

Parkrose High School Guiding Principles

- **GRADUATION:** All students graduate from high school with a plan for post secondary education
 - **Advisory** - We ensure each student is connected, self aware and receives guidance around planning for their future
 - **Essential Skills Requirements** - We provide a system of support to ensure our students meet the Oregon Essential Skills requirements.
 - **Freshman Academy** - We demonstrate our commitment to early high school success by:
 - **Developing relationships**
 - **Facilitating the 8th to 9th transition**
 - **Ensuring students complete their freshman year on track to graduate**
 - **Advanced Placement** - We challenge students to extend their learning through college-level coursework
 - **We use best practice strategies to assure all students learn**
 - **AVID** - Cornell Notes are used in all core classes
 - **SIOP** - Sheltered strategies are used in all classrooms, everyday
 - **CBP** - Credit by Proficiency - Students have multiple opportunities to prove their knowledge of core skills
 - **PBIS**- We teach our students social rules and expectations in order to set them up for success across all settings

- **CULTURAL RESPONSIVENESS:** We acknowledge inequities in school achievement
 - **We are committed to shared learning and purposeful implementation of current research-based practices to address these achievement gaps**
 - **We ensure equal access for all students to all programs and services**

- **PROFESSIONAL LEARNING COMMUNITIES**
 - **We will provide a guaranteed and viable curriculum which are the Power Standards**
 - **Collaborative adult learning is essential to improving student educational outcomes**
 - **We use data from common formative assessments to improve our instructional practice**

- **SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**
 - **We are welcoming to and service oriented with all of our students and families**
 - **We believe learning extends well beyond our educational school day. Our educational program is enriched and extended with opportunities such as: Academic competitions, Athletic, Arts and Activities focused on building leadership**
 - **We value Sun Schools and Elevate Oregon as key partners in reaching the diverse needs of our students**