

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 - Three-year Review Cycle

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 to determine actions.

- 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. The School Director is authorized to establish policies, make decisions, take actions, establish practices, and pursue activities using reasonable interpretation of the Board's results and policy and consistent with limiting operational policies. 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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