

HIGH SCHOOL PHILOSOPHY

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Chariho, a regional senior high school with an area career-technical center facility, is dedicated to educating the youth and to serving the community. As a comprehensive high school, Chariho offers all students the opportunity to pursue and achieve excellence in academics and technical skills needed to meet the challenges of a changing global society. Chariho strives to prepare students to succeed in their future endeavors and encourages the academic, social and cultural development of all students.

We believe that education is a shared responsibility and to this end, Chariho promotes a spirit of cooperation among students, teachers, administrators, parents, and other members of the community.

CAREER & TECHNICAL CENTER MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Chariho Career & Technical Center is to prepare young adults with the skills necessary for successful transition to employment or continuing education. We will develop and maintain the highest performance standards as identified by industry and our community. We want our students to become productive citizens with the problem-solving and thinking skills needed to meet the challenges of a changing, competitive global society.

EXPECTATIONS FOR STUDENT PERFORMANCE IN THE HIGH SCHOOL AND CAREER & TECHNICAL CENTER

Communication Skills: All graduates will master the skills of reading, writing, speaking, and listening, commensurate with their abilities.

Computation Skills and Critical Thinking Skills: All graduates will master the computational, problem-solving, and analytical skills necessary for personal responsibilities, to a level commensurate with their abilities.

Occupational Competence: The students who plan to conclude their formal education will possess job-entry skills at the time of their graduation.

Nature and Environment: Students will gain an understanding of natural law, the effects of people on the environment, and the need for humans to manage earth's resources wisely.

Responsibility: Students will know and understand the importance of individual participation in the American system of government. Students will develop respect for all public and school laws.

Personal Development: Students will develop an appreciation of the importance of personal fitness. Students will develop a positive self-image in order to cope with personal and family management. Student will develop ethical values and standards which will guide them through life.

Appreciation of the Humanities: Students will understand and appreciate human achievements in art, music, drama, and literature.

EXPECTATIONS FOR SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

Chariho High School will provide a safe, secure and supportive learning environment.

Chariho High School will prepare students to be creative thinkers, problem-solvers, effective communicators, community contributors, and productive citizens.

Chariho High School will actively promote the idea that education is a shared responsibility among students, parents, school, staff, and the entire community.

Chariho High School Will provide students with a relevant, comprehensive curriculum.

Chariho High School will provide diverse extracurricular and athletic programs.

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