

Mission Statement Survey

The purpose of the South Sioux City Community School District's mission statement is to describe the reason for its existence and its aspirations for students. You are invited to assist the district in determining possible changes to its mission statement and motto by completing a survey. The survey should take less than ten minutes to complete. Your ideas and comments are valued.

There are two options for taking the survey. You can participate by completing the survey online at <http://surveys.nebraska.org/fillsurvey.php?sid=496> or by completing this form and returning it to any school or office in the South Sioux City Community School District. The survey is also available online in Spanish at <http://surveys.nebraska.org/fillsurvey.php?sid=495>.

Mission Statement

Please read the mission statements below. Then rank each of the statements 1 through 5 with 1 being the statement you like the most and 5 being the statement you like the least.

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| 1. Along with parents and the community, our collective and fundamental purpose is to uniquely prepare each student to learn and achieve at high levels and apply their skills to become responsible citizens and successful individuals who excel in a global society. | _____ |
| 2. The South Sioux City Community School District guarantees each student is uniquely prepared to learn and achieve at high levels and as life-long learners successfully apply their skills in their family, work and the global community. | _____ |
| 3. The South Sioux City Community School District provides the learning community where each student is uniquely prepared to thrive academically, socially and personally and where each student is able to apply learning to become successful individuals and contributing citizens. | _____ |
| 4. Our collective mission is to ensure that each student is uniquely prepared with the knowledge, skills and behaviors necessary to become life-long learners and productive citizens in a global society. | _____ |
| 5. It is the mission of the South Sioux City Community School District to provide all students with a safe educational environment that recognizes their ability to learn, encourages personal growth, is judged by its outcomes, and is a cooperative venture between home, school, and community. | _____ |
| 6. If you would like to recommend an alternative mission statement, please do so in the space provided. | |



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Motto

The current motto of the South Sioux City Community School District is *"Getting the right results by doing the right things for all students."*

1. What suggestions do
you have regarding the school motto?

- Keep the current motto
- Replace with *"Cardinal Community – connected, committed, customized"*
- Replace with *"Each learner – uniquely prepared and globally competent"*
- Replace with _____
(Indicate your suggestion for a new motto.)

2. Which of the following best describes you? Please check all that apply.

- Student currently enrolled in the South Sioux City Community School District
- Former student of the South Sioux City Community School District
- Parent of a current student attending the South Sioux City Community School District
- Parent of a former student of the South Sioux City Community School District
- Educator within the South Sioux City Community School District
- Educator outside of the South Sioux City Community School District
- Local business owner
- Community member (not listed above)
- Other _____

Please return your completed survey to any school office or mail to:

**School Administration Building
South Sioux City Community School District
P.O. Box 158
South Sioux City, NE 68776**

Thank you for your support and participation!



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