

#### OUR MISSION

The Alamo Heights Independent School District, the heart of our community whose passion is excellence, will educate and empower every student to excel academically as a confident, compassionate citizen with impeccable character and a global perspective through engaging, personally challenging, and relevant experiences that inspire learning for life.

#### BELIEFS

- ◆ All individuals have inherent value.
- ◆ All individuals have immeasurable potential.
- ◆ All individuals have a responsibility to themselves and others.
- ◆ All individuals have an inner desire to learn.
- ◆ Diversity enhances life.
- ◆ The home environment establishes the foundation for learning.
- ◆ Building supportive relationships impacts individual growth.
- ◆ Responsible choices are key to a healthy, balanced life.
- ◆ High expectations and challenge, combined with a strong work ethic, are essential to learning.

#### OBJECTIVES

- ◆ Each student will graduate with a competitive edge from a personally challenging academic program prepared to positively impact the world.
- ◆ Each student will be a good citizen with impeccable character who demonstrates a deep understanding of the world and the importance of contributing to local, national, and world communities.
- ◆ Each student will be physically fit and have a healthy mind and soul.
- ◆ Each student will cultivate an awe, wonder, and thirst for learning, discovery, and the beauty of the world.
- ◆ Each student will pursue individual dreams and boldly challenge the impossible.

#### PARAMETERS

- ◆ We will base all decisions on what is best for our students.
- ◆ We will not confine our thinking to the limits of our existing organization.
- ◆ We will not accept mediocrity in students or staff.
- ◆ We will treat all people with dignity and respect.
- ◆ We will not compromise excellence.

# District Education Advisory Council

**Agenda:** 11:30 AM - Wednesday, November 14, 2018

## I. Welcome & Introductions

## II. Overview of Roles & Responsibilities of DEAC

## III. Business & Planning

- A. AH Commons Presentation - Richard Mallard & Warren Pena
- B. Update on School Safety Presentations- Dr. Frank Alfaro
- C. 2018-19 AHISD Calendar Subcommittee Report
- D. Presentation of New Courses at AHHS- Dr. Jimmie Walker
- E. Update about Feedback February- Dr. Jimmie Walker

## IV. Learning Time

- A. Focus Group: Grading and Reporting on Student Progress-  
Dr. Jimmie Walker

**Next Meeting:** 11:30 AM - Wednesday, February 13, 2019