

**SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS***Category: Optional**Related Policies: BBBC, BBBF*

The School Board shall consist of an odd number of members elected by the qualified voters of the District at the annual District elections.

The term of office of each member of the School Board shall be for a period of three (3) years. Vacancies that occur before the expiration of a member's term shall be filled pursuant to Board policy BBBC. A member appointed to fill a vacancy shall serve only until the next annual election, at which point the seat will be open for election to serve the remainder of the original term.

Additionally, pursuant to RSA 189:1-c, the School Board shall have one non-voting student member from WMRHS high school. Elections for such student board member shall be held in accordance with RSA 194:23-f, and with the provisions of Board policy BBBF.

**District Policy History:**

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**Legal References:**

RSA 189:1-c, School Board Student Member

RSA 194:23-f, High School Student as a Board Member

RSA 195:19-a, Composition of Cooperative School Boards

RSA 195:19-b, Reapportionment

RSA 671: 4, School District Elections: Board

RSA 671:22, School District Election at Town Meeting

RSA 671:33, Vacancies