

Orientation of Board Members

The Board of Education and the administrative staff shall assist each new member-elect to understand the Board of Education's functions, policies and procedures and operation of the school district before the member takes office. The following methods shall be employed:

- 1. The incoming member shall be given selected materials on the function of the Board of Education and the school district.
- 2. The incoming member shall be invited to attend Board meetings and to participate in its discussions.
- 3. The incoming member shall be invited to meet with the Superintendent and Board Chairperson to discuss orientation on Board membership responsibilities and support.
- 4. The incoming member shall be provided with an overview of the Board's policies and bylaws as well as copies of and/or electronic access to other pertinent materials.
- 5. The incoming member may attend, at district expense, workshops for newly elected members as approved by the Board of Education.
- 6. Appropriate training and/or written directions will be provided to communicate and access Board materials.

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