

POLICY 6120
CORE VALUES

The following core values, with corresponding definitions, are adopted to empower all students to reach their unique capabilities, contribute to the community, and compete in a global society. District staff and students are expected to model, reinforce, and recognize these core values in all aspects of district work.

- Citizenship: Patriotic, a sense of pride, actively participating in the community, a sharing of time, talents, and resources
- Compassion: Consideration and acceptance of others, patience, tolerance, and kindness
- Courage: Willingness to take a positive stand, even if one stands alone
- Hope: A sense that a positive outcome is possible even in dire situations, a realistic optimism, faith in each other, perseverance
- Integrity: The quality of being upright, honest, and just in character and actions
- Respect: Honoring appropriate authority, treating others as you would like to be treated
- Responsibility: Accountable, accepting of consequences for one's own actions and decisions
- Self-discipline: Confidence in self, knowing that one is of value and can have a positive impact; developing and taking care of oneself
- Work Ethic: Diligent, productive, valuing a sense of accomplishment, a means to achieve one's goals

LEGAL REF.: Wisconsin Statutes
Section 118.01(2) [Instructional program goals requirements,
including those related to lifelong learning and
citizenship]

CROSS REF.: 5430, Student Conduct and Discipline
6100, District Vision
6110, Instructional Program Mission and Beliefs
6418, Character Education
District Learning and Content Standards

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS: None

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