

The Board shall provide for a school system and establish general policies in keeping with the wishes of the community, the rules and regulations of the Department of Public Instruction and the requirements of applicable state and federal law. In carrying out this function the Board has three general duties: formulating and interpreting education policies, delegating administrative duties and making a continuous appraisal of progress. In fulfilling these three general duties, the Board has the following specific responsibilities:

1. To select a superintendent and support him/her in the discharge of his/her duties.
2. Employ school personnel based upon recommendations of the superintendent.
3. To set salary schedules. Salary schedules for employees covered by a collective bargaining agreement shall be arrived at through the collective bargaining process.
4. To create, review and act on policies for the school program.
5. To require and evaluate the reports of the superintendent concerning the progress of the financial status of the schools.
6. To consider, review and adopt an annual school budget recommended by the superintendent.
7. To consider and decide upon professional recommendation for school services, buildings and facilities.
8. To assist in presenting to the public the needs and progress of the educational system.
9. To provide, by the exercise of its legal powers, the funds necessary to finance the operation of the schools.
10. To perform other specific duties imposed upon the Board by state law.

The Board may do all things reasonable to promote the cause of education, including establishing, providing and improving District programs, functions and activities for the benefit of students.

LEGAL REFERENCE: Wisconsin Statutes Sections 120.12 and 120.13

CROSS REFERENCE:

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