



**SPOJENÁ ŠKOLA**  
**Gymnázium Jura Hronca a Základná škola**  
**Košická**



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## **SCHOOL'S MISSION**

Our school is committed to meeting the needs of today's multicultural societies and recognising the changes in the global nature of our lives.

- Our school mission is to help to develop students' academic knowledge together with their personal growth respecting uniqueness of each individual and thus supporting the diversity of cultures, religions and attitudes.
- We aim to provide a caring and stimulating learning environment, to educate students to become responsible, confident, articulate, industrious and healthy individuals, who think critically and creatively and are well prepared for a lifelong learning.
- Our mission is to offer our students insights into as many 'worlds' as we are capable of providing to them.
- We value and aim to provide education which goes beyond academic development and guides our students to become open-minded and knowledgeable citizens of our state, the European Union or the world, whose actions and mindset will have positive impacts for the future generations.

**School mission statement:**

We aim to guide and inspire all our students through their formative years so that they discover themselves, grow in wisdom and health, value freedom and differences and honour these values all their lives long.

## **SCHOOL'S VISION**

We - teachers, parents and students of Spojená Škola Novohradská, envision the whole school community learning and teaching in HUMANITY and AWARENESS of the importance of compliance of basic human values and rights. Our school vision is to focus on HONESTY, INITIATIVE, COMMUNITY, COURAGE AND UNIQUENESS.

**Honesty** - we speak the truth even if it is uncomfortable. We are able to take responsibility for our actions and apologise for our mistakes.

- Criterion: Both the student and the teacher are capable of admitting their weaknesses. The truth always precedes ego and authority.

**Initiative** - We care about the situation in our society and our efforts go beyond our regular duties. We support our teachers in their actions and interest in enhancing our premises, documents and approaches.

- Criterion: The teaching-learning process goes beyond the curriculum, classroom walls or our school premises. Each subject continues in spreading its importance and purpose outside the lessons. The teacher should emphasise these transdisciplinary and interdisciplinary aspects and be able to react to current matters. Our students participate in activities which are not directly related to lessons taught in school. Initiative of teachers is heard out, welcome and supported.

**Community** - We built strong relationships based on trust which last throughout the studies and many years after. We are different but we help each other and inspire each other. We aspire to establish a stable team of teachers that works more effectively. Our students become lifelong friends who despite different professions or residences pride themselves on their alma mater. We envision that we continue to offer our graduates a platform for sharing their experiences and expertise with our current students.

- Criterion: We all attempt to know each other and to consider all of us equal. We listen to each other's needs, and we communicate openly.

**Courage** - we envision guiding students who become leaders and are brave enough to fight the unfairness and act as role models for others. We value each attempt to enhance our stereotypical approaches.

- Criterion: We strive to be seen for who we are and not to treat and be treated with scorn or ridicule for being different or having different opinions.

**Uniqueness** - our vision is to maintain our unique status as a state school with national and international programmes which show excellent results in education and other aspects of life. We envision providing support and expertise for students interested in a variety of projects. It is also the diversity that makes us unique and we envision maintaining it as it motivates us.

- Criterion: We should embrace the diversity of our students, their backgrounds and abilities and use that to trigger motivation, inspiration, satisfaction, gratitude, and achievements of higher goals or better results.

**School vision statement:**

Our vision is to make our school a modern, inspiring and welcoming place for all students and teachers that pride on the uniqueness of our school and the provision of excellent education. Our vision is to create an environment where honesty, initiative, sense of community and courage are inevitable traits of each and every individual.