

# VISION OF CURRICULUM EXCELLENCE

We the educators of the Denison Community School District, hold forth this vision of the curriculum of excellence we desire for all our students. We have a dream of a curriculum that is challenging, fosters the attitude of lifelong learning, and is characterized as being:



## MEANINGFUL

The curriculum emphasizes active participation in real-life experiences so that all students find purpose in their studies and see the connections between subject areas.



## SOCIALLY RESPONSIBLE

The curriculum develops a sense of responsibility to others. Students learn to work together successfully, becoming aware of their obligations and duties in a democracy.



## GROUNDING IN EACH SUBJECT'S BASIC CONTENT

Courses will develop basic skills, knowledge and abilities.



## EMPHASIZES THINKING SKILLS

The curriculum fosters skills and attitudes that enable students to think critically, creatively, and constructively.



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The curriculum process will continually evolve in response to student and societal needs.