

MISSION

Webber Middle School will support and challenge all students to learn and grow to their highest potential.

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Webber Middle School will prepare all students to succeed in the 21st century world by:

Focusing on young adolescents' needs

Utilizing a variety of best practices for teaching and learning

Achieving continuous student growth

Demonstrating active engagement of staff and students

Providing a welcoming, safe, positive, nurturing, healthy, orderly environment

Enhancing collaborative teamwork with one another, our students and their parents/guardians

Building genuine, positive, personal relationships with all members of the Webber community

Adapting to the dynamic challenges in our global society including information literacy and effective use of technology

Systematically supporting and challenging students to ensure personal and academic excellence

Recognizing and celebrating progress and accomplishments

COMMITMENTS

Be aware of and work to meet the needs of 21st century young adolescents

Identify grades 6-8 essential standards, align grades 5-9 curriculum, and create common authentic formative and summative assessments

Collaboratively team within the Webber community, Rocky feeder system and PSD to achieve our mission/vision

Teach for understanding and frequently assess student learning

Create a comprehensive, systematic intervention system honoring the diverse learning and time needs of all students

Regularly monitor student learning and progress

Provide a variety of opportunities for students to demonstrate mastery

Motivate students to be actively engaged and accountable

Build genuine, positive personal relationships with all members of the Webber community

Facilitate effective two way communication with parents/guardians and increase their involvement in their child's education

Exhibit flexibility and resilience

Regularly acknowledge incremental progress in addition to milestone achievements

Maintain a broad liberal arts curriculum reflecting our commitment to the growth and development of the whole child

Model the characteristics that will lead to high quality work and life long learning

Punctuate our serious work with humor and levity

Infuse the Webber community with democratic processes and knowledge of civic responsibility

Cultivate partnerships within the Fort Collins community that will foster social awareness and responsibility in students and staff Draft 4/08