

Students

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Policy Title: Student Government

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A student government in any school may be organized within the framework of guidelines adopted by the building principal and the faculty representatives.

The student council provides for student activities, serves as a training experience for student leaders, promotes the common good, gives students a share in the management of the school, develops high ideals of personal conduct, acts as a clearinghouse for student activities, seeks to interest students in school district affairs and helps solve problems that may arise. Members of the council are student representatives who have direct access to the administration. The function of student government shall be to provide a channel of communication between students and the professional staff of the building or unit.

The principal, in conjunction with the students and licensed employees, will set forth the guidelines for the student government's elections, operations, and other elements of the government. Regulations and policies shall always remain the province of the Board and administration.

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