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GradeRising Leaders AcademyKind36139235331438542625723823106116125Note: Data may not be displayed on any public-facing website or service that replicates or resembles a school search or review portal without prior written permission. See our Terms of Service. © 2023, Rising Leaders Academy. All Rights Reserved. Mrs. Amber Perryman is a driven educational leader with a professional background working collaboratively with business and community stakeholders. She is experienced in all levels of the educational field, including classroom teacher, department chair, school accreditation, special project teams, school safety, and leadership. Mrs. Perryman also brings extensive experience in program fundraising and grant writing. Mrs. Perryman holds a Bachelor's degree in Interdisciplinary Social Sciences with a dual emphasis in Economics & Sociology (cum laude) and holds a Master's degree in Educational Leadership & Administration (M.Ed.). She is a Florida certified Professional Educator in English (6-12), Social Science (6-12), and Educational Leadership (K-12), and has additional training in Crisis Intervention, CRIS, Ruby Payne, Kagan, Fred Jones, Charlotte Danielson Framework, Harry Wong Classroom Management, Reading Intervention, Exceptional Students Education (ESE), and English Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL). Dr. Suha Jaber founded Rising Leaders Academy in 2012. She served as the Principal until January 1, 2019, then became the Executive Director. She is also the Instructional Coach for the hands-on expeditionary learning model the school implements. Dr. Jaber comes from the state of New Jersey, where she was a full-time university instructor. According to a popular rating website by students, she is ranked among the top 25 professors in the country out of one million. Business Insider named her as one of the best 25 professors in America. In addition, Princeton Review named her as one of the best 300 professors in the country. She received an Excellence in Teaching Award and was recognized for her course/curriculum coordinator accomplishments. Dr. Jaber holds two Bachelor's Degrees in Mathematics Education and Computer Science, a Master's Degree in Applied Mathematics, and a Doctoral Degree in Educational Leadership with a specialty in Curriculum and Instruction (Summa Cum Laude). She also completed Beacon courses in Gifted, Exceptional Students Education (ESE), and English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL). She is a certified Heroic Imagination Project workshop trainer and is certified in High-Performance Collaboration: Leadership and Teamwork through Northwest University. Dr. Jaber brings pioneering ideas to the school and provides an education model based on sound research and proven success. She created a public charter school accessible to all children by Bay County that offers an exceptional learning environment and innovative educational solutions. This is Mrs. Johnson's 3rd year at RLA and 12th year teaching. She moved to Bay County from Cherokee County, Georgia where she was 2019-2020 Teacher of the Year. After many years of excellent teaching, she now serves as the Coordinator of Curriculum and Instruction. She holds a Bachelors in Early Childhood and Elementary Education, a Masters in Curriculum and Instruction, and certification for English for Speakers of Other Languages (ESOL). Mrs. Johnson is married with two adult children, one who will soon graduate from Kennesaw State University with a degree in athletic coaching and another one graduated from the University of Mississippi (Ole Miss) with a degree in Education and will begin her first year of teaching this year. Mrs. Johnson enjoys spending time with her husband shopping, fishing, traveling, and relaxing on the beach. Mrs. Sheila works with the Executive Director, Dr. Jaber, on school data. She completed secretarial studies at Haney Vocational School and has completed various courses at Gulf Coast State College. Sheila's previous office experience includes providing support to top-level corporate executives, managing an office of a local non-profit organization, and office work in the construction and medical fields. Sheila has been at Rising Leaders for six years and enjoys working with our staff and students. Working at Rising Leaders has inspired Sheila to continue her educational pursuits, and she is working on obtaining her degree in History. Miss Victoria Cordell has been delivering nutritious school meals since 1999. She worked in several counties throughout the state of Florida. She started her foodservice career with Bay District Schools and had been elected Employee of the Year. She came to Rising Leaders Academy from Monroe County, where she also received the Year Award. She is Serv Safe certified and holds several certificates from the Florida Department of Education Division of Food Nutrition and Wellness. She made her way back to Bay County after Hurricane Michael so she can