

SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Springfield, New Jersey 07081

POLICY: CONCEPTS AND ROLES IN ADMINISTRATION; GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

The Springfield Board of Education shall establish policies that govern all aspects of district operations. The Board expects the educational administration to direct, coordinate and supervise pupils and staff in their efforts to reach goals and objectives adopted by the board.

Within the guidelines of Board policy, negotiated agreements and New Jersey law, the Board expects the educational administration to:

- A. Provide up-to-date information and sound professional advice to the Board, as an aid in rational decision making.
- B. Plan, organize, implement and evaluate the educational programs established by Board policy, in order to provide optimum educational opportunities to the pupils of the district.
- C. Provide these optimum educational opportunities at the lowest possible cost.
- D. Use efficient fiscal procedures, pursuant to law and regulations and developed after consultation with and among the Board, administrators and appropriate staff members.
- E. Use efficient administrative and management procedures, pursuant to law and regulations, and developed after consultation with and among the Board, administrators and appropriate staff members.
- F. Coordinate the resources of the community with those of the district.
- G. Keep the Board informed of all new legislative actions or changes in code and statute which affect the policies, programs or operations of the district.

Legal References:

N.J.S.A. 18A:7A-1 et al. Public School Education Act of 1975
N.J.S.A. 18A:11-1 General mandatory powers and duties
N.J.S.A. 18A:12-21 et seq. School Ethics Act
N.J.S.A. 18A:54-20 Powers of Board (county vocational schools)
N.J.A.C. 6:3-9.1 et seq. School Ethics Commission
N.J.A.C. 6:8-1.1 et seq. Thorough and efficient system of free public schools

Cross References:

2131 Chief School Administrator
2210 Administrative leeway in absence of Board policy
4111 Recruitment, selection and hiring
4211 Recruitment, selection and hiring

9000 Role of the Board

9313 Formulation, adoption, amendment of administrative regulations

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