



**Bayonne Board of Education**  
**Bayonne, New Jersey**  
**District Goal**  
**2019-2020**



**DISTRICT GOAL #2:** An enduring positive school climate and culture are essential conditions for fostering learning and positive youth development that results in productive and fulfilling lives. Social and emotional learning (SEL) refers to the process by which children and adults acquire and effectively apply the knowledge, attitudes and skills necessary to do the following: understand and manage emotions; set and achieve positive goals; feel and show empathy for others; and make responsible decisions. For the 2019-2020 school year, the Bayonne Public School district will strive to enhance the building of positive school climates and the healthy development of our students.

Major Activities	Staff	Resources	Timelines	Indicators of Success
Establish School Climate Teams	Principal School Counselor Teachers	Time Professional Development	August 2019 - June 2020	Copies of agendas.
Review School Climate Surveys with Building Principals	Principal School Counselor Teachers	Time	September 2019 - June 2020	Minutes and sign-in sheets from committee meetings.

Mindfulness	English Teachers PE Teachers Art Teachers Music Teachers School Counselors Student Center Counselors	Classroom lessons using Everyday Mindfulness and teacher created lessons Professional Development	September 2019 - June 2020	Sign in sheets Lesson plans Performance Presentations Student journals Lesson plans Performance Presentations Student journals
SEL Curriculum	Art Teachers Music Teachers	Classroom lessons using Lions Quest and teacher created lessons Professional Development	September 2019 - June 2020	Sign in sheets Lesson plans Performance Presentations Student journals Lesson plans Performance Presentations Student journals
Bullying Curriculum	Homeroom teachers	Professional Development Bully Busting Curriculum	September 2019 - June 2020	Sign in sheets Lesson plans
Take A Step Clubs	School Counselors Student Center Counselors Students	Time Monthly themes based on Awareness Months	September 2019 - June 2020	Awareness throughout the school Reduction student conflict/anxiety/ school violence depression