

1210 BOARD-SUPERINTENDENT RELATIONS

The Board of Education believes that it is the primary duty of the Board to establish policies and the primary duty of the Superintendent to implement and administer those policies.

The Superintendent, as chief administrative officer of the school district, is the primary professional advisor to the Board. Policy should not be adopted or revised without consultation with the Superintendent.

The Superintendent is responsible for the development, supervision, and operation of the school program and facilities and will be given latitude to implement and administer policies in accordance with such standards as may have been set forth in the policies. The Superintendent will discharge his or her responsibility in part through the establishment and promulgation of administrative regulations.

The Superintendent is responsible to keep the Board apprised of important events and developments within the district. In furtherance of this duty, he or she shall report to the Board any significant accident, incident, or emergency that occurs in the district, including but not limited to any significant incident involving law-enforcement agents. The Superintendent shall make such a report to the Board President within four (4) hours, or as soon as practicable, after the incident and to the full Board within twenty-four (24) hours after the incident.

In evaluating the effectiveness of Board policy in meeting the goals of the district, the Board will request the Superintendent to make appropriate inquiries, investigations, and reports.

Cross-reference: Policy Guide No. 1230

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