

BA - BOARD OPERATIONAL GOALS

The Board is responsible to the people for whose benefit the school district has been established, and committed to the education of all students as appropriate to the best of their individual abilities. It is charged with accomplishing this while also being responsible for wise management of resources available to the district. By virtue of its responsibility and commitment the Board must establish those purposes, programs, and procedures that will respond to the district's immediate problems and long-range needs.

The Board must fulfill these responsibilities by functioning primarily as a legislative body to formulate and adopt policy, by selecting an executive officer to implement policy and by evaluating the results. Further, it must carry out its functions openly, while seeking the involvement and contributions of public, students and staff in its decision-making processes.

FUNCTIONS OF BOARD OF EDUCATION:

Policy Making

Planning is basic to all activity. Policy making is that function which determines what shall be done, establishing procedures for accomplishing the tasks, selecting an executive officer and delegating to him/her the placing of plans and policies into operation and providing the financial means for their achievement.

Executive

The executive is that function which is concerned with placing into operation the plans and policies, keeping the Board of Education informed and furnishing creative leadership to the Board and to the profession.

Appraisal

Appraisal is that function which attempts, through careful examination and study of facts and conditions, to determine, (1) the efficiency of operation of the general activities; (2) the worth and value of the results of the activities in relation to the efficiency and value of the instruction.

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