THE CHALLENGE
Systemic inequities in Marin’s schools and communities continue to limit what’s possible for many children of color and youth living in poverty; resulting in some of the greatest disparities in the state. This persistent educational equity gap is unacceptable.

OUR VISION OF THE FUTURE
Marin Promise Partners (MPP) refuse to settle for a world in which a child’s potential is dictated by race, ethnicity, zip code or circumstance. We believe that together we can change this so that every child in Marin can reach their full educational potential regardless of race, ethnicity or family income.

THEIR FUTURE - OUR MISSION
We promise that by 2028 we will have closed educational equity gaps at every stage along a student’s cradle to career journey.

That’s why more than 100 school districts, community members, nonprofits, funders, businesses, and government agencies have joined forces to work together as a county-wide, cross-sector, cradle-to-career partnership. With the support of MPP back-bone team staff, using the nationally recognized StriveTogether collective impact framework, we are taking an antiracist stance to break down barriers, build relationships, change systems, and improve lives.

RELATIONSHIPS BUILT ON SHARED VALUES
- Equity
- Justice
- Integrity
- Compassion

A FRAMEWORK FOR SUCCESS
Our unique Collaborative Improvement Process amplifies our individual efforts by weaving together all elements of the education ecosystem, from Cradle to Career. Together we are strengthening our system of schools and educational services by:

- Connecting and aligning around a common vision toward measurable results.
- Using shared data to hold each other accountable.
- Taking collective action, and
- Advocating with one voice for equitable, sustainable, systemic change.

Milestone specific Action Teams are focused on improving Kindergarten Readiness, Early Grade Literacy, Middle Grade Math, College & Career Readiness, Enrollment and Completion. Working across all milestones, we are improving our Cultural Responsiveness, increasing our Educators of Color, closing the Digital Divide, addressing Funding Inequities, and amplifying Youth & Family Voices.

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