

## Portrait of a Board Member

A commitment to the success of every student, one student at a time

## **AGCS Core Beliefs**

Lifelong Learning: Commitment to cultivating and supporting a school community that empowers the ongoing pursuit of knowledge, skills, and personal development

**Service:** Dedication of time, effort, and engagement to serve and support the entire school community

Connections: Actively seeks out opportunities to create, strengthen, and maintain partnerships within the school community

## **AGCS Core Values**

**Positivity**: Being fully present, self-aware, and trusting in others' positive intentions

- Always keeping our students as our priority
- Encouraging and celebrating our community's many successes
- Regulating our emotions and being mindful of the tone of our communications

**Accountability**: Dedicated to being prepared, engaged, and committed to the school community's goals in our actions as a team

- Making responsible decisions on behalf of the entire school community
- Demonstrating honest self-reflection and seeking clarity from trusted sources when needed

Confidence: Approaching our work with humility, believing in our individual and collective abilities, and remaining deeply invested in the well-being of our students and school community.

- Speaking with confidence while remaining humble and open to diverse perspectives
- Facing difficult decisions with courage and clarity and not shying away from necessary conversations or conflicts

**Kindness**: By fostering empathy, building strong partnerships, and promoting openness and respect, we create a supportive school community where everyone feels valued and heard.

- Cultivating a community of mutual respect and understanding in which we value each individual's unique perspectives, experiences, and contributions
- Listening actively and attentively, seeking to understand others, and accepting their "why" without judgment

