

EDUCATIONAL GOALS

The practical application of the philosophy of the Osage Community School means that adequate educational opportunities will be provided all children within the limits of their capacity from the time they enter kindergarten through graduation. The following opportunities shall be provided each individual:

1. To achieve a mastery of the fundamental learning skills and establish personal standards of educational excellence.
2. To understand and believe in oneself; to accept personal responsibility for one's education and personal development; and to build a system of moral standards and spiritual values which contribute to a democratic society.
3. To understand and respect ethnic and cultural differences and work effectively with other individuals and groups.
4. To understand and appreciate this country's democratic heritage and acquire the skills, knowledge, understanding, values, and attitudes necessary to participate in democratic self-government.
5. To develop understanding of the global nature of society and the interdependence of the world's people.
6. To develop a commitment to lifelong learning.
7. To develop and maintain sound physical and mental health.
8. To develop skills for personal expression and communication through the arts.
9. To understand and use technology and its related developments.
10. To develop the ability to use personal and public resources wisely.
11. To develop an awareness and appreciation of worthy leisure time interests and activities.
12. To develop positive attitudes toward and skills for work and an appreciation of the social value and dignity of work.

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