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**STUDENT POLICIES GOALS AND OBJECTIVES**

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The board seeks to advance the following goals through its student policies:

* Enhance equal educational opportunity for all students
* Instill in all students the ability to be critical thinkers and to strive for lifelong learning
* Individualize the district’s educational program in order to provide appropriately for each student
* Promote regular attendance and consistent effort as key factors in student achievement
* Ensure that the legal rights of all students are recognized and respected
* Develop in students a deep sense of personal responsibility for their actions
* Provide, in every way feasible, for the safety, health, and welfare of students
* Deal justly and constructively with all students in matters of discipline
* Enhance the self-image of individual students through a learning environment that provides positive encouragement

All student handbooks will further these goals and be consistent with board policy.

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