support family and friends. She loves encouraging children to choose healthy. Born and raised in New Mexico, Mrs. Foster relocated to Tyndall AFB with her family in 2014. She has two sons who attend RLA. With previous work in healthcare, Mrs. Foster joins our team as our Front Office Assistant. This will be Mrs. Foster's first year here at RLA. Click here to access FL DOE teacher certification information. This will be Mrs. Kharaieh's third year teaching kindergarten at RLA. She is a parent of three students who have attended RLA from kindergarten. She has six years experience of teaching STEAM based preschool at, as well as Science camp, at the Science and Discovery Center in Panama City, Florida. After preparing preschool students to enter kindergarten for many years, she is very excited to help the incoming kindergarten class succeed at RLA, as well as watch some of her past students grow into successful learners. Mrs. Martone has been teaching, mentoring, volunteering, and serving in Bay District for over 20 years. The majority of her experience was at Oakland Terrace Elementary School for the Performing Arts before it closed in 2019, after Hurricane Michael. She is also known as Ms. Sam and "Mamma Sam" to the many children that she has influenced over the years. She has been married for 30 years and has 3 grown children and a grandson. She has been a nutrition consultant for 24 years, and she and her husband co-own a local charter fishing business. She is an active member of City Church at Northside. She enjoys anytime with her family and 5 dogs, live music, and walks enjoying the beauties of creation. This is her 5th year at RLA. Last year she taught Kindergarten at RLA. Ms. Kelly holds her professional teaching certification in K-6 Elementary Education and has been teaching for nine years. She received a Bachelor's degree in Economics from Emory University and a Business certificate from Harvard Business School. Ms. Kelly established RLA's Student Council and led RLATV, as well as the yearbook. She is eager to continue helping students find their voice and make a positive impact on their community this year through Student Council. This is Dr. Tew's first year at RLA but her 27th year in education. She holds Florida and Alabama Certifications. She received her Doctorate in Education in 2007 from Nova Southeastern University in Fort Lauderdale-Davie, Florida. She has an Educational Administrator Certification for Grades P-12 and an Educational Specialist for Elementary Grades K-9 and Early Childhood, Grades P-3. She strives to be a student-focused teacher, possessing a strong commitment to provide accommodations, modification, and/or adaptations to the curriculum to meet the student's needs. She believes in being a solid team player, to maintain excellence in education. Mrs. Kathleen graduated from Cazenovia College with a Bachelor's degree in Inclusive Early Childhood Education in 2017. This is Mrs. Kathleen's first year at RLA, but has been teaching since 2018. First teaching in Head Start programs (in both Panama City, and Oklahoma City), and then teaching 1st grade at Dove Science Academy in Warr Acres, Oklahoma for 3 years. Mrs. Kathleen enjoys spending time with her husband and their 3 cats. Mrs. Kathleen also enjoys crafting of all kinds (sewing, crochet and bracelet making being her favorites), reading, and being outside. My name is Kristin Jeffrey. I have been married for 22 years and have 3 children with one attending RLA. I have a Bachelors degree in Elementary Education. I am Reading Endorsed and ESOL endorsed. This is my 17th year teaching and third year at Rising Leaders Academy. I have taught grades Kdg through 4th, I also worked 2 years at The Boys and Girls Club teaching kdg through 5th grade after school. I live on 10 acres and have a farm. We have goats, pigs, ducks, chickens, quail, a dog, a cat, bearded dragons, a turtle, bees, and fish. I am a huge animal lover. I enjoy making goat milk soaps and lotions. Mark Gregory graduated from FSU-PC, where he received his Bachelors of Science in Elementary Education. He has worked as an instructor in private education since 2003. Mr. Gregory taught both math and science at RLA over the past six years. He is certified in Elementary Education K-6, and Earth-Space Science 6-8. He is endorsed for English for Speakers of Other Languages and Reading. His 8th-grade science FCAT scores for 2021 had 100 percent proficiency. As a third grade math teacher, Mr. Gregory's class scores were among the highest in the County. He enjoys writing poetry, playing the piano and guitar, and singing with his family. As a child, Mark struggled with a condition called Erb's Palsy, resulting from a broken nerve in his left shoulder. With the support of his parents and teachers he developed a positive "can do" mental attitude toward life's difficulties. This will be Ms. England's first year of teaching 3rd Grade English Language Arts (ELA) and Social Studies at RLA. Ms. England has 6 years of experience teaching ELA