

Share your thoughts

COMMUNITY FOCUS GROUP INVITATION



The Schenectady City School District is beginning a **Strategic Planning** process this month. Through this process, we will solicit feedback from our students, parents, community members and staff, and then begin the work to design a roadmap for our future. Your participation is important. **The hopes and dreams that you hold for the children of our community are what we are all working toward.** We are asking you to spend about an hour with us to share what is important to you as we define our educational vision, mission, and strategies for achieving goals.

Please join one of our focus groups. Your input will be used to help guide our planning. Our external facilitator from *Studer Education* will host the discussion and solicit honest, constructive feedback at each session. Below is a schedule of the September Focus Groups. Each session will be approximately one-hour long.

Schenectady Community Focus Groups

Date	Time	Location
Wednesday, September 19	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	The Bridge Christian Church, 735 Crane Street
Wednesday, September 19	5:30 – 6:30 p.m.	Touched by Love Hair Studio, 1760 State Street #7
Thursday, September 20	1:30 – 2:30 p.m.	Yates Elementary School, 725 Salina St.
Thursday, September 20	6 – 7 p.m.	Emmanuel Friedens Church, 218 Nott Terrace
Thursday, September 20	6 – 7 p.m.	Paige Elementary School, 104 Elliott Ave.

Please RSVP for a Focus Group:

- RSVP online at www.schenectady.k12.ny.us or <https://goo.gl/hS8Ljz>
- Email your RSVP to Planning@Schenectady.k12.ny.us
- RSVP by calling the Office of Planning and Accountability 518-881-3405

Please submit questions through “Let’s Talk” on the district website. Select “Strategic Planning” from the menu.

We look forward to gaining your perspective and learning what is important to you as we design our plan and work toward continuous improvement.