Biloxi Public School District CREATE Instructional Management Plan

The Biloxi Public School District will provide gifted programming for students who meet the criteria for Intellectually gifted services in second through sixth grade. The program is called CREATE – *Creative, Reasoning, Enrichment and Thinking Experiences*.

MISSION

The CREATE program will recognize and nurture exemplary abilities so that Intellectually Gifted learners are provided an appropriately challenging education. This education will enable the students to realize their fullest potential and to become contributing citizens of the world.

GOALS

To provide experiences which are centered in the development of thought processes with Exercises in the MDE Gifted Program Outcomes: Thinking Skills, Creativity, Informational Literacy, Communication, Success Skills, and Affective (Social Emotional) Skills. Also included are Visual and Performing Arts, and Career Awareness.

Introduction

The instructional management plan fills the Mississippi Gifted Education standards under Criterion 2: Curriculum and Instruction: The districts Instructional Management Plan for gifted students provides for differentiated curriculum that is in compliance with State Board of Education policy and state law.

The plan is organized into a fully articulated scope and sequence across six broad categories of outcomes and process skills. The IMP defines each outcome and process skill and provides performance level descriptors for each skill or outcome at each grade level. The IMP and district Scope and sequence coincide to provide a comprehensive guide to the development and support of differentiated curriculum for the CREATE program as part of a continuum of services for gifted students in Biloxi Public School District.