**Our Vision**

We will prepare every student for lifelong success within a world-class learning environment with a commitment to community partnerships and sustainability.

**Our Mission**

We deliver educational excellence that empowers all learners to engage in our dynamic world.

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| Public Education
  We believe that public education is the foundation of our democratic republic. | Quality Education
  We will hire and retain highly qualified educators and provide them with ongoing support and training to deliver high quality instruction that meets the unique needs of all learners. |
| Learning
  We believe that everyone can learn and has unique gifts and talents that must be nurtured and valued. We believe that learning is a lifelong, multi-faceted process that involves more than academics. | Climate
  We will create and strengthen an environment that fosters mutual respect, responsibility and rigor, and ensures the right to physical, emotional and intellectual safety for every person. |
| Decision-Making
  We believe decisions must be based on the district’s mission and beliefs and relevant sources of information. We believe in an open decision-making process that invites honest dialogue. | Curricular Outcomes
  We will implement a consistent, comprehensive and challenging set of curricular outcomes that reach and engage all learners. |
| Diversity
  We believe that all learners have a right to equitable access to educational opportunities. | Stewardship
  We will consistently demonstrate good stewardship by analyzing information, prioritizing needs and managing our financial, physical and human resources to support our mission. |
| Learning Environment
  We believe that everyone in our schools has the right to a positive learning environment that provides physical, emotional and intellectual safety, and nurtures mutual respect, responsibility and rigor. | Communication/Partnerships
  We will build and strengthen bridges of open communication that engage staff, students, families and communities as effective partners in education. |

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<td>Robust core subject instruction.</td>
<td>Develop a long-term solution that allows for reasonable class sizes while maintaining financial stability.</td>
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<td>Spaces that are modern, innovative, creative and flexible.</td>
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Learn more about our strategic plan at http://www.northfieldschools.org/about/vision