

West Potomac High School Shared Vision, Mission, and Beliefs

Vision Statement

We are the World's Greatest High School.

By nurturing the talents, ideas, and skills of each member of our learning community, we challenge each other to be better versions of ourselves every day. Learning and growth drive our institution. Embracing this mindset, we fortify and prepare graduates to thrive in an ever-changing global society.

Mission Statement

West Potomac High School celebrates its proud past as it builds an exciting future through an engaging curriculum, systems of student support, and a connected community.

Beliefs

- High expectations for learning must be set and reached inside and outside of our classrooms;
- All students will have opportunity and access to a rigorous curriculum and engaging learning experiences;
- Teaching will be tailored to individual learning needs to maximize student success and prepare all Wolverines for their futures;
- Instructional technology integration aids West Potomac teaching, learning, and assessment;
- An atmosphere of mutual respect, open communication, and trust will extend across all West Potomac stakeholders; and
- Every Wolverine must have opportunities to practice leadership, service, and citizenship.

Focus Areas

Engaged Learning: By increasing our focus on *what* and *how* we teach, and improving *literacy*, student performance is elevated so that all Wolverines are engaged towards post-secondary success.

Support Systems: By improving **tactical** aspects of school function, we maximize time, energy, and effort for the **academic supports** that help students reach their full potential, even if they struggle.

Deepened Community: Exploring what unifies us helps us celebrate the *diversity* of the campus and promote a high school experience rich in *inclusion, service learning, and extracurricular activities*.