

**BOARD OPERATIONAL GOALS**

The Board of Education, as a legally constituted body of elected representatives, bears the responsibility of setting policy for the school district. The Board acts in accordance with authority and responsibility vested in it by federal and state laws, rules, and regulations on behalf of the district's citizens.

The Board believes that each individual should be shown respect for personal uniqueness and that the Board shall strive to provide opportunities for learning experiences which promote satisfying and productive lives for its students. In order to ensure that its educational programs provide all students with a high-quality education, the Board hereby establishes as its goals:

1. to assign responsibilities to the administrative staff, through the Superintendent of Schools, in a manner which will most effectively implement District programs;
2. to interpret effectively to the community the needs of the schools and promote public confidence;
3. to enable the administration to make decisions on routine operations, avoiding unnecessary Board meetings;
4. to permit adequate time to be devoted to a study of school problems and a determination of satisfactory solutions;
5. to encourage all employees to better understand their work in relation to the total educational program;
6. to enable new Board members to become quickly oriented to the functions of and the working procedures of the Board of Education;
7. to evaluate the Board's performance in relation to these goals, and to establish and clarify policies based upon the results of such evaluation; and
8. to manage all school affairs in a sound and economical manner in keeping with a high quality educational program.

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