

EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

It shall be the philosophy of the Mecklenburg County School Board to provide equal opportunity for every student to achieve maximum intellectual, social, emotional and physical growth, to ensure that each individual be equipped to communicate effectively with other people, to be competent both in the work place and in higher education, and to feel confident of the ability to make creative and constructive decisions in his/her life.

It shall be the policy of the School Board to:

Provide the necessary trained and dedicated leadership, qualified personnel, equipment and materials to assure an appropriate education for every student;

Treat all personnel equitably with the highest degree of respect;

Appropriate funds fairly and efficiently; and

Attend to the property and equipment of all schools to work toward achieving parity among schools in the division.

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Mecklenburg County Public Schools is to provide opportunities for all students to develop to their full potential. In order to prepare students to their meet the challenges of society, we must provide a foundation of knowledge while nurturing lifelong learning and critical thinking skills. We believe that the success of the mission requires a shared responsibility by students, school personnel, parents, and community.

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Legal Refs.: Constitution of Virginia, article VIII, section 7.

Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended, sections 22.1-78, 22.1-79, 22.1-293, 22.1-295.

8 VAC 20-131-20.

Cross Refs.: AC Nondiscrimination

GB/JB	Equal Employment Opportunity/Nondiscrimination
GBA/JFHA	Sexual Harassment/Harassment Based on Race, National Origin, Disability and Religion
IGBC	Parental Involvement