



Board Policies

BPR 4.3 - Nature of Delegation to the School Director

Policy Type: Board-School Director Relationship
Policy No.: BPR 4.3
Policy Title: Nature of Delegation to the School Director
Monitoring: Frequency—Annual as reflected in the Board Calendar

The Board will instruct the School Director through written policies that prescribe organizational outcomes to be achieved and proscribe organizational circumstances or actions to be avoided, allowing the School Director to use any reasonable interpretation of these policies.

1. The Board will develop policies instructing the School Director to achieve specified results for students within a defined budget.
2. The Board will avoid prescribing operational procedures delegated to the School Director, [i.e., the Board will avoid telling the School Director or staff what to do or how to do it in its policies].
3. As long as the School Director uses any reasonable interpretation of the Board's results and policy, limiting operational policies, the School Director is authorized to establish all further policies, make all decisions, take all actions, establish all practices, and pursue all activities. Such decisions of the School Director shall have the full force and authority as if decided by the Board.
4. The Board may change its policies and policy limiting operations, thereby shifting the boundary between Board and School Director domains. By doing so, the Board changes the latitude of choice given to the School Director. As long as any particular delegation is in place, the Board will respect and support the School Director's choices.

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