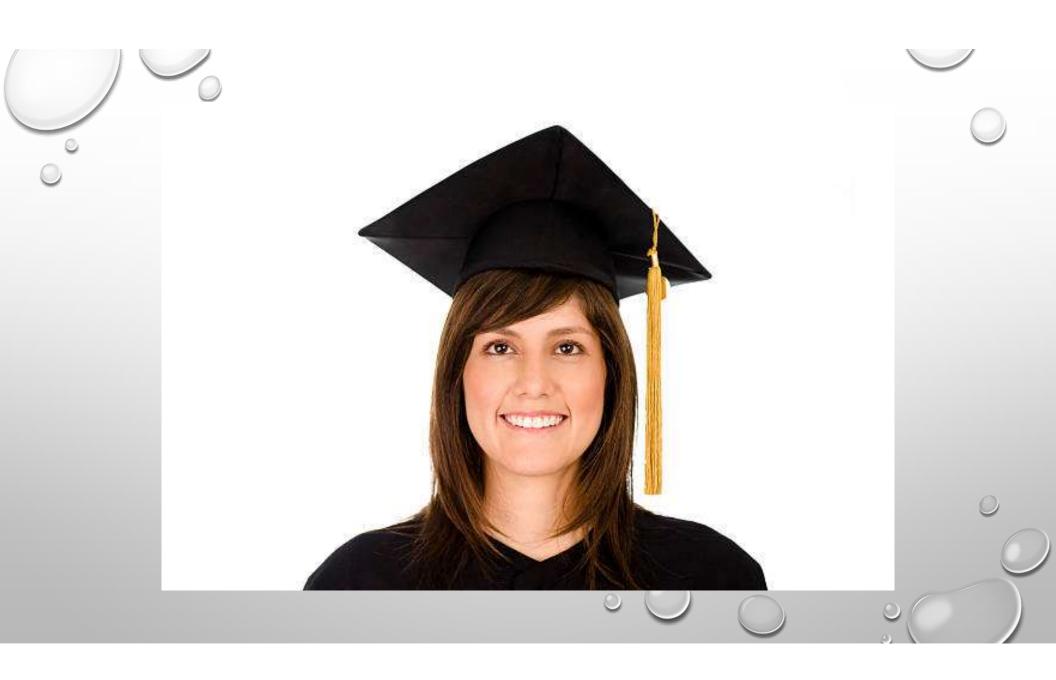
### ALIGNING YOUR MISSION FOR STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT MAKING YOUR DREAMS FOR STUDENTS COME TRUE

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#### ALIGNING MISSION WITH STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

PART 1 – START WITH WHY

PART 2 – FIND YOUR PATH





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# WHY?

JOHN'S STORY

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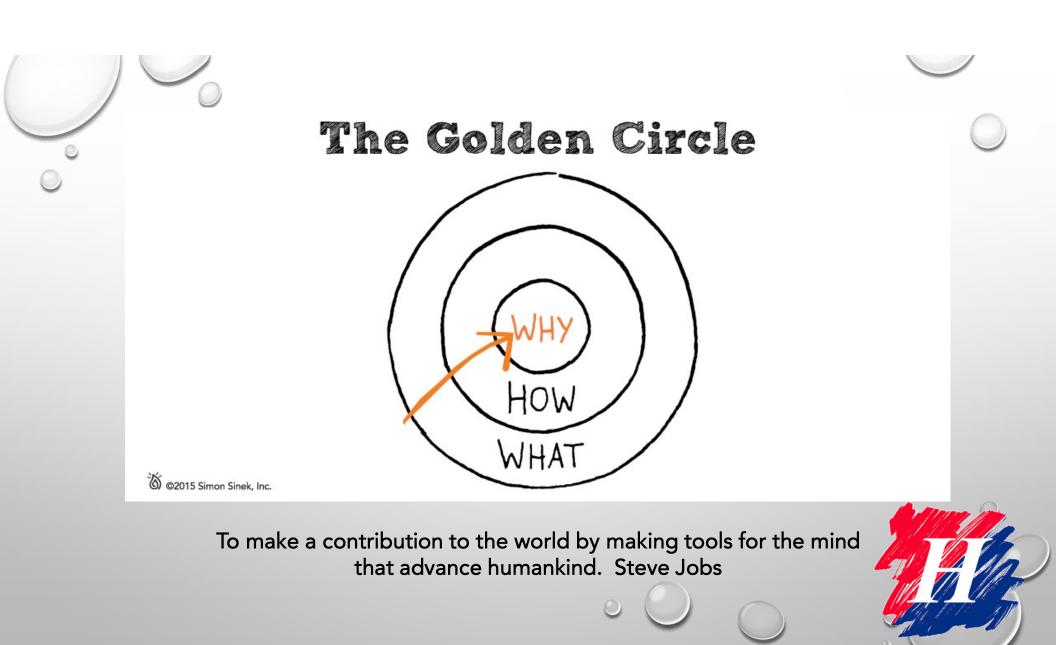
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# 1. START WITH WHY