to middle and high school students in Bay county. She is certified to teach Elementary K-6 and English Language Arts 6-12. She has worked in education a total of 16 years, with experience teaching and working with all age groups from Pre-K to 12th grade. Ms. England is a fur mom who loves to read and write. Some of her poetry has been published in literary magazines both online and in print. She enjoys cooking, baking, kayaking, going to the beach, and camping. This will be Mrs. Amberley Schmidt's 2nd year at Rising Leaders Academy. Her passion for learning began when she started teaching ESOL(English for Speakers of Other Languages) to students overseas, which led her to obtain her teaching certification in Florida. She immediately began teaching here in Panama City. Mrs. Schmidt has a Bachelor of Science in Legal Studies and has earned her Reading and ESOL endorsements through the state of Florida. She is passionate about learning both inside and outside of the classroom. Mrs. Schmidt believes that strong relationships with students and parents is the formula for success in the classroom. Mrs. Schmidt is married with two daughters and one fluffy cat. When Mrs. Schmidt is teaching she is leading her local Girl Scout troop, crocheting, traveling, or tending to her bees in her backyard apiary. Mrs. Cooley joined R.L.A. at the beginning of the 2024-2025 school year, bringing a diverse background to her role as an educator. She holds a Bachelor's degree in Information Technology from Florida State University and is currently pursuing her K-6 certification. Before her tenure at R.L.A., Mrs. Cooley served as a child abuse investigator for the state of Florida. Prior to that, she enjoyed a successful career in journalism, where she spent over a decade as a writer, copy editor, and page designer for various daily and weekly newspapers across the Florida Panhandle. Notably, she found particular satisfaction in editing and designing the Panama City News Herald and its weekly entertainment section, the Entertainer. Additionally, she gained valuable experience as a substitute teacher in Jackson County. Mrs. Cooley is passionate about creating a dynamic and engaging environment for her students, particularly in the areas of reading, writing, and social studies. Mr. Bunnell will be returning for his 5th year at R.L.A. and his 8th year of teaching overall. He holds a bachelor's degree from Asbury University and is certified to teach Kindergarten through Sixth grade. During these years he has earned the rank of highly effective and teacher of the year teacher. He has experience educating in diverse settings utilizing Individual Education Plans and Behavioral Accommodations. Before he was a teacher, he worked as a para-professional in a classroom with multiple disabilities and as an assistant at an outdoors Waldorf Kindergarten and pre-school. Mr. Bunnell was also trained as a barista in Jacksonville, FL (Lilly's Coffee Bar) and has founded "Bunnell Beer House" in his classroom with contributions from his administration and coworkers. He enjoys using his training in drama and theater to engage students through creative methods of instruction. His ultimate goal is to create a strict but nurturing educational setting where students feel valued, uplifted, while being prepared for the future. Mr. Hanks worked at Rising Leaders for 6 years as a mathematics teacher. He was recognized by the state of Florida as a High Impact teacher for his students' high math test scores, which were the top in the district and among the top in the state, for the FSA and EOC. Mr. Hanks is a certified teacher who has taught every grade level and around 12 years of teaching experience in Bay County. Most of his experience has been in middle school science and mathematics in Bay District Schools. He is certified in Middle School Mathematics Education, as well as K-6. He also completed training in STEM at Gulf Coast College, which include programming and robotics. In addition, Mr. Hanks completed a Beacon course in teaching Exceptional Students Education (ESE). Mr. Woodrum started teaching in 2022 after receiving his bachelor's degree in Elementary Education from Florida State University. He comes from a long line of teachers, including his father, grandmother, and several other close family members. He is blessed with a wife and two young sons, and loves to spend his free time with them. Otherwise, he is an avid reader of all things historical, recreational guitar player, and often volunteers with his local church. This is Mr. Jacobs second year at RLA. He has 38 years in education at multiple schools. Mr. Jacobs retired from teaching in Georgia after 31 years before coming to Florida 8 years ago. In Florida he was an administrator at a local school for almost five years. He obtained a Bachelor's degree in Chemistry (B.S) from Piedmont University with minors in education and curriculum. Mr. Jacobs also holds a Master's degree in Science Education (M.S) and a Specialist degree in Curriculum (EdS). He