

Philosophy of Education Statement

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I believe any student can learn given the right opportunity. Not all students have the same support outside the classroom. I believe in cultivating safe, equitable environments so that students are able to learn and grow as best they can. Every student has their own story and deserves a chance to create and share it.

I also believe in students taking responsibility for their success. I help them craft their learning goals, answer questions and offer support, then encourage them to evaluate their progress honestly and ask for help when they need it. I believe a student who feels a sense of ownership over their education is a more motivated, engaged student.

Lastly, I believe in forging strong connections between students and staff members.

Strong relationships are the cornerstone of a successful education environment.

Students who feel seen, heard and cared for by staff members will feel safe. Staff members who are on the same page feel connected to our shared goal of teaching and supporting students, parents and each other.