



## CISD Facilities Study & Planning Committee 2014

### **Guiding Principles**

- 1) The primary role of Corsicana ISD is to ensure academic and extra-curricular success in a safe environment for all students.
- 2) The human connections between a student and at least one caring adult, between a student and at least one older student mentor, and between parents and educators are primary functions of Corsicana ISD.
- 3) The Corsicana ISD community embraces the increasing role of student-centered, collaborative, individualized learning.
- 4) Students can access programs at any level, from anywhere, at any time, advance at their own pace, blurring the lines between traditional grade-level schooling.
- 5) The role of teachers and staff in Corsicana ISD is evolving from teacher to learning facilitators and life coaches in group and individualized settings with more autonomy to respond to individual student needs.
- 6) The Corsicana ISD Community is connected by the latest digital technologies and wireless infrastructure, allowing students of all socio-economic levels the accessibility needed to fully engage online.
- 7) Corsicana ISD offers a full menu of career and college pathways for students to pursue through their schooling.
- 8) Physical space in Corsicana ISD continues to become more flexible and versatile, adapting easily for evolving program needs. Appearance of the school buildings is important to the community.
- 9) The City of Corsicana, Navarro County, Navarro College, the business community, parents, and Corsicana ISD partner to strengthen program opportunities and learning outcomes not only for students but for residents of all ages and cultural backgrounds.
- 10) In an increasingly digitized world, interpersonal skills and character development through socialization education is a fundamental and critical element of a well-rounded education.
- 11) Corsicana ISD addresses growing poverty in its community by expanding its career training, literacy, and language programs to residents of all ages and cultural backgrounds.
- 12) Corsicana ISD leads the community's efforts to raise the quality of life for all residents.