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Camden City School District Long-Term School Planning

(Camden, NJ) – Camden City School District today released the following statement on long-term school planning:

The vision of the Camden City School District is “all Camden students will attend a high-quality school where they are valued, challenged, and prepared for college and careers that positively impact their community and the world.” As part of this vision, the District has engaged a firm to develop a long-term comprehensive school plan. The overall goal for the long-term comprehensive planning is to create an educational landscape for the City of Camden that increases the number of high-quality academic opportunities for families, while ensuring fiscal sustainability for the traditional district schools.

“The District has been in existence for over 160 years and has experienced much change,” said State District Superintendent Katrina McCombs. “It’s time to take the next steps to equitably transform the District and we want the community’s input as we take this step.”

The District looks forward to engaging students, families, and key stakeholders in the process to ensure access to high-quality education for all students. Beginning this month, the Camden community will be able to provide their suggestions for long-term planning by completing an online, written or phone survey, and participating in upcoming focus groups.

The District plans to engage in this planning process through the 2020-2021 school year. More information about this planning process can be found [here](#) on the district website.

Together we can and will move Camden’s educational landscape forward.

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