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### **School Description and Mission Statement**

*Ramona Junior High's mission is to teach students at the highest levels and create a learning environment where they can develop skills to be competent, resourceful and successful.*

*Ramona Junior High is dedicated to creating a safe, respectful and positive learning environment for student success. Our teachers, staff, parents, and community members are committed to academic & Socio-Emotional success for all students.*

*Our responsibility is to support our students in becoming motivated, persistent learners, who will be college or career ready. We are dedicated to ensuring that students feel respected, safe and supported to thrive.*

*Ramona values treating everyone with dignity and respect. Therefore; school administrators, teachers, and all staff are committed to building a collaborative culture that examines all practices through the lens of student learning. We are committed to work interdependently and assume a collective responsibility for student learning and a promise for the future.*

*Our staff focuses on collaboration strategies, building stronger connections with students, integrating technology and digital tools; accessing, processing, and analyzing data through professional learning communities to drive learning. Ramona teachers have also committed to implementing Advancement Via Individual Determination (AVID) Path strategies to support Writing, Inquiry, Collaboration, Organization & Reading (WICOR) in core content areas to facilitate student success in a rigorous curriculum.*

### **Opportunities for Parental Involvement**

*Ramona Junior High School welcomes parents to take an active role in their child's education, providing input on academic support, safety, and behavior. A variety of committees exist for parents on our campus. School Site Council, (SSC), English Learner Advisory Committee (ELAC), and Parent Action Team (PFLN). These committees enhance the learning environment and educational programs at RJHS. Parents are encouraged to follow our social media and website calendar for upcoming events, and use Aeries Parent Portal to have unlimited access to student academic progress.*

*Ramona Junior High School welcomes parents to attend school to help meet the needs of students. Parents may call the office to schedule a parent/teacher conference, STEP meeting, class visit, and/or lunchtime visit any time throughout the school year.*

*Parents also have an opportunity to attend various empowerment classes and counseling services through our community partnership with the City of Chino, the Parent Engagement Center, and our Parent Institute For a Quality Education (PIQE), which is designed specifically to prepare middle school Parents with action steps necessary to ensure their child is college and career ready.*

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