was nominated several times for STAR teacher while in Georgia. Over the years he has taught AP Chemistry, AP Physics (Calculus), Physical Science, Biology, Astronomy, Geology, and many science related subjects. Mr. Jacobs has coached multiple sports in his degree. In 2001 his girls basketball team captured the state championship. He was named the Georgia Coach-of-the-Year for the team's accomplishments. During the same year his softball team also captured the state championship. The veteran teacher also served in the USAF for almost five years. He is a disabled veteran. Mr. Jacobs believes his approach to teaching is to make each challenge exciting for his students. He believes that students are involved in the science classroom and in a laboratory setting. My name is Cheryl Keel. I am so happy to be at Rising Leaders Academy! I have been in education for 32 years. I hold a Bachelors in Education, a Masters in Educational Leadership and a Masters in Music. This will be my 28th year in the classroom. I began my journey in the private school setting for the first 16 years teaching high school and middle school Language Arts. I also taught elementary music. For 4 years I became a curriculum coordinator and writer for Florida State University for the Florida Center for Reading Research. I decided to go back to the classroom in 2013 and teach Elementary Reading Interventions. In 2016, I moved into middle school and I believe they are by far, my favorite job to teach. I have been married to Ron for 33 years and we have 2 sons. We also have 2 grandchildren who we adore! I love spending time with my family, boating, fishing, swimming and crafting. Best of all, I really love teaching! Coach Tim is a native of Southern Illinois and is in his second year at Rising Leaders Academy. Coach Tim is a former Illinois Law Enforcement Officer (Police Sergeant) of 13 years, having also served as an Undercover Special Agent during that time. Coach Tim has been a Japanese Martial Arts practitioner and instructor for over 20 years. Coach Tim is the founder and former owner of Shinobi Fitness. There he taught members as young as 4 years old all the way up to clients in their 70s. Obstacle Course Training, Fitness, and Martial Arts. Coach Tim competed on American Ninja Warrior in 2014 (NBC, Season 6) and then competed on the obstacle course television show (CBS) The Million Dollar Mile, in 2018. Coach Tim has brought his love of Obstacle Course Training along with state of the art equipment, to Rising Leaders Academy and enjoys teaching it to all ages. Coach Tim also serves as the Safety Director, which includes training staff and students on safe school practices. A native of Lynn Haven, FL, Ethan has been involved in athletics his whole life. He received a bachelors degree in Sport and Fitness Management at Troy University while also receiving All-Conference honors on the football field as a defensive back for the University. After excelling in college, Ethan spent some time in the NFL with the Detroit Lions. After the Lions, Ethan also was blessed to play professional football in the CFL, in which he played for the Montréal Alouettes and the Hamilton Tiger-cats. After his playing career he was the defensive backs football coach for Arnold High school in Panama City Beach, FL for 2 seasons. He has years of experience of teaching PE (K-12). Throughout his years of training students and student athletes, he has trained professional, college, high school, and adolescent athletes. He has a passion to teach the youth the skills and knowledge that he's been blessed to attain throughout his playing, teaching, and coaching career. Mrs. Elemam has a Bachelor of Education in Arabic Language and Masters of Education from Bloomsburg University. She has over 20 years of experience in teaching Arabic. She taught all levels from kindergarten to university level, where she taught at Bloomsburg University. She has been teaching at Rising Leaders Academy for six years. She has a Teaching Certificate covering World Language. Mrs. Perkins has been teaching Spanish at RLA since it first opened in 2012. She was awarded an Excellence in Teaching Award the four years she taught at her previous school, Panama City Renaissance School. Over the years, she has taken several courses on education and has fulfilled all the requirements to obtain her Professional Education Certification. She holds a Bachelor's degree from the University of Buenos Aires, Argentina. Her background as an architect has made it easy for her to visualize and plan lessons that incorporate different forms of expression. This will be Mrs. Perkins' 9th year at Rising Leaders Academy. Mrs. Rachel Cole has been teaching Art and Music in the classroom for three years. She has also taught String instruction privately for ten years and directed the Wiregrass Youth Symphony Orchestra for eight years. Mrs. Cole studied Cello Performance at Florida State University and holds a Bachelor's Degree in Music from the Baptist College of Florida. She