

## Communications to Principals

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## Communications to Principals Packet

Relevant Content for Counselors | 2023-24

**March 5:** H.S. Principals & Assistant Principals Meeting, 3:00 – 5:00 p.m., Port Gardner B

**March 6:** M.S. Principals & Assistant Principals Meeting, 3:30 – 5:30 p.m., Port Gardner B

**March 7:** E.S. Principals & Assistant Principals Meeting, 4:00 – 6:00 p.m., Port Gardner A

March 13: Administrators and Supervisors Meeting, 3:30 –

5:30 p.m., Port Gardner A & B

March 26: School Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m., Board room A & B

**April 18:** Administrators and Supervisors Meeting, 3:30 – 5:30 p.m., Port Gardner A & B

April 23: School Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m., Board room A

**April 30:** Quarterly Regional Principals Meeting, 9:00 – 11:00 a.m. Locations Vary

May 14: School Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m., Board room A & B May 28: School Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m., Board room A & B

**June 11:** School Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m., Board room A & B **June 21:** Administrators and Supervisors Meeting, 11:00 – 1:00

p.m., Port Gardner A & B,

June 25: School Board Meeting, 5:00 p.m., Board room A & B

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## **Information Only**



February 23, 2024

To: All School Administration

From: Brian Beckley, Chief Information Officer

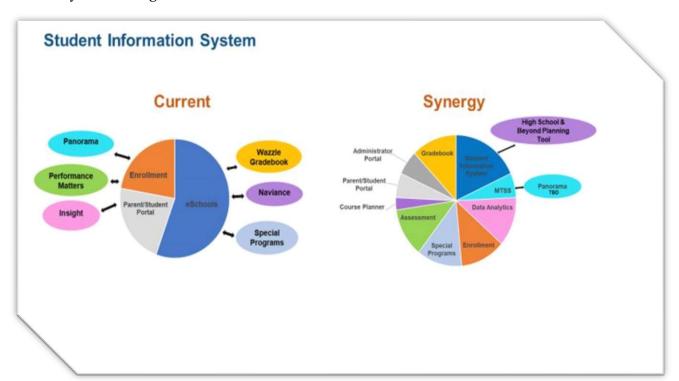
Regarding: New Student Information System Selected

It's been over a decade since we have made a change to our student information system. We heard clearly from our stakeholders that having an all-in-one system that had increased functionality and better alignment to strategic initiatives was a priority.

As I shared during the February 15 A & S meeting, the board has approved the recommendation of <u>Synergy</u> by EduPoint as the new student information system. With over 300 participants in 45 sessions during the demonstration week providing feedback, it was the clear winner from teachers, administrators, office professionals, counselors, students, and parents.

The diagram below shows the current model of eSchools as our SIS with the several additional tools we've added over time to supplement where needed. You can see, as we move to Synergy these additional modules are included in the overall system rather than needing a separate integration.

We need additional time to fully review the MTSS tool in Synergy to see how it compares to Panorama and the Student Success Platform. Also, we know the state is selecting a High School and Beyond Planning Tool for the start of the 2025 school year and Synergy is not one they are currently considering.



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Brian Beckley

## **Information Only**



February 23, 2024

To: All Building Administrators

From: Kelley Clevenger, Executive Director, Special Services

Regarding: Life Skills Program Placement 2024-25 School Year

Starting in the 2024-25 school year, we will no longer have a Life Skills classroom at Cascade High School. We have four classrooms, two at Everett HS and two at Jackson HS with enough capacity to serve all the students who need this level of service.

In place of the Life Skills Program, we will be moving the STRIVE (18–21-year-old Transition Program) from Jackson HS to Cascade HS. This is a prime location for the program as it is closer to businesses where the students can practice their post-secondary employment skills in an environment where they receive the support they need to gain employment after graduation.

Please contact your Director of Special Services if you have further questions.

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