### **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 and 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**

Wednesday, April 12, 2017 11:30AM

# **Agenda**

- I. Welcome & Introductions
- II. Business
  - A. Bond Update Dr. Kevin Brown
- III. Planning
  - A. AHISD School and Community Engagement Tool
  - B. Family/Faculty/Student Survey
  - C. District of Innovation Updates
- IV. Federal Program Evaluation May 15, 2017, 3:30 4:00 PM (Brouillard, Brown, Dixon, Large, Maxwell)
- V. Focus Groups:

Focus	Time:	April Dates:
Groups:		
Teachers	4:00 – 5:00 p.m.	May 3, 2017
Parents	6:00 – 7:00 p.m.	May 3, 2017
Students	12:25 – 1:15 p.m.	April 27, 2017
	Teachers/Parents: Board Room	
<b>Location:</b>	Students: Design Center	

VI. Meeting dates for next year:

Time: 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM

**Location: High School Oaks Conference Room** 

- September 13, 2017
- November 15, 2017
- February 14, 2018
- April 4, 2018