- WHY ARE YOU HERE? YOUR STORY
- WHY DOES YOUR SCHOOL EXIST? YOUR SCHOOL'S STORY
- WHY DOES THIS MATTER TO YOUR STUDENTS? YOUR STUDENTS' STORY







### WE NEED CLARITY

 BUT SEEK FIRST THE KINGDOM OF GOD AND HIS RIGHTEOUSNESS, AND ALL THESE THINGS WILL BE ADDED TO YOU. MATTHEW 6:33



### BUILDING A HEALTHY SCHOOL



### HEALTHY VS. UNHEALTHY

- WHAT DOES THE CULTURE OF A HEALTHY SCHOOL LOOK AND FEEL LIKE?
- HOW DOES THIS DIFFER FROM AN UNHEALTHY (OR DYSFUNCTIONAL) SCHOOL CULTURE?



### **BUILDING A HEALTHY SCHOOL**

Inattention to Results

Avoidance of Accountability

Lack of Commitment

Fear of Conflict

Absence of Trust

 FIRST – BUILD A COHESIVE LEADERSHIP TEAM

# **BUILDING A HEALTHY SCHOOL**

SECOND – CREATE CLARITY

1. WHY DO WE EXIST? MISSION

Training and inspiring servant leaders through exceptional Christ-centered education and programs



# COMPANY MISSION STATEMENT

...PROVIDES ITS CUSTOMERS QUALITY OFFICE AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PRODUCTS, FURNITURE, PRINTING VALUES AND THE EXPERTISE REQUIRED FOR MAKING INFORMED BUYING DECISIONS.

### **BUILDING A HEALTHY SCHOOL**

#### THIRD – OVER-COMMUNICATE CLARITY

- GREAT LEADERS SEE THEMSELVES AS CHIEF REMINDING OFFICERS
- STAFF SHOULD BE ABLE TO ACCURATELY ARTICULATE THE SCHOOL'S REASON FOR EXISTENCE, VALUES, STRATEGIC ANCHORS, AND GOALS.



### BUILDING A HEALTHY SCHOOL

#### FOURTH – REINFORCE CLARITY

- LENCIONI PUSHES THIS CLARITY INTO SYSTEMS LIKE HIRING, EVALUATING, REWARDING, AND FIRING
- WE CAN DRIVE THE CLARITY OF WHO WE ARE INTO THE PROGRAMS THAT INVOLVE OUR STUDENTS



#### THE 4 DISCIPLINES OF ORGANIZATIONAL HEALTH



1. Build a Cohesive Leadership Team 2. Create Clarity Build a small leadership team with Define your playbook using the 5 essential components. the 6 key questions. 4. Reinforce Clarity 3. Overcommunicate Clarity Institutionalize the playbook answers by Communicate the playbook answers integrating them into every human system. repeatedly until they stick.





