Glenwood Elementary

Action Plan for Learning 2026-2027

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SCHOOL VISION/MISSION:

At Glenwood Elementary, we foster a safe, inclusive, and caring community where every student feels a sense of belonging. Working together with families and our community, we inspire students to develop a love of learning, embrace continuous growth, and thrive academically, socially, and emotionally. We celebrate the unique strengths of every learner and empower students to become confident, curious, and lifelong learners.

SCHOOL GOALS:

INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT:

All Students will demonstrate proficiency in foundational reading skills by meeting their grade-level expectations, IEP or AIP goals. This includes developing proficiency in decoding, recognizing sight words, and applying key comprehension strategies such as summarizing to enhance understanding.

All students will develop strong numeracy skills by building number sense, computational fluency, and confidence in mathematical thinking through explicit instruction, targeted support, and ongoing assessment.

HUMAN & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT:

All students in Kindergarten through Grade 7 will demonstrate growth in self-awareness, self-management, and responsible decision-making by recognizing and regulating emotions, managing frustration and disappointment, practicing self-control, and engaging positively with others in learning and social environments.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT:

Foster students' confidence, creativity, and innovative thinking by providing authentic opportunities for hands-on learning, leadership development, entrepreneurship, and real-world problem solving.

RESOURCES TO SUPPORT OUR WORK:

KEY RESOURCES & ANCHOR DOCUMENTS

- UFLI
- Early Literacy Screener
- DIBELS data
- Learning Assistance
- SLP Tier 2 and 3 support
- First Peoples Principles of Learning
- Framework for Enhanced Student Learning (FESL)
- PEACEFUL Schools
- Trauma Informed Practice
- Ensouling our Schools
- Open Parachute
- Langley School District Framework for teaching & Learning

UNIFIED ACTIONS:

INTELLECTUAL DEVELOPMENT

Literacy

- Foster a lifelong love of reading through daily engagement with high-quality and diverse texts.
- Provide explicit instruction in foundational reading skills, including phonemic awareness, decoding, fluency, and sight-word recognition.
- Develop students' ability to retell, summarize, and identify key ideas using grade-appropriate comprehension strategies.
- Monitor student progress regularly and provide targeted interventions to support individual learning goals.

Numeracy

- Provide explicit instruction in number sense, computational fluency, and mathematical reasoning.
- Engage students in meaningful numeracy tasks that promote confidence, problem solving, and mathematical thinking.
- Use ongoing assessment to guide instruction and provide targeted support based on individual student needs.
- Provide opportunities for students to apply numeracy skills in authentic, real-world contexts.

HUMAN & SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

- Deliver explicit Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) instruction through Open Parachute.
- Support students in recognizing, understanding, and regulating their emotions in a variety of learning and social settings.
- Teach and model empathy, resilience, self-control, conflict resolution, and positive communication skills.
- Utilize restorative practices to strengthen relationships, resolve conflict, and repair harm.
- Provide self-regulation supports including calm-down spaces, movement breaks, sensory tools, and access to wellness spaces as needed.
- Create opportunities for students to develop leadership, citizenship, and a sense of belonging within the school community.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT

- Provide authentic hands-on learning experiences that foster confidence, creativity, and innovative thinking.
- Engage students in leadership opportunities within classrooms, the school, and the broader community.
- Involve students in classroom and school-wide service-learning projects and encourage reflection on their contributions.
- Invite community partners, presenters, and guest speakers to share career pathways, skills, and experiences.
- Encourage entrepreneurial thinking through real-world problem solving, inquiry, and project-based learning opportunities.
- Support students in identifying their strengths, interests, and passions while exploring future career possibilities.
- Foster collaboration, communication, critical thinking, and adaptability as essential skills for future success.

ADDITIONAL INFO:

Glenwood Elementary is a small K-7 community school serving approximately 220 students in a unique rural setting within the Langley School District. Established in 1916, Glenwood is known for its strong sense of belonging, close family-school partnerships, and commitment to putting students first. The school's welcoming atmosphere, rich history, and community connections support students in becoming confident, caring, lifelong learners and contributing members of society.



CREATING INCLUSIVE & COMPASSIONATE ACADEMIC AND SOCIAL-EMOTIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES THAT PROVIDE ACCESS FOR EVERY LEARNER.