



POLICY 1

FOUNDATION STATEMENTS

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BACKGROUND

The Board of Trustees provides strategic direction and guidance to the Division through the establishment of foundation statements which help guide decisions of the Board and the Division. They articulate shared values that set the framework to help fulfill the mandate of student achievement while ensuring an organizational culture that is strong, healthy, and engaging.

VISION

Rocky View Schools is a world-class learning organization where all students achieve their absolute best.

PURPOSE

Rocky View Schools connects with all students to ensure that everyone learns, belongs, and succeeds.

VALUES

LEARNING

- We are student-centered, actively supporting students where they are at.
- We create high-quality engaging environments where students take ownership of their learning.
- We strive for equitable access to learning opportunities.

PEOPLE

- We treat each other and ourselves with respect, kindness, and compassion.
- We seek opportunities to collaborate, cooperate, and include others.
- We learn from the diversity of our students, staff, and families.

COMMUNITY

- We engage with stakeholders and seek partnership opportunities.
- We communicate to enhance relationships and build public trust.
- We hold ourselves accountable for actions and results.

INNOVATION

- We nurture creativity and critical thought.
- We challenge the status quo and pursue new paths.
- We encourage risk taking and recognize the importance of perseverance, commitment and courage.
- We promote life-long learning.

Legal Reference:

- Preamble, Section 3, 7, 11, 18, 25, 27, 33, 35.1, 51, 52, 53, 67, 222 Education Act
- *Fiscal Planning and Transparency Act*
- Guide to Education ECS to Grade 12
- Policy and Requirements for School Board Planning and Reporting
- School Authority Planning and Reporting Reference Guide