

CHAPTER 1.00 – PHILOSOPHY

SYSTEM PHILOSOPHY AND BELIEFS

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Geneva City Schools will nurture the development of life-long learners with skills and attitudes necessary to maximize their potential for success. This will be accomplished by a committed, effective staff using sequential, innovative curricula taught in a non-threatening environment.

The beliefs of the Geneva City School System include:

1. Students are the reason for the school's existence.
2. All programs must grow and change with the needs of students.
3. Each individual deserves an environment that is safe and conducive to learning.
4. Each individual is unique, has worth and dignity, and deserves respect.
5. Each individual can learn.
6. Each individual needs instructional guidance to initiate the learning process, and reassurance and praise to promote actual learning.
7. Each individual should have an equal opportunity for participation and acceptance.
8. Each individual deserves the best education possible in order to achieve his/her highest potential.
9. Each individual needs to perceive, experience, and promote the beauty of the world in which he/she lives.
10. Each student learns best through active student, parent, and teacher cooperation.

REFERENCE(S):

CODE OF ALABAMA
16-11-9; 16-3-16 et seq

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SYSTEM LEGAL STATUS

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The Geneva City School System derives its legal status from the State Legislature which, in turn, is subject to the Constitutions of both the State of Alabama and the United States. Amendment III to the Alabama Constitution provides that the legislature may by law provide for or authorize the establishment and operation of schools.

The Geneva City School System is, therefore, under the exclusive control and management of the Geneva City Board of Education as prescribed above, and shall be operated in accordance with constitutional and authority of law.

The corporate name of this school system shall be the Geneva City Board of Education, and it conducts its business at the Geneva City Board of Education, 511 Panther Drive, Geneva, Alabama. 36340

REFERENCE(S):

CODE OF ALABAMA

16-11-9, 16-11-12, 16-11-18

ALABAMA CONSTITUTION OF 1901 AMENDMENT III

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