INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM

Instruction will be aligned with the goals and mission of the Salem School District, and the rules of the NH Department of Education. Instruction will be focused on meeting the instructional needs of students with different talents, interests, and development. The strategies used to instruct students will reflect an acknowledgment of diversity and respect for differences.

The instructional program will include:

1. Procedures for diagnosing learner needs
2. Methods and strategies for teaching that incorporate learner needs
3. Research-based learning opportunities
4. Techniques for the evaluation of student outcomes
5. The provision of remedial instruction as needed

Where possible, instruction will include consideration of available community resources, including but not limited to organizations, businesses, talented individuals, natural resources, and technology to engage each student in achieving the necessary skill and knowledge.

As part of a structured and comprehensive instruction program, students will be encouraged to participate in year-round learning that provides opportunities to advance their levels of achievement outside the structured environment of school.

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