### **DISCUSSION QUESTION**

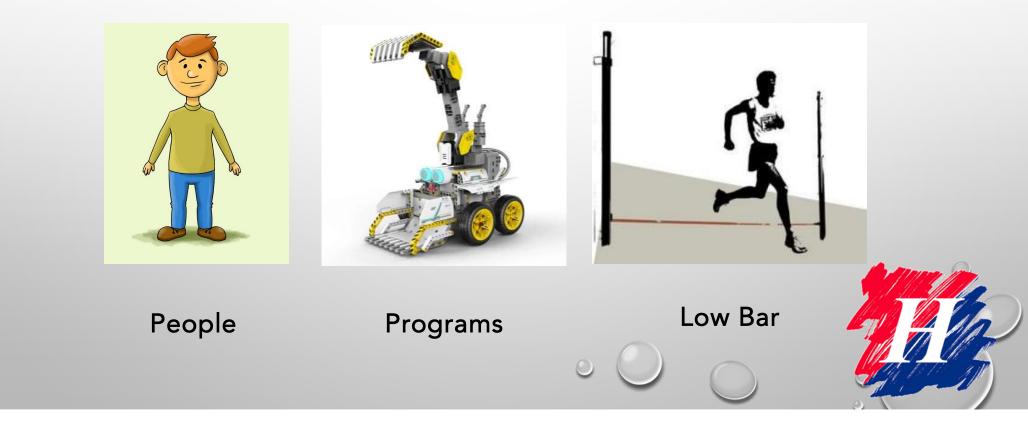
- WHAT AREA NEEDS THE MOST WORK IN YOUR SCHOOL?
  - GETTING RID OF TEAM DYSFUNCTION
  - HAVING A CLEAR AND COMPELLING MISSION
  - OVER-COMMUNICATING SO EVERYONE CLEARLY KNOWS YOUR WHY
  - BUILDING SYSTEMS THAT UNDENIABLY DELIVER YOUR MISSION



### 2. FIND YOUR PATH



#### POSSIBLE PATHS TO PARTIAL SUCCESS





## A BETTER PATH

THE MORE SUCCINCTLY AND ACCURATELY YOU CAN STATE WHO YOU ARE...

- THE MORE YOU CAN BUILD CREDIBILITY WITH YOUR CONSTITUENTS
- THE CLEARER YOUR PATH WILL BECOME







### THE BEST PATH

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Foundational Statements

> Effective Programs



### FINDING OUR WAY

USING HERITAGE AS AN EXAMPLE



### **VISION TRANSFORMATION**

#### 2009 **VISION**

FOUNDED IN 1973, HCS IS A PK-12 CO-ED PROGRAM WITH THE GOAL OF EDUCATING STUDENTS IN BROAD ACADEMIC DISCIPLINES. **OVER 90% OF OUR GRADUATING SENIORS** ATTEND SOME OF THE TOP FOUR-YEAR COLLEGES, UNIVERSITIES, AND VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS. WHILE NURTURING THE INTELLECT OF IT'S STUDENTS, HCS ALSO **BUILDS MORAL STRENGTH IN IT'S YOUNG** MEN AND WOMEN. WE ARE ACCREDITED BY THE ASCI. HCS SEEKS TO TRAIN ITS STUDENTS NOT TO ESCAPE THIS WORLD BUT TO GO INTO THE WORLD WITH A CHRISTIAN WORLDVIEW & MAKE A DIFFERENCE. THE HERITAGE EXPERIENCE WILL TEACH STUDENTS TO BE DRIVEN BY CHRIST-**CENTERED THINKING & DIRECTED BY HEARTS** FULL OF COMPASSION FOR SHARING THEIR FAITH & CONVICTIONS.

#### 2015 PORTRAIT OF A GRADUATE

- PREPARED TO SERVE AND LEAD IN HOME, CHURCH, AND COMMUNITY
- PREPARED TO LIVE WITH INTEGRITY AND DISCERNMENT
- PREPARED TO BE COMMITTED TO CHRIST AND TO THE PURSUIT OF BIBLICAL TRUTH

#### 2018 PORTRAIT OF A GRADUATE

- RELATIONAL SERVING AND LEADING IN HOME, CHURCH, WORKPLACE, AND COMMUNITY
- HONORABLE LIVING WITH INTEGRITY AND DISCERNMENT
- GODLY COMMITTED TO CHRIST AND TO THE PURSUIT OF BIBLICAL TRUTH TO IMPACT THE WORLD
- PREPARED WELL-ROUNDED AND ACADEMICALLY EQUIPPED FOR THE PURSUIT OF AN EXCEPTIONAL VOCATION

