

CURRICULUM ADOPTION

The board will rely on its professional administrators to design and implement instructional programs and courses of study that will forward the educational goals of the school district.

The board authorizes the superintendent and the principals to organize curriculum advisory committees, which shall include administrators, teachers, and community members to periodically review the curriculum and advise the board on curriculum modification. The board may appoint advisory personnel and/or ad hoc board committees to join with administration and staff in considering curriculum modification.

The superintendent may recommend new programs and changes in courses of study after the programs and changes have been thoroughly studied and found to support educational goals. However, changes shall not be made prior to board approval.

The board will be informed about all aspects of the curriculum so that it can establish policy and provide resources necessary to implement the instructional program. The board will be informed of all new courses and substantive revisions in curriculum. It will receive reports on changes under consideration and a periodic report on programs and courses offered in the schools.

The board's acceptance of these periodic reports will constitute its official adoption of the curriculum.