

UNITED SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: MISSION STATEMENT/
BELIEF STATEMENTS

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<p>1. Authority</p> <p>Title 22 Sec. 4.13</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">101. MISSION STATEMENT/BELIEF STATEMENTS</p> <p><u>Mission Statement</u></p> <p>Preparing our students for tomorrow...today!</p> <p><u>Vision</u></p> <p>We envision a United School District where:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Our students are given opportunity and support to develop their individual talents at their highest potential.2. Our students have an equal opportunity to learn and express their creativity.3. Our administrators, teachers and staff work with students and parents to provide a safe, nurturing learning environment.4. Our personnel demonstrate a passion for teaching and learning, a commitment to personal growth and a respect for individuals.5. Our curriculum and instruction are student centered, results oriented and future focused.6. Our facilities are maintained and equipped with high-quality, relevant resources for real-world application.7. Our school community is committed to continuous improvement.8. Our students are actively engaged in independent and collaborative learning.9. Our students are prepared to contribute to an ever-changing, increasingly diverse community, society and world.
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10. Our district encourages and develops leadership and excellence throughout the school community.

Shared Values

Concerning students, we believe that:

1. All students should have the opportunity to learn in a safe, secure and caring environment.
2. All students can achieve success in school when their learning experience is meaningful, relevant and challenging.
3. The learning environment should support the unique abilities, interests, needs and goals of the students.
4. All students deserve a learning environment that is equipped with the resources necessary for them to be successful.
5. Students should be prepared to be critical thinkers and life-long self-directed learners to become productive members of a diverse global society.

Concerning learning communities/educators & teaching, we believe that:

1. On-going professional development is essential for the enhancement of the learning process.
2. Professional development and collaboration are the foundation for continuous growth.
3. Educators should embrace all aspects of professionalism and the “Educators Code of Ethics.”
4. Staff members should be equipped with the resources and tools to be effective in the classroom.

Concerning the community, we believe that:

1. Effective education is the shared responsibility of students, parents, educators and the community.
2. All benefit when people work together.

3. The community that values education prospers.

References:

State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 4.13

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