# Where we're going

*A world of limitless opportunity, a future of boundless promise, the tomorrows for which we prepare our children are created in the lessons we teach them today.*

The DoDEA vision statement describes an educational system unbound by traditional school concepts of time, age, and location. It is a system driven by the needs of its students and the realities of a highly technological global marketplace.

Achieving the DoDEA vision for our schools and students presents a very ambitious challenge to everyone in our community. The implementation of the Community Strategic Plan, and the initial work toward the achievement of its benchmarks in 1995-96, laid the groundwork for our efforts during school year 1996-97, and established specific performance goals that will take our schools and our students into the next century. The priority goals selected for the initial years of the DoDEA Community Strategic Plan entail the significant reforms that educational systems must implement to be successful agents of change in the lives of their students. Rapid advances in technology and the interrelatedness of global markets have transformed the world for which our students must be prepared. DoDEA is committed to providing a dynamic educational environment in which vision and innovation guide instructional programs and the opportunities for the optimal achievement and successful future of all students.

We would like to thank you for your continued expressions of support and appreciation for the work that is being performed by our staff and students worldwide. In the many letters we have received recognizing the staff's dedication and commitment, it is apparent that you, the stakeholders, sense the constancy of purpose from which that dedication grows. We will continue to strive to merit your trust and confidence.

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