### MISSION TO PROGRAM

MISSION TRAINING AND INSPIRING SERVANT LEADERS THROUGH EXCEPTIONAL, CHRIST-CENTERED EDUCATION AND PROGRAMS

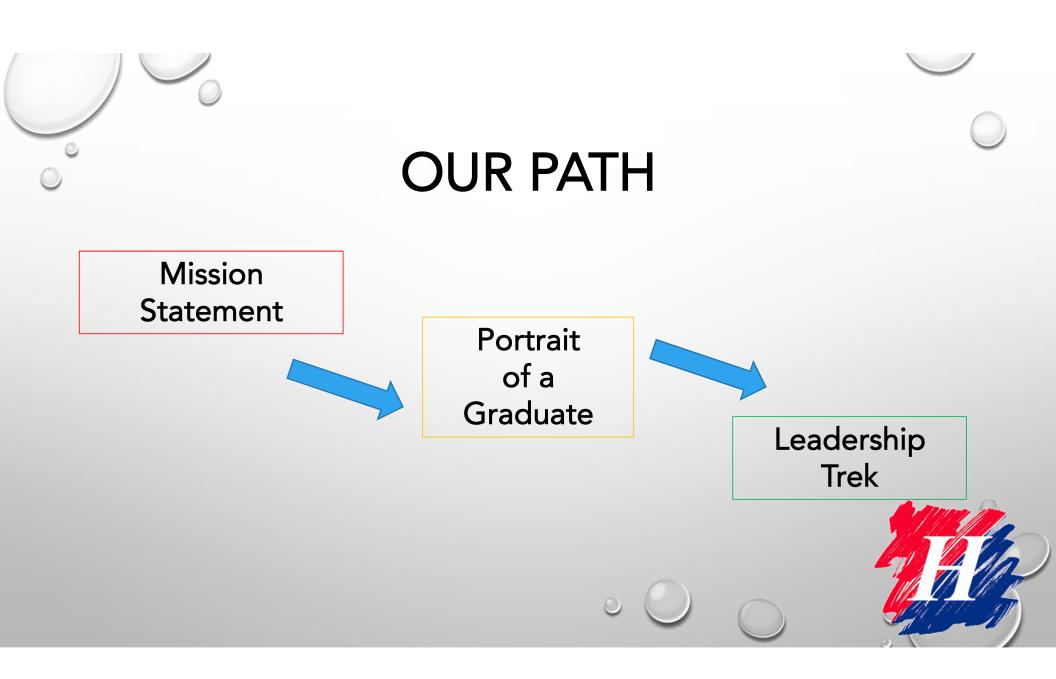
#### WHAT PATH?

- A PREPACKAGED LEADERSHIP PROGRAM
- MAKE UP A PROGRAM FROM SCRATCH

• FIND A MODEL THAT COULD BE ADAPTED – THE LEADER IN ME

#### WHAT PROGRAM?







### BUILDING THE PATH



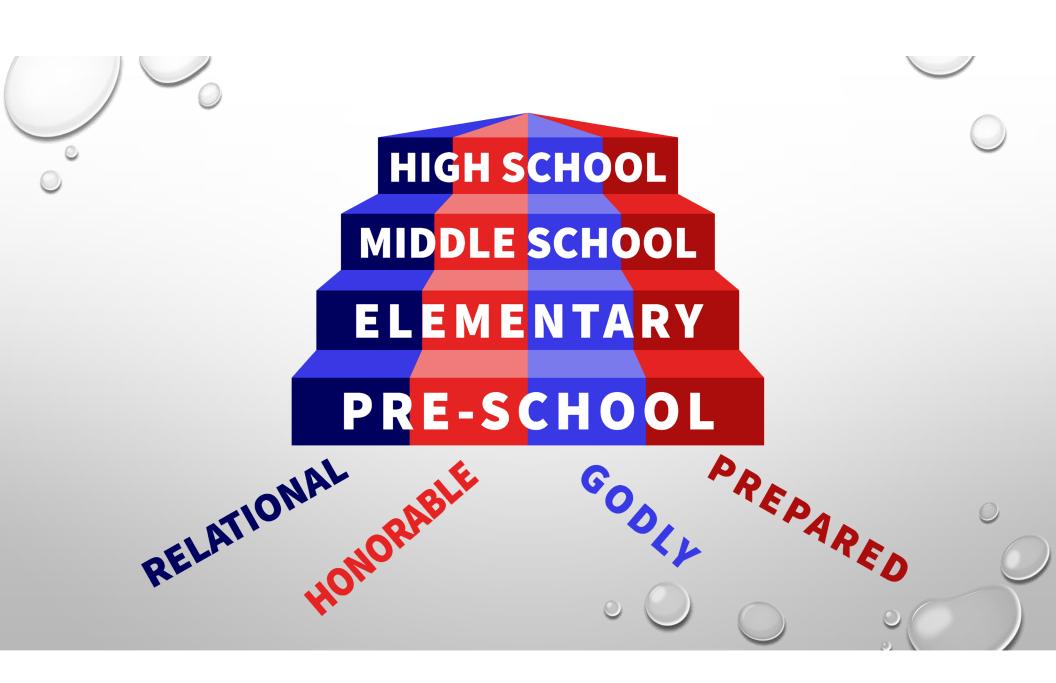




- WHAT OUTCOMES DO WE WANT?
- WHAT IS THE TIMELINE?
- WHAT ARE THE OUTCOMES AT EVERY LEVEL?
- HOW WILL EFFECTIVENESS BE MEASURED?







