

INSTRUCTION

6:10 School District Philosophy and Objectives

Dwight Public Schools, in an active partnership with parents and community, will promote excellence in a caring environment in which all students learn and grow. This partnership shall empower all students to develop a strong self-esteem and to become responsible learners and decision-makers. The School Boards are committed to developing and using a visionary and innovative curriculum, a knowledgeable and dedicated staff, and sound fiscal and management practices.

It is the mission of the Dwight Public Schools to provide all students an opportunity to reach their full potential and acquire self-respect while preparing them to contribute, compete, and coexist in an ever-changing global community through the cooperative efforts of our schools which provide a safe and stimulating environment with a caring staff and a supportive community.

The Boards of Education believe the following statements should be goals of a well-rounded education. Each student should:

- Develop a zeal for continuous lifelong learning and self-improvement.
- Attain, commensurate with his/her abilities, his/her optimum proficiency in reading, English grammar, social studies, science and math.
- Attain, commensurate with his/her abilities, his/her optimum proficiency in listening, speaking, and writing skills.
- Attain, commensurate with his/her abilities, his/her optimum social, emotional, and physical development.
- Develop an appreciation for his/her role in the family and in civic groups.
- Develop skills for effective participation in the democratic processes.
- Develop knowledge and understanding of his/her natural environment.
- Develop economic competence as a consumer.
- Develop skills valuable to the work place.
- Explore and develop an appreciation of the arts.
- Develop wise use of leisure time.

Dwight Public Schools will strive to provide the citizens of this community with the most complete educational program possible. Every effort will be made to:

- Make the best use of the physical plants provided by the taxpayers.
- Secure, in the judgment of the Administration the best personnel available.
- Advise and inform the public from time to time of all school activities and to seek their advice.
- Provide the highest moral, ethical and professional leadership.
- Inform the employees of any actions of the School Boards pertinent to their particular interests.

CROSS REF: 1:30 (School District Philosophy), 3:10 (Goals and Objectives), 6:15 (School Accountability), 7:10 (Equal Educational Opportunities)

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