

Kalida Local School District
DRAFT Vision/Mission/Values
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Philosophy of Public Education: The primary purpose of public education is to:

- Develop each student's ability to communicate and to be communicated with;
- Acquaint every student with those facts, ideologies and techniques upon which modern cultures have been built; and
- Foster in each student the desire to arrive at independent conclusions after an open-minded consideration of all available information.

Vision: The Kalida Local school district is a financially solvent district providing students diverse program offerings.

Mission: Kalida Local schools prepare students of all ages to meet, to the best of their abilities, the academic, social, civic and employment needs of the twenty-first century.

Values: The work that we do and the decisions we make are based on the following values:

- High-quality programs encouraging lifelong learning;
- Teaching students to solve problems and use information and technology effectively;
- Equal responsibility with the home, church, and community to reinforce those moral, spiritual, and patriotic values upon which our own culture has been built;
- Abundant opportunities for student to be creative;
- Competent, caring and highly involved staff members;
- Accessibility to the most current technology for teaching and learning for all staff and students;
- All facilities equally maintained and equipped to meet the needs of current educational standards.