

FOLSOM CORDOVA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Philosophy-Goals-Objectives and Comprehensive Plans

GOALS FOR THE SCHOOL DISTRICT

BP 0200(a)

The Governing Board shall adopt long-term goals for achieving the district's overall vision for its schools as well as clear performance standards and benchmarks which can be used to determine if the district is meeting these goals. Goals shall be limited in number so as to be reasonably achievable within established timelines.

(cf. 0000 – Vision)

(cf. 0100 – Philosophy)

(cf. 0500 – Accountability)

(cf. 9000 – Role of the Board)

The Superintendent or designee may establish short-term, interim objectives and comprehensive plans to ensure adequate, regular progress toward the district's long-term goals.

(cf. 0400 – Comprehensive Plans)

The district's goals are to:

1. Maintain safe, healthful and orderly campuses which encourage positive attitudes in students
2. Provide a variety of classroom settings and instructional strategies which research has shown to be effective
3. Provide for the specialized needs of identified groups of students
4. Provide appropriate instruction to meet the varied academic and career goals of students by identifying and responding to individual educational needs of students
5. Ensure that all students achieve academic proficiency in essential areas of skill and knowledge
6. Develop each student's self-respect, respect for others, appreciation for diversity, and sense of personal and school responsibility
7. Provide time and resources for collaboration, planning and professional development for all staff
8. Maintain fiscal integrity for the District
9. Improve the organization, management and decision-making structure and capabilities of the District to better support the education of students
10. Employ technology in ways that enhance learning, teaching, and non-instructional operations

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11. Maintain effective relations between school and community which emphasize communication, parent and community participation and home-school cooperation and support
12. Cooperate with other public agencies and private organizations to ensure that children's physical, social and emotional needs are met
13. Provide and maintain facilities to meet the needs of present and future students

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

51002 Local development of programs based on stated philosophy and goals

51020 Definition of goal

51021 Definition of objectives

Management Resources:

CSBA PUBLICATIONS

Healthy Food Policy Resource Guide, 2003

Maximizing School Board Leadership: Vision, 1996

WEB SITES

CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>

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