Substitute Employment

The following procedures will be in effect:

- A. Substitute teachers will be contacted from the main office or the AESOP system.
- B. Teachers who are ill and unable to be present for duty in the morning will input absences into AESOP.
- C. Teachers who feel ill and do not expect to be able to teach the next day will input AESOP as soon as possible.
- D. Substitute secretary will be responsible for keeping the record of days taught by the substitute and will notify the principal and district office when the 21st day of substituting shall begin.
- E. The principal's office will notify the substitute secretary in the event leave has been granted to a teacher, indicating the beginning and termination dates.

In the performance of their duties, substitute teachers will be expected to:

- A. Have the same responsibilities and work day as regular teachers.
- B. Attend staff meetings unless excused by the principal.
- C. Follow the lesson plan prepared by the regular teacher or comply with the instructions from the principal.
- D. Maintain the "housekeeping" arrangements of the regular teacher.
- E. Administer no corporal punishment to a child. The principal should be contacted in the case of a serious behavior problem.
- F. Complete building reports, including: (Long-term sub only):
 - 1. Attendance reports
 - 2. Student progress, report cards and warning slips after conferring with the principal.
 - 3. Communications to parents with the approval of the principal.
- G. Report to the substitute secretary before leaving the building in the evening to see if services are needed on the following day.

Substitutes for classified staff shall be contacted in the following manner:

- A. Food Services The food service department will attempt to fill this temporary assignment by contacting one or more qualified individuals from the appropriate list.
- B. Transportation The transportation department is authorized to fill this temporary assignment from a list of qualified drivers.
- C. Maintenance Unless a state of urgency exists maintenance positions will not be filled by a substitute.
- D. Operations The operations department is authorized to employ a substitute custodian from the approved list.
- E. Secretary The principal is authorized to employ a substitute secretary from the approved list when the position is vital to the operation of the unit.
- F. Teacher and Library Aide The principal is authorized to employ a substitute when the role of the aide is critical to the operation of the unit e.g., playground aide, library aide.

The substitute for a classified staff member should report to the substitute secretary at the end of the day to determine if service, on the following day will be needed.

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