

BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES

Value & Mission Statements

Value Statement

We are passionate educators, dedicated to employing evidence-based strategies to support rigorous learning. We prioritize scholarly activity and research that engages our students and informs our teaching. We are a community of lifelong learners who value collaboration, encourage skepticism, and foster a culture of integrity, environmental stewardship, and community engagement.

Mission Statement

To provide a uniquely student-focused biology education through innovative practices in teaching and student-centered research. Our graduates have a broad foundation of knowledge and skills, and the ability to apply, evaluate, and communicate their understanding of the life sciences as scientists, educators, leaders, and engaged citizens.