

## SCHOOL DIVISION PHILOSOPHY AND GOALS

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(1) **Purpose**

The River East Transcona School Division exists to educate students to be inspired, skilled, responsible citizens.

(2) **Vision**

The River East Transcona School Division will be forward-looking, innovative, and service-oriented, offering superior, comprehensive programming to meet the emerging needs of our students and community.

(3) **Mission**

The River East Transcona School Division is committed to provide relevant, progressive educational programming and supportive services in a safe, stimulating learning environment.

(4) **Values**

- (a) Integrity of the organization and all its people. We will be, and be perceived to be, trustworthy and honest and we will do what we say we are going to do.
- (b) Respect for individuals and the organization. We will value each person and the organization to which we belong.
- (c) Responsibility of the organization and its people. We will be responsible and therefore accountable, individually and collectively, for our actions, decisions, growth and learning.
- (d) Innovation in approaches, learning methodologies, programs and practices. We will support innovation that contributes to improved student learning.
- (e) Reflection of what and how we are doing. We will consistently evaluate our progress in the pursuit of continuous improvement.
- (f) Excellence in student learning, programs and services. We will set and strive to meet or exceed our goals and objectives.

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(5) **Beliefs**

- (a) We exist to serve students and community.
- (b) Everyone is unique and can achieve success.
- (c) Individuals excel where there are high expectations and challenging learning opportunities.
- (d) Everyone has the right to be treated with dignity and respect.
- (e) Working together, we can make a significant difference in the lives of our students.
- (f) People thrive in safe and caring environments.
- (g) Teamwork and collaboration are essential skills for both students and staff.

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