is passionate about teaching students to use their creativity and imagination through Fine Arts. Mrs. Pam is excited about her new role with the RLA family. She joins the team with over 10 years of administrative office assistant experience. Her previous work involvement included supporting corporate executives and office proficiency in the construction field. Pam has also had the privilege of volunteering and substituting in various positions for the last three years at Rising Leaders, giving her further insight into her current position. Pam believes that regardless of the area of education you work in, you still have an impact on the students, and you should make it a positive one. She looks forward to assisting students, parents, and staff to the best of her ability. My Name is Dellah Dumrongkulraka. I obtained an Associates degree in nursing from Chipola College in 2008. I went on to get a BSN degree from The University of North West Florida. I have 10 years hospital experience and 2 years nursing home experience. I am a mother of two that attend RLA, and I am happy to be a part of the wonderful RLA team. Rising Leaders Academy offers students the most advanced and innovative curriculum in the nation. At Rising Leaders Academy, students will achieve academic excellence through a developmentally rigorous, innovative, challenging, college preparatory curriculum in a warm, nurturing environment. RLA meets the needs of every student and encourages lifelong learning, with a focus on strong leadership skills. RLA will prepare students to have a sincere responsibility to give back to the community. Students will be involved in all aspects of the curriculum during project time (e.g., reading, researching, computing, solving problems, designing, drawing, writing, collaborating with peers, volunteers, mentors, and teachers). Every classroom has computers and connections to the Internet available to help students naturally involve technology in their overall education and their daily schoolwork. Most projects will be accomplished through small, cooperative groups, and personal learning styles will be taken into account. Critical Thinking & Problem Solving Communication Collaboration Creativity & Innovation We partnered with Expeditionary Learning (EL) during the first school year. Expeditionary Learning is one of the Nation's most innovative and successful school design instructional models. Through EL's design principles and practices, EL school designers helped teachers implement real-life, project-based learning expeditions that promote literacy and integrate curricular content. The Expeditionary Learning model helps deliver on our guiding principle of building communication skills, student character, and community/environmental responsibility. Teachers structure learning around real problems, encouraging students to learn in settings outside the classroom and the school building. Students also collaborate to learn together and teach others. 2017 EXPEDITIONS HEALTHY RECIPES BY RLA MIDDLE SCHOOL 2016 EXPEDITIONS 2015 EXPEDITIONS 2014 EXPEDITIONS 2013 EXPEDITIONS In addition, our curriculum also includes an emphasis on STEM. Rising Leaders Academy focuses heavily on Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. STEM education seeks to create 21st-century learning skills for students. STEM is a national initiative at the high school level, trickling down to only a handful of elementary and middle schools. RLA's unique implementation is called Expeditionary STEM Education, where we use Expeditionary Learning, as well as STEM curriculum-based learning. Rising Leaders Academy provides rigorous, authentic integrated instruction in science, technology, engineering, and math in order to build student understanding and competence in these areas and prepare students for advanced studies in STEM. Students will be exposed to current technology and engaged in the curriculum through appropriate applications of technology. They will meet and exceed state standards in all areas by applying these concepts. Elementary School Language Arts (K - 5) Program RLA uses Pearson's Reading Street Common Core. Every lesson focuses on Common Core State Standards, moving children toward higher-order thinking and college and career readiness. Reading Street Common Core is more personalized, more interactive, and more responsive. It's the first English language arts program to offer 100% compliance with the Common Core in print and digital formats. Reading Street Common Core is built for performance and manageability. Weekly target skills and strategies perfectly align with the new grade-level standards. Other than the text and workbooks, each student has access to the interactive digital resources that include: Main Selection eText; Pairs Selection eText; Decodable Books (K-3); Interactive Sound-Spelling Cards (1-3); Tested Vocabulary Activities (1-6); Online Journal (K-6); Story Sort (K-6); ELLeaders (1-6); ELD eReaders (1-6); Leveled eReaders (K-6); Leveled Readers Database (K-6); Grammar Jammer (1-6); New Literacies Activities (1-6); Big Question Videos; Concept Talk Videos (K-6); Amazing Words Sing with Me Animations (K2); Envision It! Animations (K-6) Online Games and Activities (K-6). Elementary School Mathematics (K - 5) Program RLA uses Pearson's enVisionMathCommonCore. The enVisionMATH program reviewed by the What Works Clearinghouse is currently the #1 math curriculum in U.S. schools, with more than six million students learning elementary mathematics with the program. enVisionMATH is designed for students in grades K-6 and seeks to help students develop an understanding of math concepts through problem-based instruction, small-group interaction, and visual learning with a focus on reasoning and modeling. The U.S. Department of Education's What Works Clearinghouse has issued a report validating research that Pearson's enVisionMATH elementary school curriculum increases student achievement above and beyond other K-6 math programs. Each student has access to interactive digital resources that include the eText and videos. Elementary School Science Program (K - 5) RLA uses Pearson's Interactive Science. It includes interactive technology and real-world case studies. Pearson Science helps teachers spark students' natural interest in science and create life-long critical thinkers. We provide powerful standards-based instructional solutions, STEM activities, and professional development to help you improve student learning. Each student also has access to interactive digital resources that include the eText and videos. Elementary School Social Studies Program (K - 5) RLA uses Pearson's myWorld Social Studies which utilizes storytelling to bring Social Studies content to life. myWorld Social Studies connects Social Studies content and literacy instruction with materials that are streamlined, flexible, and attuned to today's classroom. Our innovative digital instruction is seamlessly integrated, providing a blended program that is engaging, effective, and easy to use. Pearson's myWorld Social Studies provides innovative and engaging materials that allow us to teach the way your students learn – print, digital, and active. 6th Grade: Pre-Algebra 7th Grade: Pre-Algebra or Algebra I Honors 8th Grade: Algebra 1 Honors or Geometry Honors Middle School Language Arts Program: Our middle school students will use the new Pearson MyPerspectives. Students will also take a high school level Creative Writing class in Middle School. Middle School Science Program: RLA focuses heavily on hands-on experiments. The students will have 2 wonderful teachers, which include a scientist to help the students apply the science to the real world. Middle School Social Studies Program: RLA uses Expeditionary Learning to bring social studies to life, in which students take journeys of learning to understand the topics in depth. Middle School Health Program: Students in grades 5th grade to 8th will take a health education class focused on making them healthier physically, socially, and emotionally. High School Program RLA has an advanced high school program with grades 9 – 12. RLA offers Honors, AP, and dual classes for high school students. 1 Spelling Bee 2 Reach for the Stars 3 Bay District Science Fair 4 Bay District History Fair 5 Florida State Science Fair 6 Florida State History Fair 7 Creative Entrepreneurship Market Places 8 FirstInMath 9 SumDog Math 10 Odyssey of the Mind 11 National Charter School Video Contest (RLA among Top 10 Finalists) 1 Spelling Bee 2 Vocabulary Competition 3 Reach for the Stars 4 Grammar Competition 5 Sight Words Competition 6 Creative Writing Competition 7 National Essay Competition 8 Science Fair 9 History Fair 10 National Poetry Contest 11 Tropicana Speech Contest 1 Spelling Bee 2 FirstInMath 3 Reach for the Stars 4 Respect Essay Contest 5 Bay County Math Contest 6 Black History Month State Contest 7 National Academy of Engineering Contest 8 6th Grade Stock Market Competition 9 Bay County Retired Educators Fifth Grade Essay Contest 10 Science Fair 11 History Fair 12 National Poetry Contest 13 Science Olympiad 14 4th & 5th Grade Tropicana Speech Contest 15 Orchestra Instrument Names Contest 16 Inventor's Club 1 Spelling Bee 2 Science Jeopardy 3 Reach for the Stars: Principal of the Day 4 Community Service Essay Contest 5 Bay County Math Contest 6 The Golden Rule: Respect Essay Contest 7 4th Grade District Spelling Bee 8 5th Grade Stock Market Competition 9 Civil Rights & Martin Luther King Essay Competition 10 Doodle 4 Google Contest 11 Lego League Competition 12 WWII National Essay Contest 13 National Math Contest 14 4th & 5th Grade Tropicana Speech Contest 1 Spelling Bee 2 Math Bee 3 U.S. Capitals Competition 4 World Capitals Competition 5 Bay County Math Contest 6 National Math Contest 7 I Have a Dream Essay Contest 8 4th Grade Stock Market Competition 9 4th Grade Panhandle Fair Essay Contest 11 4th Grade Poetry Contest 1 S- SCHOOLS/STUDENTS 2 T-TAKING 3 R- RESPONSIBILITY FOR 4 I- IMPORTANT 5 V- VALUES OF 6 E- EXCELLENCE