POLICY – ENDS E-1

#### HIGH LEVEL ENDS

North Thurston Public Schools exist so that every student is prepared for a rewarding career, a fulfilling life, and compassionate global citizenship.

As a compassionate and dynamic school district, we serve the students, families, businesses, and communities within the North Thurston Public Schools.

More specifically, North Thurston will achieve the following outcomes:

# **End -1** Success in the Early Years

Every student will engage in meaningful learning opportunities that foster curiosity and joy of learning while developing the academic and social skills to meet/exceed standards by the end of Grade 3.

## End – 2 Responsible, Resilient, Empowered Learners

Every student will feel safe as an empowered, responsible, and resilient learner, open to and accepting cultural diversity and perspectives, and empowered to advocate for and pursue their own educational passions.

### End – 3 Critical Thinkers and Solution Seekers

Every student will demonstrate skills in creative and evaluative reasoning, communication, and collaboration to address challenges in a socially just and democratic society.

# End – 4 Continuous Growth – All Students, All Subjects

Every student will demonstrate continuous growth towards meeting/exceeding rigorous learning standards.

#### End – 5 Preparedness for Post-Secondary Success

Every student will successfully navigate the critical transitions in their personalized learning trajectory, and will graduate from high school prepared for success in college, career, and post-secondary experiences.

North Thurston Public Schools will achieve these outcomes for a reasonable financial cost to the community.

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Board of Directors