

# Dufur School District 29

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## Board Goals

The Board is responsible to the people for whose benefit the district has been established. Further, the Board's current decisions will influence the future course of education in the district's schools. By virtue of this responsibility, the Board and each of its members must look to the future and to the needs of all district citizens. This requires a comprehensive perspective and long-range plan in addition to addressing immediate problems.

The Board's primary responsibility is to establish policies, purposes and programs and procedures which will best produce educational achievement. The Board is charged with accomplishing this while also being responsible for wise management of available resources. The Board must fulfill these responsibilities by functioning primarily as a legislative body which formulates and adopts policy, by selecting an executive officer to implement policy and by evaluating the results. Further, it must carry out its functions openly and seek the involvement of students, staff and the public during its decision-making processes.

In accordance with these principles, the Board, through its operations, will develop goals annually. Board goals will be developed in consideration of the following guiding principles:

1. Policy-making and planning responsibilities will receive the concentrated, collective effort of the Board;
2. Board policies will be formulated that best serve each student's educational interests;
3. The superintendent will be provided with sufficient and adequate guidelines for implementing Board policies;
4. Effective communication with the students, staff and the public will be promoted to maintain awareness of attitudes, opinions, desires and ideas;
5. Board business will be conducted openly, soliciting and encouraging broad-based involvement of the students, staff and the public in the Board's decision-making processes.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)