



**New Haven District System Design Partnership
Strategic Planning Team**

**Session 3: College- and Career-Ready Students as the Foundation of the
District's Mission and Vision and Connections to Visions for the Five
Priority Areas**

June 10 - 11, 2019, 8:30 a. m. – 3:00 p. m.

Agenda

Monday, June 10, 2019

Hillhouse Fieldhouse, 480 Sherman Parkway, New Haven, CT 06551

Learning Goal: Coherent visions for the Five Priority Areas connected to the District's mission of college- and career-readiness for all students.

Objectives:

1. Review the visions for the five Priority Areas.
2. Clarify the meaning of college and career readiness for all students and the implications for the school system.
3. Craft the District mission and vision.

8:30 a. m. Welcome and Introduction

Revisiting the Visioning Process

— Establishment of Norms

— Continue crafting visions for each of the strategic priorities

10:15 a. m. Break

10:30 a. m. Graduating College- and Career-Ready Students (Portrait of a Graduate)

— Defining college and career readiness for all students

— Implications for the school system

12:00 p. m. Lunch

1:00 p. m. How People Learn
— Key findings of current research on how people learn
— Implications for the school system

2:00 p. m. Break

2:15 p. m. How People Learn (continued)

4:00 p. m. Making Connections

Tuesday, June 11, 2019

Hillhouse Fieldhouse, 480 Sherman Parkway, New Haven, CT 06551

Learning Goal: Theories of action and strategies for bringing the visions for the Five Priority Areas to fruition and a communications strategy for the continuing work of the Strategic Planning Team.

Objectives:

1. Develop a theory of action for each component of the visions for the Five Priority Areas.
2. Generate strategies consistent with the theories of action.
3. Analyze factors supporting and restricting capacity to achieve the visions.
4. Draft a communications strategy for the continuing work of the Strategic Planning Team.

8:30 a. m. Reflection

Develop theories of action for achieving the visions spelled out for the Five Priority Areas

10:15 a. m. Break

10:30 a. m. Review theories of action
Develop strategies based on the theories of action

12:00 p. m. Lunch

1:00 p. m. Review visions, theories of action and strategies for comprehensiveness and coherence

Identify factors supporting and hindering capacity to achieve selected visions,
— Consider actions to enhance supports, mitigate hindering factors, and
prioritize use of resources

2:00 p. m. Break

2:15 p. m. Draft a Communications Strategy

3:30 p. m. Determine Next Steps