



WICHITA FALLS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

"A Commitment To Excellence"

❧ MISSION ❧

The Mission of the Wichita Falls Independent School District is to prepare all students to become lifelong learners who are productive, responsible and participating members of society.

❧ CORE BELIEFS ❧

WE BELIEVE THAT:

- All children are inherently valuable and deserve equal opportunity to a high-quality education.
- A high-quality public education system is fundamental to the continued success of our community, our state and our nation.
- Parents are the first and best teachers and community involvement is crucial in the educational development of our children.
- All students can learn at their full potential through high-expectations for achievement.
- The core business of the WFISD is to ensure teaching and learning take place for all students.
- Outstanding student achievement is only possible through the efforts of highly effective district employees.
- School has a profound impact on every child's life.

BASED ON THESE CORE BELIEFS, WE ARE COMMITTED TO:

- Providing equal access to a quality education for every child that enters our District regardless of race, sex, ethnicity or socio-economic status.
- Doing everything possible to ensure student success, by not accepting excuses for anything less.
- Creating schools that provide a high-quality foundation in academics and strong support for emotional needs and character development.
- Providing a rigorous, relevant college preparatory curriculum as well as high-quality career and technology programs.
- Allocating resources to ensure equity for all students to reach their full potential.
- Providing students the opportunity to perform to their full potential and ensuring that there is no discernable difference between the achievement levels of students by race, gender, or economic status.
- Basing academic decisions on quality research and reliable, pertinent data.
- Ensuring that quality instruction takes priority over all other functions.
- Providing a safe and secure environment for our students and staff.
- Maintaining the integrity of all support systems.
- Operating a workplace where all employees are valued while striving to be the employer of choice.
- Ensuring that every classroom has a caring and effective teacher.
- Ensuring that campus and district administrators demonstrate strong leadership and management skills.
- Holding all employees accountable for student success and student well-being.
- Encouraging and actively promoting engagement opportunities for all students and their families.
- Partnering with community members, businesses and institutions to enhance student achievement.