

The Bellevue Community School District joins "The Promise of Iowa" campaign to support public schools

The Board of Directors of the Bellevue Community School District has passed a resolution at the December 13, 2016 Regular Board Meeting in support of "The Promise of Iowa" campaign. The goal of the statewide campaign is to focus attention on the future of Iowa public school students and to rally support for public education in Iowa.

The campaign's focus is on building public understanding about the work of public schools today, which are innovating to ensure students are positioned for success in their futures. Iowa's future leaders, innovators and citizens are its children. They are "The Promise of Iowa." Their future is created every day by Iowa public schools. Iowa public schools are open to all students, and develop their potential, strengthen communities, and contribute to a strong economy.

Another goal is to encourage Iowans to show their support for the investments needed to keep our public schools strong, such as the Bellevue Community School District which offers PK-12 programming in innovative and engaging manners for students and their learning.

The board's support of "The Promise of Iowa" campaign is an important step in raising awareness statewide about the value of public education in shaping the next generation of Iowa leaders, workers and citizens. The district will share information on public schools statewide, and encourage local residents to take part as well.

A campaign website, www.promiseiowa.org, provides more information about how to become involved.

The "Promise" campaign is being coordinated statewide by the Iowa Association of School Boards, a nonprofit organization representing the more than 1900 Iowa citizens serving on locally elected school boards.