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Utilizing the research of collective efficacy and visible learning, Jon has created school cultures where all stakeholders work collaboratively, and in alignment towards collective goals. He believes that all students can meet their greatest potential when they learn in a safe, warm, and welcoming environment with high quality educational opportunities.

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