PVSchools Equity Framework: District Overview

PVSchools Goal: To work collaboratively to engage students in individualized, rigorous, and authentic learning opportunities so that they may reach their highest potentials. PVSchools Goal: To create a climate that ensures equity and access for all in PVSchools.

ASSUMPTIONS/COMMON LANGUAGE

Cultural Proficiency: The knowledge, skills, and attitudes that enable the staff and students of PVSchools to work well with, respond effectively to, and be supportive of our community in cross cultural settings.

Culture: A dynamic social system, containing the values, beliefs, behaviors, and norms of a specific group of people or organization.

Diversity: A variety of characteristics that directly or indirectly impact our relationship with others.

Equity Goals in PVSchools: 1. Create relationships throughout PVSchools that foster safe and supportive school environments characterized by acceptance, value and respect. Our schools and community operate with the understanding that positive relationships create success for all students. 2. Policies and practices in PVSchools are regularly reviewed in an effort to identify and address barriers in order to ensure that all students can participate and excel in high quality curricular and extracurricular programs and activities.

Equity is an understanding that treatment, access, learning, and resources are considered for all members of our community.

Equity and equality are not the same.

