

Nebo School District Board of Education

Policy IGAH

Character Education

In connection with regular school work, students will be taught skills, habits, and qualities of character which will promote an upright and desirable citizenry and better prepare them for a rich and happy life.

Students, as a part of the social studies curriculum K-12, shall be taught respect for the United States flag, an understanding of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitutions of the United States and the State of Utah, and to assume the commensurate personal and societal responsibilities which assure the perpetuation of those freedoms.

Schools shall provide a setting and opportunities to teach by example and role modeling the following: honesty, temperance, morality, courtesy, obedience to law, the essentials and benefits of the free enterprise system, respect for parents and home, and the dignity and necessity of honest labor.

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Exhibit IGAH-E

Nebo School District

Character Development STATEMENT

The Nebo School District is committed to a standard of personal integrity, based upon responsible thinking and behavior.

We demonstrate personal integrity when we:

Strive for excellence

Work well with others

Possess a strong work ethic

Respect parents and home

Follow through on assignments

Speak and seek the truth

Are free from fraud or deception

Respect the Constitution of the United States and the State of Utah

Are trustworthy

Obey rules and laws

Respect others, including their feelings, ideas, agency and property

These standards will be implemented by concentrating on five areas:

RESPECT

RESPONSIBILITY

CARING

TRUST

HONESTY

We exhibit these characteristics when we ask these questions about an intended act:

1. Is this act right; is it the responsible thing to do?
2. Is this act in the best interest of others and myself both now and in the future?
3. Will this act cause any intended or unintended harm?

Everyone associated with Nebo School District is expected to

exemplify these standards and to encourage others

to do the same.