



Our Vision

Annandale High School is a community that finds strength in diversity, fosters belonging, and inspires lifelong learning.



Our Mindset Commitments

- All kids can learn
- Collective ownership
- Culture of problem solving
- Embrace data
- Assume positive intent
- Conversation is the relationship

We believe in every student.



Our Priorities



- Relationships & support
- High quality instruction
- Strong collaboration

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Relationships & Support

At Annandale we mean ...

- Adults define the climate
- How we talk to kids matters
- We are warm demanders
- We work together to support our students' needs



High Quality Instruction

Learning Targets	Academic Task	Scaffolds	Evidence of Student Learning
<p>Guide teachers' planning and students' learning: Today I will ... So that I can ... I'll know I've got it when...</p> 	<p>The level of thinking students are expected to do, as well as what they are doing and how they are doing it</p> 	<p>Help students to perform a task that would otherwise be out of reach</p> 	<p>Empowers teachers & students by telling us what they know, where they're stuck, & what they need to keep learning</p> 
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Strong Collaboration

At Annandale we mean ...

- Recognizing we can't do it alone
- Making our thinking visible to each other
- Inviting different perspectives
- Change our approach, based on input



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Atoms Agreements	Empathy	Determination	Safety
<p style="text-align: center;">At Annandale we ...</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Treat others how we would like to be treated ● Help each other ● Consider others' thoughts, perspectives and feelings ● Listen with an open mind ● Value diversity 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Try, even when it is difficult ● Do our best ● Are present and engaged ● Show up on time ● Create goals and strive to achieve them 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Care for our physical and mental well-being ● Respect others' personal space and belongings ● Communicate and respect boundaries ● Know & follow procedures ● See something, say something
<p style="text-align: center;">This looks like/ sounds like</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Know and use each others' names ● Actively listen and acknowledge when others speak ● Support others when they need help ● Speak kindly ● Are welcoming and inclusive ● Understand our impact on others 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Ask for help when we need it ● Do what we say we will do ● Take advantage of learning opportunities and resources ● Make learning our focus ● Help others live up to their commitments ● Take care of our needs quickly (water, locker, bathroom) and then get to class 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Learn about and practice healthy habits ● Listen to and follow directions ● Keep items in a safe and appropriate area ● Are aware of our surroundings ● Are where we are expected to be ● Clean up after ourselves ● Acknowledge when we feel unsafe



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When you're surrounded by
people who share a
passionate commitment
around a common purpose,
anything is possible.

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- Howard Schultz