## **Weakley County Board of Education**



Issued Date: Monitoring: Descriptor Term: Descriptor Code: **Instructional Goals** 4.100 02/05/2009 1 2 While the Weakley County Board of Education will endeavor to: 3 4 Provide highly qualified administrators, teachers, and support staff that use research-5 based practices, strategies, and programs to provide students clear purpose and direction; Provide curriculum and instruction that is properly aligned, research-based, and data-6 driven, focusing upon student achievement with high expectations; 7 • Provide technology for the students that will enhance the learning experience and prepare 8 9 them for the global environment; • Provide a safe, positive, and physically comfortable school environment that promotes 10 learning; and 11 • Provide a collaborative environment that encourages educators, parents, and members of 12 the community to work together for the benefit of student learning, 13 14 The Board approves the following broad-based instructional goals for students: 15 16 To begin school ready to learn and to develop a positive attitude toward learning as a 17 18 lifelong endeavor; • To learn the basic skills of reading, writing, computation, spelling, speaking and problem 19 solving; 20 • To learn to identify personal talents and interests, make appropriate career choices, and 21 develop career skills; 22 23 To develop the capacity to cope with change through an understanding of the arts, humanities and scientific processes; 24 To develop the skills necessary to function as a self-directed person; 25 To acquire the knowledge and attitude necessary to achieve and maintain good physical 26 and mental health: 27 To know the principles involved in making moral and ethical choices. 28 To acquire knowledge and to develop skills in the management of personal and public 29 resources necessary for meeting obligations to self, family and society; 30 • To learn to act in a responsible manner and respect the rights and responsibilities of 31 32 citizens of the community, state, nation and world; • To learn to understand, respect and interact with people of different cultures, generations 33 and races. 34 35 36 37 38 39 40 Cross Reference: 41 42 1.700 School District Goals