

EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

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**Mission Statement**      The mission of SMSD, a diverse and visionary learning community, is to prepare each student to become a critical thinker and an ethical, productive citizen in the pursuit of excellence through an unwavering commitment to provide multiple life and learning experiences led by dedicated professionals using innovative teaching techniques in an engaging learning environment.

**Vision Statement**      The vision of SMSD is to have all students graduate college- or career-ready without remediation.