

EDUCATOR

PROFILE

The collective stakeholders and communities that serve Prosper ISD strive for the Prosper ISD Educator to be a model for the students of the district in their academic abilities and drive, in their constant pursuit of challenges and learning opportunities, in their well-rounded experiences, in their fair and respectful treatment of others, and in their contributions towards the community through their involvement.

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EXHIBITS ACADEMIC READINESS

The Prosper ISD Educator provides a challenging curriculum to the student, helping him or her to pursue academic success in all levels of education, culminating in a successful transition to college, career or the workforce. The educator provides classroom experiences that match the student's strengths and interests, as well as challenges the mind, imagination, feelings and social skills. The educator encourages the student to think critically and to express ideas clearly through multiple expressions in order to develop an academic skill set that allows for mastery of appropriate and rigorous coursework. The educator models self-discipline, initiative, creativity and personal integrity.

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SEEKS THE OPPORTUNITIES AND CHALLENGES OF LEARNING

The Prosper ISD Educator provides the student with opportunities to learn and grow as well as be reflective and self-evaluative through a diverse background of formational experiences. The educator offers a safe haven for the mistakes and false starts inherent in learning, teaching the student that intellectual risk-taking and resiliency are necessary for growth. The educator enables growth in an ever changing digital learning and global society. Further, the educator treats the student with respect and dignity. The educator models this by seeking opportunities for their own growth personally and professionally.

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VALUES HONORING AND RESPECTING OF OTHERS

The Prosper ISD Educator displays honor in his or her actions and words. The educator stresses and models the importance and use of Respect, Encouragement, Appreciation, Communication and Honor, respecting differing ideas and opinions while clinging to their own values. The educator conscientiously chooses to act in accordance with the principle, "Treat others as you wish to be treated" in their interactions with students, teachers, administrators, parents and community members in a variety of settings.

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CONTRIBUTES TOWARDS COMMUNITY THROUGH INVOLVEMENT

The Prosper ISD Educator displays ethical thinking and ethical action in the classroom and on campus and lives the principle of responsibility to community, which is learned through involvement in a cause or service. The educator models for the student a desire to put others before self, responding in love and service to those in need and striving to move beyond self-interest or self-centeredness in relationships with others.

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DEMONSTRATES WELL-ROUNDED CHARACTERISTICS

The Prosper ISD Educator appreciates the variety of talents and gifts that each student displays, providing opportunities for the student to excel in areas of interest, which may include: art, music, UIL, the stage, career training, and the athletic fields. The educator promotes aesthetic and physical development as essential to an education and supports activities in the competitive arena that promote teamwork, leadership, responsibility, integrity, humility, and physical and emotional fitness. The educator models this by getting involved in supporting student growth as a sponsor, coach or facilitator in areas of enrichment. The educator also models physical and emotional health through their daily habits.

