

**ERIC Vision Statement  
(Drafted at 2-12-21 Workshop)**

**Every Tennessean will have high-quality education necessary for life and career.**

Best practices for our vision include-

- > be student centric
- > provide direction
- > offer a long-term perspective
- > be a guidepost for actions vs. a time bound mission
- > give purpose/reason for education
- > reimagine our K-12 education journey to connect dreams, well-being and skills with careers
- > provide inspiration that touches basic human emotions of all TN citizens
- > be short, concise, simple and **easily repeated**
- > articulate our beliefs, values and actions
- > recognize this is an end-state, not yet a reality
- > inspire people to make vision a reality
- > focus vision within initiatives (learning loss, well-being, career education and technology)