

Expeditionary Learning | An Overview of the EL Education Model

Vision | When students and teachers are engaged in work that is challenging, adventurous and meaningful, learning and achievement flourish.

Mission | To create classrooms where teachers can fulfill their highest aspirations, and students achieve more than they think possible, becoming active contributors to building a better world.

Three Dimensions of Student Achievement

- Mastery of Knowledge and Skills
- Character
- High Quality Student Work.

When students have completed their academic career and entered adult life, they'll be judged not by performance on basic skills tests -- but rather, by the quality of their work and the quality of their character.

Design Principles

1. The Primacy of Self-Discovery
2. The Having of Wonderful Ideas
3. The Responsibility for Learning
4. Empathy and Caring
5. Success and Failure
6. Collaboration and Competition
7. Diversity and Inclusion
8. The Natural World
9. Solitude and Reflection
10. Service and Compassion

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