

TITLE: Objectives of the Instructional Program  
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The objectives of the educational program of Gilmer County Schools are designed to develop in each child:

1. A command of reading, writing, arithmetic, and the other fundamental tools for continued learning.
2. The ability of critical and constructive thinking and in making wise individual and group decisions.
3. The ability of self-control in accordance with accepted social standards.
4. Latent creative interests and abilities.
5. An understanding and appreciation for the physical and cultural world.
6. The skills, attitudes, and knowledge for effective living in the home, at work, and in the community.
7. An understanding of the appreciation for healthful living and for participation in wholesome recreation.
8. In organizing and carrying out the children's education, the school recognizes that education goes on outside the school and that the home and community have responsibilities for training children which cannot be assumed nor carried on by the school, and that all agencies must cooperate and work together in the interests of children.