TMS Collective Commitments

At Thermopolis Middle School we have established these guiding actions as a reflection of our values as educators and professionals. Our collective commitments are intended as a means of informal personal assessment. They represent our shared purpose and will guide our daily work and decision making.

- 1. As educators, we are committed to continuous improvement, learning and personal growth.
- 2. We will regard ALL students as OUR students.
- 3. We will keep student learning as the central focus.
- 4. We are committed to learning from each other and capitalizing on each others' strengths.
- 5. We will provide challenging, rigorous, and developmentally appropriate curriculum through collaborative work around the 4 essential PLC questions.
- 6. We will focus on measurable academic growth for every student in reading, math, science and writing.
- 7. We will establish and communicate high expectations for ALL students in a positive manner.
- 8. ALL TMS staff will demonstrate an understanding of the critical role they play in student academic growth and achievement.
- 9. Mutual accountability is key to our success. At TMS we will continue to develop a culture of shared leadership and decision making that is student centered.
- 10. At TMS we will continue to seek creative ways to celebrate each other, this includes students and staff.

