# HARDYSTON BOARD OF EDUCATION

## **Mission Statement**

The Hardyston School District together with our parents, families and community is dedicated to preparing our students for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century by providing each student with a quality education, in a safe and caring environment, which allows all students to achieve the New Jersey Core Curriculum Content Standards and Common Core State Standards at all grade levels and includes the knowledge, confidence, and self-esteem to be successful life-long learners in a culturally diverse democracy.



## District and Board Goals for 2024- 2025

## **DISTRICT GOALS**

#### Goal 1:

Hardyston will continue to focus on math and language arts instruction and assessments in order to advance student achievement

## Goal 2:

Hardyston will improve student attendance and reduce chronic absenteeism by partnering with parents, and elevating student interest and participation in their education

#### Goal 3:

Hardyston will improve staff collaboration, camaraderie, and cooperation to optimize our school district culture and climate, and to aid in staff retention and encourage professional advancement

### **BOARD GOALS**

#### Goal 1:

Hardyston Board members will complete mandatory training as early as possible, and will endeavor to complete additional, non-mandatory professional development to advance their governance skills.

### Goal 2:

Hardyston Board members will endeavor to attend school-sponsored events and community events, acting always in accordance with Board bylaws and the School Ethics Act.