

GOALS AND OBJECTIVES OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

The Midway School Board's (Board) chief concern is for the development, operation, and improvement of the schools of the Midway Public School District (District), and to provide excellence in education for the patrons of the District. Therefore, the Board adopts the following goals:

1. Establish for all children of legal school age, residing within the district, a system of free public schools which shall furnish school privileges equally and equitably.
2. Determine and establish courses of study which shall be followed.
3. Take an active interest in county and state associations for school boards and to pay necessary dues required for membership.
4. Fulfill all duties assigned by Law.

To achieve these goals, the Board believes that it can make contributions at several levels by:

1. Selecting and supporting an able Superintendent of schools.
2. Encouraging the Superintendent and other staff members to seek professional self-development in appropriate ways.
3. Joining in efforts to clarify the goals of the schools.
4. Performing the custodial functions of watching the public purse, maintaining the educational plant, and keeping an eye on the stability of the school system.
5. Enacting policies to guide the professional staff in their efforts to achieve the goals of the schools.
6. Testing all board decisions against their probable effects and to the extent that it is possible, actual results eventually attained.
7. Faithfully accepting the responsibilities and carrying out the duties delegated and assigned to the Board by law, regulations of the Department of Public Instruction, decisions of the State Board of Public School Education, the courts, and similar legal sources.

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