



NEBRASKA DEPARTMENT *OF* EDUCATION

TO: Roger Breed, Ed.D.
Commissioner of Education

FROM: Pat Timm, Chair, State Board Policy Committee

SUBJECT: Proposed State Board Policy Statement G8, "Developing Global Competence."

Proposed Board Action:

Approve the proposed State Board Policy Statement G8, "Developing Global Competence."

Background Information:

The State Board of Education Policy Committee recommends that the State Board approve the proposed Policy Statement G8, "Developing Global Competence."

Estimated Cost:

No cost is anticipated.

Supporting Documentation Included:

Proposed State Board Policy Statement G8, "Developing Global Competence."

For Additional Information on this item:

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Nebraska State Board of Education Policy Statement for Developing Global Competence

Global competence is the capacity, knowledge, skills, and disposition to understand, analyze, and act on global opportunities and challenges. The educational objectives for Nebraska students should include global competence as a result of the ever-increasing interaction and interdependence among people, states, and nations. It is imperative for students to have a current and historical knowledge of the great civilizations and cultures of the world. Through a better understanding of themselves and others, with respect for and recognition of the values and heritage of the United States, students will be prepared for successful participation in an interconnected world.

Board Action History

- Policy statement adopted _____