



Borger Independent School District BELIEF STATEMENTS

We believe the highest priorities of the district are that:

- The core business of the district is classroom instruction and curriculum.
- Academic achievement is a primary focus.
- A growth mindset is promoted for students, staff, all district operations.
- Best instructional practices move students from concrete to pictorial to abstract thinking, learning, and understanding.
- Rigorous classroom instruction and high expectations are key to students reaching their academic potential.
- Deep alignment between the written, taught, and tested curriculum is the foundation of academic achievement.
- A physically and emotionally safe environment promotes student learning
- Student welfare is the primary focus of all decisions.
- Student success is enhanced by positive relationships and mutual respect.
- Commitment to continuous improvement of all district activities is vital.
- All stakeholders (students, parents, district employees, board members, and community members) share the responsibility for fulfilling the district's mission.