

Riverdale School District 51J

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Evaluation of Instructional Programs

The district, in cooperation with local district staff and advisory groups, will regularly seek to determine effectiveness of educational programs. All programs will be subject to systematic review for the purpose of assessing their quality in terms of stated objectives. A process for program revision and improvement will be established.

District professional staff will be responsible for documenting and reporting needs for program improvement, staff development, program expansion, reduction or elimination.

Program renewal will take into account an evaluation by professional staff or by an approved consultant. Also, appropriate research studies will be periodically reviewed to determine recent trends and developments in evaluation techniques.

Advisory committees, consisting of professional educators and community members, may be used to assist in program development and evaluation activities, as recommended by the superintendent and approved by the Board.

Curriculum coordinators may be appointed by the superintendent to provide leadership in curriculum development. Normally, these appointments will coincide with the cycle of textbook adoption.

Within budget limitations, the district will provide funds for program revision and improvement.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 329.095](#)

[ORS 329.155](#)

[OAR 581-022-0606](#)

[OAR 581-022-1020](#)

[OAR 581-022-1130](#)

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