



## **POLICY: CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT**

As part of its mission, the Board is committed to the fundamental principles of character development as defined by members of the West Valley community. Character development includes the traits of respect, responsibility, citizenship, caring, fairness, honesty, integrity, diligence, courage and trustworthiness. To this end, the school and its staff will integrate these traits into the total school program. The educational philosophy and practices of the school shall also involve demonstrating the application of these traits.

The superintendent shall convey clear expectations for district staff members regarding character development.

LEGAL REFERENCE:      RCW 28A.230.020      Fundamentals in conduct.