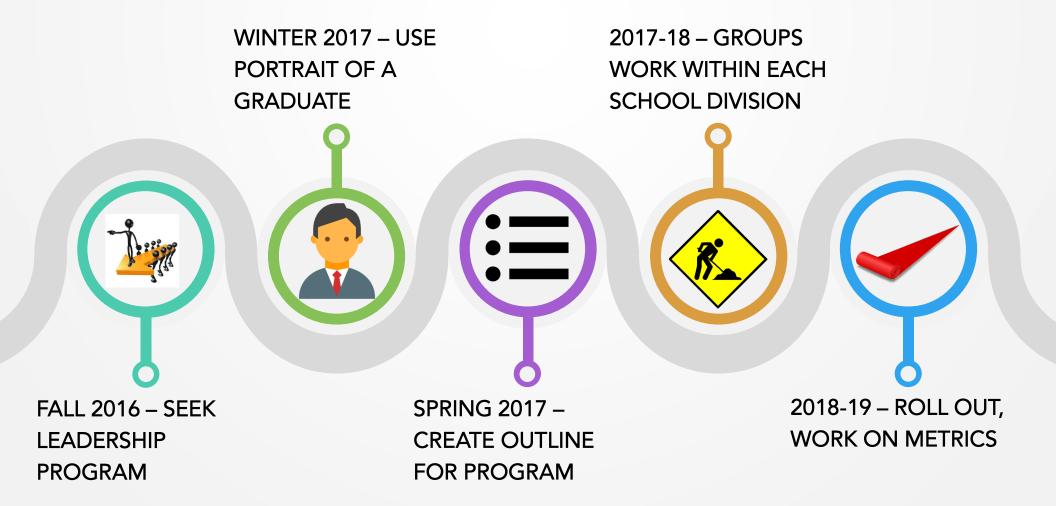


# TIMELINE



- WHAT INFORMATION WILL NEED TO BE COMMUNICATED TO EVERYONE?
- WHAT PARAMETERS NEED TO BE SET?
- WHAT GROUPS NEED TO WORK ON IT?
- HOW MUCH TIME WILL EACH GROUP NEED?

#### LEADERSHIP TREK TIMELINE





## PROGRAMMING

- WHAT "CURRICULUM" NEEDS TO BE PLANNED?
- WHAT ACTIVITIES NEED TO BE INCLUDED?
- WHAT TRAINING WILL BE NEEDED FOR IMPLEMENTATION?
- WHO WILL BE IN CHARGE OF WHAT?



	Preschool	Elementary	Middle School	High School
	Include Parents	Problem solving & life skills for relationship	Kindness	Gracious
Relational	Teach Physical Independence	Communication skills rooted in respect & love	Conflict resolving	Trust Building
	Affirm Leadership behavior			Self-sacrificing
	Others First			
Honorable	Honesty	Biblically based decision making	Integrity	Wise / Discerning
	Obedience	Personal responsibility in actions & academics	Self-Accountability	Peer-Accountability
	Self-Control			
	Examining motives			
	Accountable			
Godly	Good news!	God 1 <sup>st</sup> , Others 2 <sup>nd</sup> , Self 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Service	Passionately pursuing Christ
	Teach Bible stories		Humility (attitude of gratitude)	Impacting others
	Biblical truth to guide behavior			
	Relate things to their own life			
	Skill Development:	Develop a growth mindset	Fully engaged	Goal setting & achieving
Prepared	<ul><li>Academic skills</li><li>Social skills</li></ul>	Academic Initiative & Independence	Embrace academic challenges	Bold risk taking both academically vocationally
	<ul><li>Emotional skills</li><li>Fine &amp; Gross motor skills</li></ul>			



#### COMMUNICATE

REMEMBER THE MOST IMPORTANT THING WE CAN DO AFTER CREATING CLARITY IS TO OVER-COMMUNICATE CLARITY

- WHAT IS THE CLEAR MESSAGE?
- WHAT MEDIUMS DO WE USE TO COMMUNICATE?
- HOW DOES IT GET DELIVERED TO STUDENTS, PARENTS, DONORS, ETC?



