MATHEMATICS EDUCATION

Purpose: To establish the board's vision for mathematics education.

It is essential that all students acquire and develop content knowledge and skills as required in the mathematics academic standards as specified in the state mathematics standards. The district will develop a curriculum to present learning opportunities to students so that such skills and knowledge may be acquired.

The board supports the strengthening of mathematics education throughout the schools. The district will teach mathematics as a subject for all pupils throughout the elementary, middle, and secondary grades.

The content and skills will be those required by the South Carolina Mathematics Curriculum Standards.

In addition, schools will require students to memorize multiplication tables to ensure that students can effectively multiply numbers by the end of the fifth grade.

Accordingly, the district will teach skills and content in all elementary school classrooms and secondary mathematics classrooms in accordance with state law and state standards, as well as district standards that are set out in the district strategic and accountability plan.

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Legal references:

S.C. Code, 1976, as amended: