

MISSION STATEMENT

PURPOSE

Chase County schools will provide an effective educational experience for each student. The education of the students in Chase County is a partnership composed of staff, students, parents, guardians and community members. This partnership is mutually responsible for the highest possible development of knowledge, skills, and attitudes of every student. We will set high expectations to inspire students to become responsible citizens in our society. We will provide a safe, caring, and consistent atmosphere to meet the needs of individual learners and all students will learn, develop, and demonstrate the skills needed for academic, career, and individual success.

GOALS

To achieve the purpose of the Chase County School District, the Board of Education and staff will ensure that students demonstrate competencies in:

Language Arts	Fine Arts	Mathematics	Science
Technology	Social Studies	Health/Physical Education	Career Education

In addition, students will be encouraged to:

- *Communicate effectively
- *Be honest
- *Meet requirements and deadlines
- *Work cooperatively with others
- *Use the democratic process
- *Make responsible choices
- *Take advantage of guidance and other assistance resources
- *Acquire a foreign language
- *Analyze various forms of information for decision-making and problem solving

COMMITMENT: Teachers, administrators, support personnel, board of education members, as well as students, parents, and guardians accept their responsibilities for this mission to accomplish the district's purpose and goals. Approved by BOE Summer 2008

WELCOME

Welcome to Chase County Schools. The goal of our educational team is to unite students, teachers, and parents to work as a team to enhance student achievement. We believe in our students and it is the intent of USD 284 to develop responsible, self-directed, and good citizens for our communities.

The **USD 284 K-12 Student/Activity Handbook** contains important information concerning academic and/or extracurricular questions and situations that may arise during the school year. The administration and USD 284 Board of Education believe that an understanding of the school's policies and procedures by each student and his/her parent or guardian is necessary to create an environment that is safe and provides the best possible learning environment for all students. We suggest that each student discuss the rules and regulations in this handbook with his/her parent or guardian. It is to be used as a guide and is not expected to cover every incident that occurs. It will be followed fairly and consistently in all situations where stated rules and regulations apply. We hope that you will have an enjoyable and successful school year.

The USD 284 Administrative Team

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