STUDENT POLICIES GOALS

Students are the focal point of all district operations and must receive the primary attention of the Board of Education and all staff members. Consequently, the Board will spend most of its time in study, deliberation and policy formulation on matters directly related to student welfare.

The Board recognizes the individual worth of each student. The Board and staff accept the responsibility of helping each student to develop his/her capacity for intellectual, physical, emotional, and social growth. The Board acknowledges that a student's growth is influenced by his/her environment, both at home and in school. Therefore, the school district shall strive to create an environment in which the student may learn to live and adapt successfully in an ever-changing world in order to become a responsible and productive member of society.

The Board and district staff shall work together to achieve the following goals:

- 1. Continuous improvement and strengthening of student achievement, instructional programs and support services.
- 2. Updating school procedures and practices to reflect increased expectations among stakeholders for accountability and service, in consultation with those who will implement such practices.
- 3. Providing quality support services as necessary to meet the district's mission and to maintain good stewardship of district facilities and grounds.
- 4. Ensuring fiscal responsibility and cost-effectiveness associated with expenditure of funds to support the goals above.

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