

BLOOMFIELD

SCHOOL DISTRICT

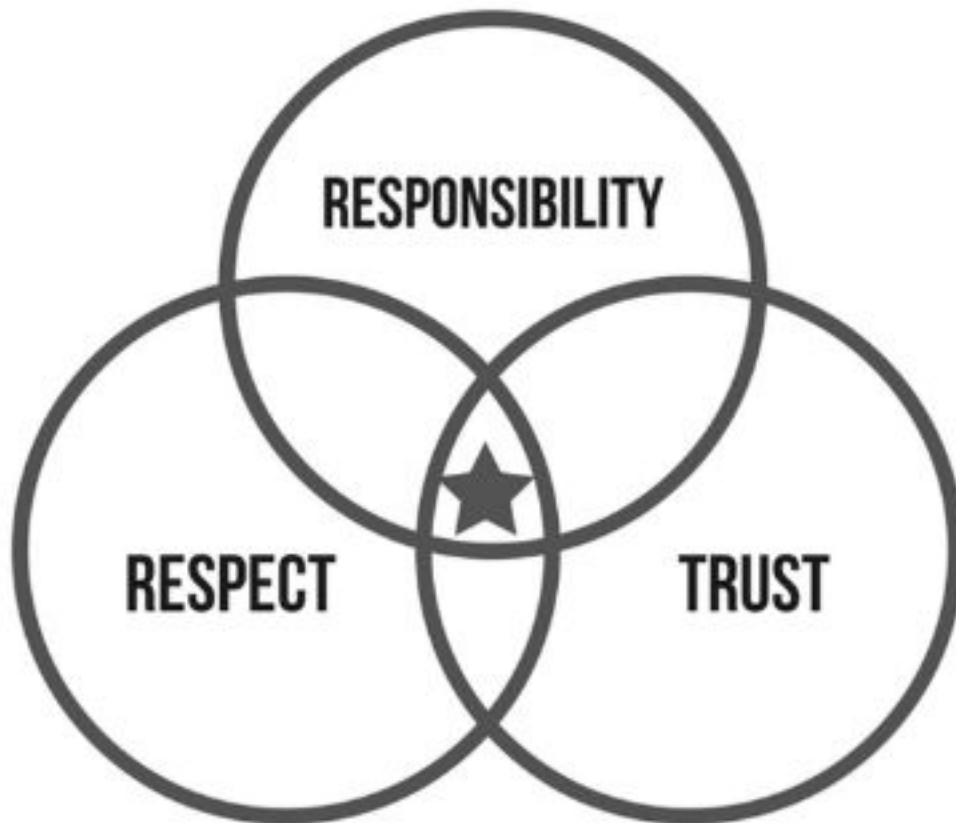
MISSION

We empower our students with the knowledge and skills to be responsible, resilient, innovative and successful by delivering a world-class education. We strive to provide opportunities that inspire caring individuals and lifelong learners.

VISION

We shape an inclusive and transparent educational environment that addresses the learning needs of the whole child through a project-based emphasis. We accomplish this through a commitment to strong relationships built on trust and compassion that help all students realize their capacity to be self-managed, reliable and creative.

CORE VALUES



Students are the core of our culture.

CORE BELIEFS

1. TEACHING THAT ENGAGES

At the core of our work is project-based learning. Instead of what you might have experienced in your education, Bloomfield students engage in content through authentic and relevant projects. Whether it be designing an interactive game exhibit for a museum, or creating documentaries about war veterans experiences, project-based learning creates an environment where the question, “why do we need to learn this?” goes away.

Students are engaged in content through our school-wide learning outcomes. Skills such as oral and written communication, collaboration, agency and critical thinking are vital to success in any industry or workforce. Our students gain holistic learning experiences through school and community service, completing courses for college credit and participating in a variety of CTE courses and/or internships.

2. TECHNOLOGY THAT ENABLES

Whether through our learning management system, Echo, becoming proficient with products from Google, or developing new technologies through programming, virtual reality, augmented reality, Bloomfield students are able to develop a skill set that enables them to be thought leaders in the role technology has in today's world.

3. CULTURE THAT EMPOWERS

Small teacher to student ratios and personal relationships with instructors create an environment in which students are empowered to be responsible for their own learning. There are no bells telling them when classes begin and end. It's more like college, or even a workplace, than a traditional school. In addition, the atmosphere of trust, respect, and responsibility helps students feel comfortable being themselves and creates a unique sense of school ownership and community at BSD.

4. OUTCOMES THAT MATTER

BSD believes in focusing on measuring learning outcomes that have a vast impact outside the walls of our schools. Through our district wide

learning outcomes, students are assessed on skills that will prepare them to be college and/or career ready. Our current district wide learning outcomes are:

- a. Knowledge & Thinking
- b. Oral Communication
- c. Written Communication
- d. Collaboration
- e. Agency