

INSTRUCTIONAL GOALS

FILE: IA

Purpose

To identify instructional priorities in accordance with the Mission and Bridge to Excellence Master Plan goals

Definitions

N/A

Policy Statement

The Board's endorses a philosophy that our educational system will produce caring, responsible, self-sufficient adults who can assume a positive role in a democratic society.

To accomplish these goals, the school system will:

- Help students develop self-awareness, self-respect and a sense of personal worth;
- Develop each student's ability to read, write, speak, and listen;
- Develop competence and talents in all content areas;
- Foster in each student the importance of life-long habits in health, safety, and physical education;
- Instill in each student the importance and acceptance of diversity, mutual respect, and dignity for all individuals;
- Foster in each student the desire for life-long learning and the capacity to adapt to a changing society;
- Encourage creativity and individuality in each student;
- Develop in each student the interest and skills required to participate in a wide range of extracurricular and leisure time activities;
- Develop in each student the knowledge, skills and positive attitudes necessary to obtain employment or to pursue additional education;
- Provide each student with the means to nurture interests, discover and develop natural talents and express thoughts, values and feelings through various learning opportunities;
- Prepare students to engage in productive decision making.

Legal Reference			
Policy History	Adopted	Reviewed	Revised