

SOARING TO EXCELLENCE

The mission of the Arlington Public Schools is to empower all students to develop skills for life-long learning and responsible decision making in order to contribute to a global society.

Core Beliefs:

- Education is a responsibility shared among students, parents, educators, and the community.
- Respect for self and other individuals, groups, and cultures is essential.
- Critical thinking is an essential life skill.
- Students are stakeholders in their own learning.
- All learners are unique; therefore, we will provide diverse
- Instructional strategies and multiple opportunities to learn.

Building Level Goals:

ELEM: The elementary goals are in the areas of math and science.

1. Students will increase overall achievement in the area of Math.
2. Students will increase overall achievement in the area of Science.

MS/HS: The MS/HS goals are in the areas of reading and college/career readiness.

1. 90% of students will meet the passing standard on the reading portion of the state assessment.
2. Students will plan, monitor, and manage their post-secondary goal with 100% of graduating seniors having a post-secondary plan in place by the end of the first semester of their senior year.