

Vale School District 84

Code: **BH/BHA**
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Orientation of New Board Members

The newly elected Board member will be invited to attend Board meetings to observe the operation of the Board until he/she assumes office July 1.

Each new Board member shall receive a packet of material containing information of importance in relation to the proper discharge of his/her duties. The newly elected or appointed Board member will be given a copy of Board policies, Board priorities, long-range plans and district-adopted budget.

The members of the Board will serve as mentors to newly elected or appointed Board members. The newly elected or appointed Board member will be invited to meet with the superintendent and other administrative personnel, by arrangement with the superintendent, to discuss services they perform for the district. The superintendent will meet with each new Board member, at the member's request, to explain any policies and procedures pertaining to the operation and function of the district.

The newly elected or appointed Board member will be encouraged to attend the Summer Board Conference and the Leadership Academy sponsored by the Oregon School Boards Association and; the newly elected Board member will receive all reports and communications normally sent to Board members.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)