



Lutheran High School Strategic Plan Quarterly UPDATE

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Empowered by the Gospel of Jesus Christ, Lutheran High School nurtures spiritual, academic, and personal growth, equipping students for lives of Christian service.

First and foremost, we cling to the cross and the forgiveness that can only come from a belief in Christ crucified on our behalf. We also continue to stay grounded in the mission of Lutheran High. This update is to keep all involved and interested in the ministry of Lutheran High School. Our goal is to regularly update you on efforts and the direction of Lutheran High.

These targets are aggressive and big. At the same time, we have a BIG God! Our goals need to reflect the power of our God! We know that all things are possible through Him, and through Him, and His grace, we will hit our targets! The following is a summary of actions that have taken place since the last update.



LHS alumni currently serving at Lutheran schools in St. Charles County.

Critical Target #1:

Lutheran High School will enroll 400 students by June 2019.

Steps taken to address this target:

- Hosted **four Future Cougar Nights** for elementary school students during the Fall season.
- Welcomed 110 visitors on campus for the annual **Future Freshman Day** on October 7.
- Purchased an **integration tool** to synthesize Enrollment & the School Information System.

Critical Target #2:

The average ACT score of Lutheran High School's class of 2019 will be 26.

Steps taken to address this target:

- Accepted nine sophomores into the **Cougar Honors Academy**.
- Arranged for **on-site ACT tutoring** for interested students beginning in October 2016.
- Provided ongoing **faculty professional development** on best practices regarding student assessment.

Critical Target #3:

Lutheran High School will update the funding model to ensure a cost manageable by the Association by June 2019.

Steps taken to address this target:

- The **Booster Club** started implementing plans to accomplish its purpose of supporting LHS.
- Began developing relationships with **local businesses** to advance the LHS ministry.
- Started year four of five years with the **church assessment plan**.

Critical Target #4:

Lutheran High School will improve the campus to provide an innovative environment by June 2019.

Steps taken to address this target:

- Completed the **refurbishing of Room 202** as a model for other classrooms.
- The Board passed an action proceeding with site **due diligence** to continuing assessing future plant needs.
- Met with architects as part of the due diligence plan and **prioritized 4 areas**:
 - Increase student capacity by 100+ students
 - Provide a better student commons space and include a dedicated cafeteria
 - Provide a larger gym to hold 1,000+ spectators
 - Create an updated image of LHS to the area

You are encouraged to check out the Comprehensive Strategic Plan on our web site under the *About Us* tab.

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