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EDUCATION AIDE

The Board of Education recognizes that class size and its respective characteristics of those students along with age will create a variance of needs.

The needs of a class, as a whole, will be carefully considered by the administration and the assistance of a paraprofessional will be recommended by the building principal and/or Superintendent.

The following concerns will be addressed before making a decision:

- curriculum needs of the students
- number of students requiring special services
- social/emotional needs of students
- academic level of students
- maturity level of students
- age of students

Education aides who hold a teaching certificate shall be compensated at the rate of pay established for their position as an education aide. It shall be the responsibility of the principal to supervise education aides.

Cross Reference: 412.02 Support Staff Qualifications, Recruitment, Selection