



Village High School ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION

The Village High School Commitment

We at Village believe that "Integrity is the essence of everything successful." This is why we provide a standards-based curriculum in a personal and nurturing environment with a compassionate and veteran staff. In order for students to find success, they must begin going to school with integrity and make a commitment to the following . . .

Be Present - 100% attendance, all day every day

Village High School will provide students with these proven structures and strategies of success in regards to this goal:

- Daily attendance checks by administration with immediate consequences
- 45 minute class periods that help with focus and motivation
- Shortened regular day with ability to extend learning through extra classes or independent study
- Good or Perfect Attendance Awards
- Incentive activities such as monthly BBQ's, enrichment field trips, alternative classes and programs
- And most importantly, exposure to a variety of credit recovery opportunities that will help students get back on track and earn their high school diploma

Participate to the best of their abilities

Village High School will provide students with these proven structures and strategies of success in regards to this goal:

- 160 students maximum enrollment
- Smaller class sizes
- More direct instruction from experienced and supportive staff
- Exposure to the same standards based core curriculum as the comprehensive high schools
- Modified work load to increase student participation and understanding

Be a positive and contributing member of the Village High School community

Village High School will provide students with these proven structures and strategies of success in regards to this goal:

- Fair yet flexible discipline policy with consequences designed to keep students in class and learning
- Personal attention from staff to help deliver both academic and real world experiences
- Adherence to district policies and Community of Character behavior expectations
- Community service, career exploration, and Leadership opportunities

If both the student and family are not willing or able to make this commitment, then they have made a commitment to truancy, failure, and uncertainty . . . and are not ready to be part of Village High School.