

Amesbury Public Schools Office of the Superintendent of Schools

During these most troubling times it is good to stop and reflect and ask ourselves how we are upholding the Mission of the Amesbury Public Schools.

"The Amesbury School District is unconditionally committed to every child, ensuring that all students experience success through the development of attitudes and skills necessary for lifelong learning by providing the highest quality staff, meaningful learning experiences, and a vitally involved community."

If we are to commit to every child's success than that success must not be limited by or determined by a child's race, religion, ethnicity or sexual orientation. And the attitudes and skills that we are developing in our students must include tolerance, compassion, and respect for all members of our community- free from bias, inclusive of diversity, and ensuring equity for all.

Lifelong learning is not just knowledge acquisition but the use of that knowledge to solve problems and make positive change in the world. To use ones voice in peaceful protest to condemn injustice and fight for equality.

Only when ALL of our students can realize success, and are afforded equal access to opportunities will we achieve our mission. Until then the Amesbury Public Schools will continue to learn, and listen and grow so that we can ensure our commitment to every child truly is unconditional.