

EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY/SCHOOL DISTRICT GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

School District #1 believes that its duty is to provide the climate which will aid all students to become mentally, morally, physically, emotionally, and socially well adjusted. It believes that good education is based upon a solid foundation of basic curriculum which includes basic programs for all children and programs for exceptional children. The Board desires to be alert to the wishes of the community and to new educational methods and procedures.

We believe that the purpose of the educative process is to guide and direct the individual through those experiences which will best enable him or her to gain the understandings, abilities, and controls necessary for successful everyday living in our society.

We believe the role of education to be the social, physical, mental, emotional, and moral development of each student commensurate with his or her ability, interest, and desires in order that he or she may become a contributing member in our democratic way of life.

The objectives of School District #1 for each student completing the elementary-secondary school program are to ensure that an opportunity is provided for him or her to:

1. Be prepared to continue his or her education or meet the requirements of the job market in a field consistent with the student's interest and ability.
2. Acquire the knowledge and skills taught through the basic curriculum.
3. Apply appropriate knowledge, skills, and attitudes to real and projected school, community, and societal situations and problems.
4. Explore and participate in activities of interest for personal enjoyment and obtain skills in areas of vocational interest.
5. Develop knowledge and skills related to home management and family relationships.
6. Develop an inquiring attitude and the capability for self-development, self-direction, and self-fulfillment.
7. Develop respect for self and the rights of others.
8. Acquire a knowledge of physical and mental health.
9. Develop a positive attitude toward and demonstrate a knowledge of safety principles, concepts, and practices.

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LEGAL REF.: Wyoming Education Policies Reference Manual, code AD

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