We believe:

• Every child can learn

• Every child should have equal access to learn, grow and become successful adults

• In a district where each and every student is a prepared, confident leader who is comfortable in any culture and knows he/she will succeed given any situation

• Everyone has a voice and is a participant

• All children possess exceptional talent to reach their dreams

• Each child deserves an abundance of exceptional educational experiences

• That in all actions everyone will be treated with respect and dignity

• In a district that supports and rewards staff who provide exceptional educational experiences

• GISD students are better prepared for the real world because of our diversity and their experiences in our community and schools

• All children and staff deserve their schools to be a safe and effective place to learn, work, play, and heal

• GISD can be one of the premier school districts in the nation