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PUBLIC STATEMENT

Fairfield Community Schools strives to teach our students to become productive, educated, caring human beings. To achieve that goal, we require our educators follow the specific educational standards mandated by the State of Indiana. We <u>do not</u> teach critical race theory under that name or any other. To reiterate: Fairfield Community Schools <u>does not</u> teach critical race theory. We <u>do</u> teach and encourage all of our students to be respectful of and kind to their classmates, our staff members, parents and community members, regardless of their ethnicity, gender, race or disability. Some may attempt to mischaracterize this approach as nefarious or conspiratorial; we simply call it The Golden Rule.