

Harvey Public School District

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Descriptor Code: LAA Shared Services
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Sharing programs with nearby School Districts may be advantageous for our students as well as for the students of neighboring districts. "Shared program" is defined as an arrangement in which a program offered by the District is not available in the other participating District and/or the other District offers a program not available here. A shared program may include, but is not limited to: transporting students, an itinerant teacher, and/or ITV offerings.

The "shared program" approach is viable if:

1. The integrity of our academic program is maintained.
2. The numbers of students exchanged does not result in exacerbating the enrollment decline in our schools.
3. There is space available in the programs offered.
4. The time schedule of the two schools coordinate thus avoiding excessive loss of student instructional time.
5. Transportation can be provided by the schools at reasonable cost that is less than the cost of offering the course in the home school.
6. The School District sending students to another District assumes responsibility for providing transportation.

Prior to approving the shared service, the Board shall require the Superintendent to submit a shared service report to the Board which will include but will not be limited to:

1. Number of students involved;
2. Departments and courses involved;
3. Impact on teaching staff;
4. Cost of transportation;
5. Cost of tuition charges.

Descriptor Code: LAB Cooperative Programs & Services
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Before joining any cooperative program, education collaboration or consortium, or participating in any joint educational services with other school systems, the Board shall ensure the best interests of Harvey Public School District school children will be served. In carrying out this policy, the Superintendent shall include in reports to the Board an evaluation of the desirability and feasibility of such cooperation. Membership and participation of this District in a cooperative program, collaboration or consortium, or participation in any joint educational services with other school systems will be decided by a majority vote of the Board unless otherwise stipulated by law.

At the completion of the term of the agreement, the Board will vote on continuance of its membership in the cooperative. The Board will continue membership in any cooperative only as long as the best educational interests of the students and those of the school system may be served.

Complementary Documents

- **LAB-BR ~ Sports Co-ops**

Descriptor Code: LAB-BR Sports Co-ops
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The Harvey Public School District may enter into athletic co-op programs with other public School Districts when such an arrangement would be beneficial to the students of the District. The following considerations will guide the administration in negotiating such agreements:

- 1. The co-op must be acceptable to the North Dakota High School Activities Association.**
- 2. Specific arrangements will include the costs to be borne by each District.**
- 3. Transportation to and from practices and games will be arranged by each District and will specify adult drivers.**
- 4. Adequate supervision of students will be maintained at all times.**
- 5. Each District will have an equal number of representatives on a governing board that will be responsible for personnel decisions, approving game and practice calendars and receiving and resolving complaints and problems concerning the co-op.**

Each co-op agreement must come before the Board for initial ratification and approval of each renewal.

Descriptor Code: LAC Relations with Colleges & Universities
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The Board desires that staff and students of this District benefit in every feasible way from resources provided by the colleges and universities in our area. The Superintendent is to keep the Board informed of all opportunities for shared and cooperative services between the District and institutions of higher learning.

Professional Development & Continuing Education

The Superintendent or designee may seek out and utilize the services of college and university faculty members who are willing to serve our schools in staff development programs and as instructional resource persons. In planning post graduate and adult programs and in-service, the Board will work with area institutions of higher education so that programs will not be unnecessarily duplicated but will fit in with advanced training that these institutions offer.

Recruiting

The District will cooperate with recruiting efforts of post-secondary institutions so long as they do not unduly interfere with the school schedule. The Superintendent shall develop criteria and regulations for receiving college recruiters at District schools. Military recruiters shall be afforded the same opportunities as colleges and universities.

Descriptor Code: **LBA** **Relations with Armed Forces Recruiting Units**

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The District will afford the same courtesies to the armed forces recruiting units as are afforded to other post-secondary educational and career entities. To minimize disruption to the educational environment, military recruiters will be subject to the same criteria and regulations as those developed by the Superintendent for college/university and career recruiters.

The District must comply with a request by a military recruiter or an institution of higher education for secondary students' names, addresses, and telephone numbers, unless a parent has "opted out" of providing such information. The District is required to provide an opt-out notice, and opt-out notification procedures are contained in the District's student educational records policy.

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Students in apparent need of social service assistance may be referred to the Area Department of Human Services.

The Harvey Public School District's Board of Education requires all school employees to fully comply with the mandatory reporting provisions concerning child abuse and neglect.