

Board of Education

Committees

Board Committees

The Board of Education creates Board committees as the Board deems necessary. The Board President makes all Board committee appointments unless specifically stated otherwise. Notice of Board committee meetings shall be given in the same manner as notice for special meetings, and Board committee meetings shall be open to the public unless the topic for discussion is an item on which a public body may hold a closed session. Board committees report directly to the Board.

Special Board Committees

Special committees may be created for specific purposes or to investigate special issues. A special committee shall be automatically dissolved after presenting its final report to the Board or at the Board's discretion. Citizen advisory committees may be used to interpret school needs to the community and to gather information from the community.

Standing Board Committees

Standing committees are created for indefinite terms to fulfill continuing District needs for investigation and monitoring of specific issues. Standing committees are:

1. Parent-Teacher Advisory Committee. This committee assists in the development of student discipline policy and procedure. Its members are parents/guardians and teachers, and may include persons whose expertise or experience is needed. The committee reviews such issues as administering medication in the schools, reciprocal reporting between the School District and local law enforcement agencies regarding criminal offenses committed by students, student discipline, disruptive classroom behavior, school bus safety procedures, and the dissemination of student conduct information.
2. The Behavioral Interventions Committee, coordinated by the Executive Director of the Special Education Cooperative, develops, implements, and monitors procedures for using behavioral interventions in accordance with Board Policy 7:230, Misconduct by Students with Disabilities. Committee reports and recommendations are made to the Board of Education as requested by the Board.

Superintendent Committees

The Superintendent creates Superintendent committees as he or she deems necessary and makes all appointments. Superintendent committees report to the Superintendent.

LEGAL REF.: Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. §1232g.
Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. §6301 et seq.
Rules and Regulations for the Control of Communicable Diseases, issued by the
Illinois Department of Public Health.
5 ILCS 120/1 et seq.
105 ILCS 5/10-20.14 and 10/1 et seq.
23 Ill. Admin. Code §226.115 and §226.350 et seq.

CROSS REF.: 2:240 (Board Policy Development), 5:40 (Communicable and Chronic Infectious
Disease), 6:170 (Title I Program), 7:190 (Student Discipline), 7:230 (Misconduct
by Students with Disabilities), 7:280 (Communicable and Chronic Infectious
Disease)

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