# **ROLL OUT**

HOW DOES THE RUBBER MEET THE ROAD?



#### HCS ELEMENTARY LEADERSHIP TREK PLC - FEBRUARY 27, 2019

- 1. REVIEW THE EXPECTED STUDENT OUTCOMES. THESE CANNOT CHANGE.
- 2. EVALUATE IF WE ARE TRULY ACHIEVING, OR ON TRACK TO ACHIEVE THESE OUTCOMES THIS YEAR.
  - YOUR GRADE LEVEL "MEASUREMENTS" SECTION CAN BE A GOOD GUIDE IN DETERMINING THIS.
- 3. REVIEW & EVALUATE THE "SUGGESTED LABS, ACTIVITIES, & TASKS".
  - ARE THESE LISTED ACTIVITIES GOING TO FULLY GET US TO OUR OUTCOMES?



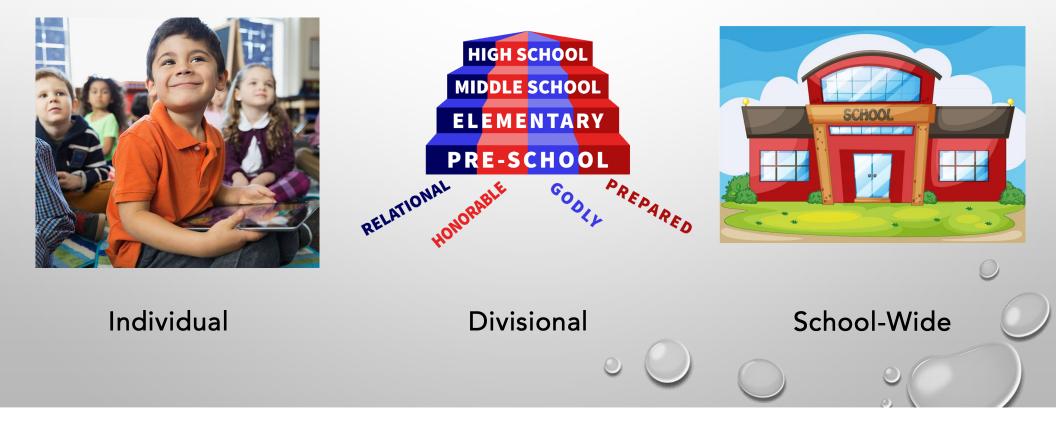
# ASSESSMENT

HOW DO WE KNOW IF IT IS WORKING?

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## ASSESSMENT



### INDIVIDUAL ASSESSMENT

Heritage Christian Schools Elementary Report Card

2018-2019

Grade: Teacher: Student:



Our mission is to train and inspire servant leaders through exceptional Christ-centered education and programs.

Attendance	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
Days in Quarter				
Days Absent				
Days Tardy				

Quarter	Q1	Q2	Q3	Q4
LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT				
Relational				
Works cooperatively to solve problems				
Communicates with respect and love				
Honorable				
Takes responsibility for academic learning				
Takes responsibility for personal actions				
Godly				
Practices Biblically-based decision making				
Puts others first				
Prepared				
Develops a growth mindset				
Takes academic initiative				

#### **Proficiency Scoring Key**

Level of Proficiency	Consistently Exceeds Expectations	Consistently Meets Expectations	Progressing toward Expectations	Area of Concern	
Score	4	3	2	1	

\*as curriculum is reviewed and aligned to standards, proficiency based grading will be used to report student progress toward stated grade level benchmarks

x=not applicable at this time

# DIVISIONAL AND SCHOOL-WIDE OASSESSMENT

WE ARE CURRENTLY WORKING THROUGH THIS

- WE ARE ALLOWING A DEGREE OF AUTONOMY AT EACH LEVEL
  - THERE IS A LOT OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN A PRESCHOOLER
    AND A HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT



- QUESTIONS
- SHARING INFORMATION
- DIALOGUE GOING FORWARD
- SUCCESS STORIES





# THANK YOU

IT WAS AN HONOR AND JOY TO BE WITH YOU!

