Policies

Westerly Public Schools Westerly School Committee Guiding Beliefs

No. 1010

Vision Statement

To provide opportunities in a safe and supportive environment for all students to learn and to become productive model citizens able to meet high performance standards.

Mission Statement

To provide a place where learning has no limits and academic excellence is measured one child at a time.

Core Beliefs

- 1. Learning is the heart and soul of what we do.
- 2. All children are unique individuals with special gifts and talents.
- 3. Teaching is hard work in an organization where all children are expected to learn at high levels.
- 4. All people in the organization, both children and adults, are valued and respected.
- 5. Risk taking, problem solving, teamwork, creativity and a sense of humor are traits we embrace.
- 6. The community is our "customer" and ideas and opinions are listened to and acted upon.

Goals

- 1. Support excellence in student performance across all subgroups.
- 2. Improve parent and community involvement.
- 3. Recruit, retain and develop quality staff.
- 4. Maintain the school facilities.
- 5. Address the Westerly High School physical facilities issues.
- 6. Address financial pressures.

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