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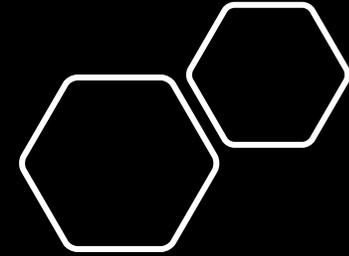


PINNACLE PROGRAM

DEPARTMENT GOAL

2025-2026

**THE PINNACLE PROGRAM GUIDES
STUDENTS THROUGH AN ITERATIVE
PROCESS OF INQUIRY, REFLECTION, AND
REFINEMENT TO TRANSFORM PERSONAL
INTERESTS INTO MEANINGFUL AND
IMPACTFUL PINNACLE PROJECTS.**



IA'S MISSION STATEMENT FOR THE PINNACLE PROGRAM

INNOVATION ACADEMY'S PINNACLE PROGRAM EMPOWERS STUDENTS TO BUILD UPON THEIR SKILLS AND EXPERIENCES TO GRADUATE WITH THE ABILITY TO TAKE ON ANY CHALLENGE AND PURSUE THEIR PASSION.

BOLD INQUIRY

INFORMED RISK-TAKING

RELENTLESS ITERATION

PURPOSEFUL SHARING

COMMUNICATE IDEAS

LASTING IMPACT



COURSE CONTENT



- The students are responsible for conducting and creating an original project that expresses their interests.
- Completing the project allows them to gain knowledge, new skills and contribute to their field of interest.
- This should leverage the work done in Pinnacle Prep, the skills gained in the Pathways, and the knowledge obtained in core classes.
- All content and instruction can be found on the class Canvas Page.

COURSE EXPECTATIONS



How to be successful

- Be curious
- Be creative
- Have a positive attitude

This is a course of individualized exploration. The expectation is that the student will seek knowledge and be able to convey this in a summative Pinnacle Project

COURSE SUPPORT



- Talk to your teacher in class
- Connect with experts in the school.
- Tutoring is available on Flex Friday mornings

If there is a need for support, please reach out.
We have student mentors and sources to help.

