

Deerlake Middle School Mission

Educating students to respond effectively to the challenges and demands of life.

Belief Statements

We, the Deerlake faculty and community, believe in academic excellence and that all students can be successful. In order to achieve this mission, we will:

- Provide all students an academically challenging environment appropriate for their individual needs, to allow them to explore their skills and interest.
- Provide all students the support necessary for them to be successful.
- Provide an environment with high expectations including fair and consistent discipline.
- Prepare students for a world of changing technologies and teach them to incorporate those technologies in their everyday lives.
- Provide a safe, secure and supportive environment that respects individual differences and the rights of others both at school and in our community.
- Support our faculty in their professional development to ensure the curriculum and teaching methodologies meet the changing demands of today's students.
- Ensure the faculty, staff, parents, students, and community members are all stakeholders who work together to meet the students' needs through open and timely communication.
- Value diversity as a strength of our school

*Revised by Deerlake's School Advisory Council
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