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GIBSON EK

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Engaging, inspiring, and educating students through personal discovery, interest-based learning, and community partnerships

VISION

Gibson Ek High School is a small innovative high school where students' interests, passions, and talents drive the learning

MISSION

Gibson Ek students thrive by engaging in rigorous interest-based learning and authentic internships in a vibrant and supportive community

Gibson Ek High School will open in the fall of 2016 with approximately 108 students in 9th and 10th grades. The school will grow to over 200 students by 2019-2020.

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SCHOOL MODEL

INTERNSHIPS

All students complete Learning Through Interest experiences (LTIs), working with adults whose careers match the students' passions and career aspirations. Students spend 2 days per week at their internships.

PERSONALIZATION

Students develop Learning Plans with the guidance of their advisor and input from their parents, mentors, and peers. Students engage in rigorous interest-based projects, becoming the directors of their learning.

ASSESSMENTS

Students demonstrate learning through quarterly exhibitions where they are assessed based on learning goals aligned with competencies.

LEARNING ENVIRONMENT

In order to truly personalize learning, we have designed our campus to create a vibrant, innovative, flexible, and collaborative school environment.

ADVISORY

Students are part of a small supportive learning community called an advisory.

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

The innovation at Gibson Ek happens at all levels - students, families, and educators. Families are an essential part of school.

LEADERSHIP

Students are immersed in the school's culture, developing leadership skills essential for their academic, career, and life success.

PREPARATION

Students graduate with strong academic, occupational, and personal skills to continue learning while being happy, responsible and successful citizens in a dynamic global environment.

