

**LAGUNA BEACH UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Board Policy No. 6003:            PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

- A.     The District affirms that education of children and youth is the mutual responsibility of the parents and the schools. The District affirms that the philosophical goals of the Instruction Program are as follows:
1. To develop each pupil's individual capacity to the fullest extent.
  2. To develop the potential of each pupil so that he/she will be informed, prepared and capable of assuming full responsibility for making his/her own decisions.
  3. To develop in each individual a respect for himself/herself and the capacity to maintain his/her individuality and to respect the same right for every other individual.
  4. To prepare each individual to enter society physically, mentally, emotionally and morally equipped to lead a life that is productive and satisfying to himself/herself as a free individual and to society.
  5. To develop in each individual a sense of leadership and responsibility for the preservation, wise use and improvement of his/her cultural, political and natural heritage.
  6. To develop in each individual a respect for the value of open and honest inquiry.

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