Communication

Build a connected learning community, broadening productive partnerships and services to meet the needs of all students and to more effectively communicate with parents and district residents.

- Continue use of most effective means of communication with community
- Continue recognizing contribution of stakeholder to improved student learning
- Continue to follow WCAG 2.0 AA Compliance
- Continue PTA Presidents Roundtable Meetings
- Update website with bond project updates



- Website / Mobile App Data
  - 7,720 App downloads total (26% increase)
  - Over 1,100 likes on the District Facebook page and over 250 likes on the Athletics Facebook page
  - Launched the SchoolMessenger App
  - Developed the website with a "mobile first" approach to reflect the majority of web traffic.
- Hosted Virtual Meetings
  - Back to School Night
  - Parent Teacher Conferences
  - Instructional Support Team Meetings
  - Committee on Special Education Meetings
- Maintained Committee Meetings
- Updated and Maintained ADA Compliant Website



## **BOE Policy Review**

Continually upgrade Board of Education policies to ensure compliance with State laws and Commissioner's regulations.

- Continue policy review and update at monthly Policy Review Committee Meetings
- Update policies on website to ensure ADA compliance
- Implement Board Documents



#### Policies Reviewed:

- Section 1000
- Section 2000

#### Policies Updated:

- 3235 Title IX and Sex Discrimination
- 7131 Non Resident Students
- 7640 Used of Recording Devices on Special Education Meetings
- 5660 Records Management
- 7240 Student Records
- 7240 R Student Records Regulations
- 5410 Purchasing
- 5540 Maintenance of Fiscal Effort Title I Program
- 5730 Transportation of Students
- 7660 Parent Involvement
- 5210 District Investment
- 8371 Information and Data Privacy, Security, Breach and Notification
- 8372 Information and Data Privacy, Security, Breach and Notification Regulation
- Board Policy 7517 The Education of Students in Temporary Housing

