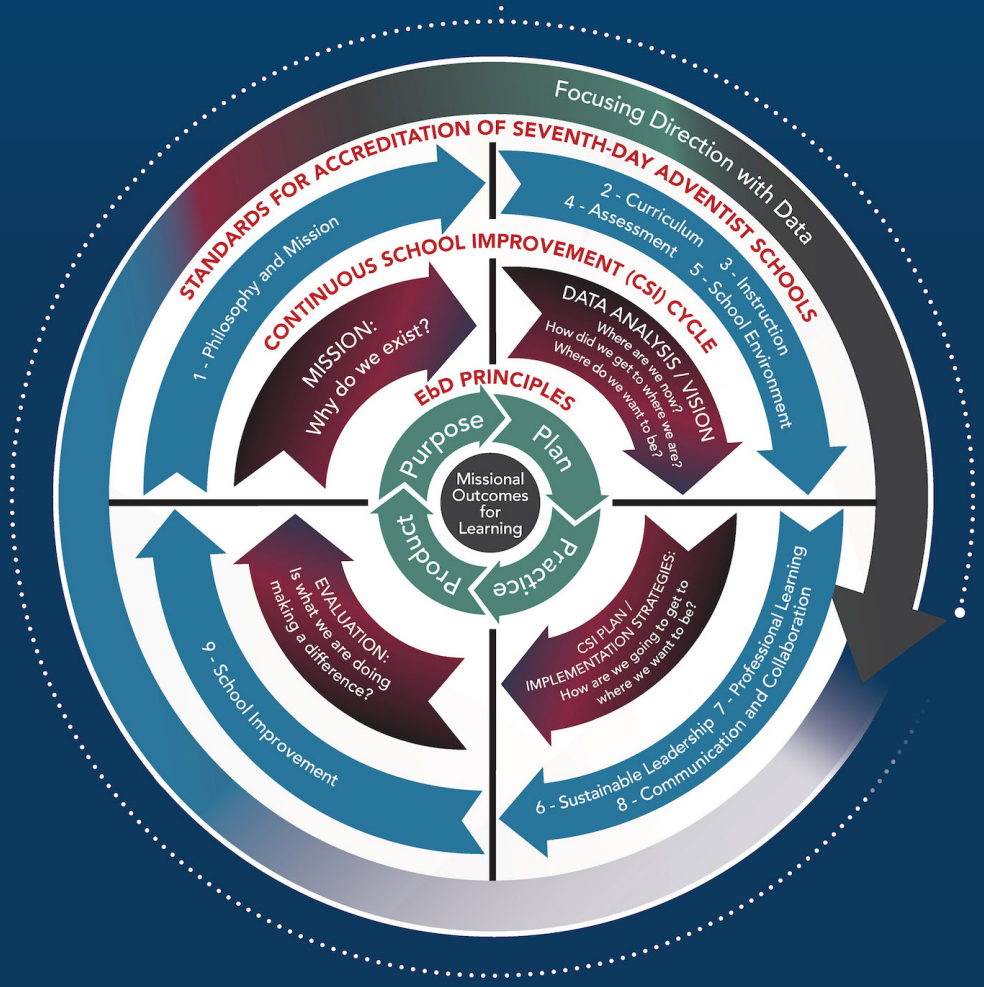
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Mission

Collaborating for Learning Excellence through Faith and Service



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Missional Outcomes

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Missional Outcomes for Learning

The Southwestern Union has developed a set of PK-12 missional outcomes or 7Cs that further articulate the mission or purpose of Adventist education, and are at the heart of the EDUCATION by Design Framework.

The outcomes identify the overarching competencies that are necessary for success in this life as well as for eternity. They serve as through lines for the other components in the Framework as well as metrics for measuring whether the mission is being accomplished.

Additional information regarding missional outcomes can be found at https://www.SouthwesternAdventistEducation.com.

7Cs

Connection to God and Others:
Develop a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and continue to grow in faith through balanced living (spiritual, physical, intellectual, and social-emotional) and service to others.

Citizenship:
Participate in civic life through collaborative involvement in community issues, accepting responsibility for local, national, and global environments.

Collaboration:
Demonstrate ability to work effectively and respectfully with diverse teams to accomplish a common goal.

Critical Thinking and Problem Solving:
Use experience, knowledge, reason, and belief to form carefully considered judgments and solve problems.

Creativity and Innovation:
Use knowledge and imagination to create new ways of thinking to find solutions to problems and to create products and services.

Communication:
Articulate thoughts and ideas effectively using oral, written, and nonverbal communication skills in a variety of forms and contexts.

Character:
Demonstrate Christian values and dispositions in responding to a changing environment.