

Jackson County School District 9

Code: **IHB**
Adopted: 1/11/06

Class Size

The district recognizes and understands the need to keep class sizes at an appropriate level. Assignments of teachers and the enrollment of students is an administrative function and responsibility. Students assignments to classes and schools is a purposeful and planned function.

Every effort will be made to purposefully plan for the assignment of students to classes. If it is determined that class sizes have reached excessive levels the following steps will be taken.:

1. Considering all issues such as available space, resources and costs, the district will make efforts to reduce class sizes.
2. If a class size issue remains unresolved, the issue may be appealed to the superintendent. The parties will use a problem-solving process to work toward a resolution. The appeal process will end with the superintendent's final decision.

The district is committed to making all possible efforts to provide for the classroom needs of the students in the district.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 243.650](#)

[OAR 581-022-1630](#)

Tualatin Valley Bargaining Council v. Tigard School District 23J, Case No. UP-42-89, 11 PECBR 590 (1989); motion to stay denied, 11 PECBR 777 (1989); aff'd, 106 Or App 381 (1991); review allowed, 312 Or. 16 (1991); rev'd and remanded, 314 Or. 274 (1992); order on remand 14 PECBR 321 (1993); aff'd, 128 Or App 59 (1994); review denied, 320 Or. 272 (1994).