

CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

While the Board retains its full rights and responsibilities under Ohio laws with regard to the determination of the curriculum, it authorizes the administration to organize committees, which may be comprised of students, parents, teachers, and administrators, to periodically review the curriculum. The Superintendent shall advise the Board on curriculum changes based upon the recommendations of curriculum committees.

The following guidelines have been established by the Board for use by curriculum committees:

1. The curriculum shall reflect the philosophy, educational goals and priorities of the Board.
2. The curriculum shall contain all courses required by the State Department of Education.
3. The curriculum shall provide course offerings that will strengthen student character, firmness of student conviction, and integrity of purpose.
4. The administration and the professional staff shall review curriculum requirements of the State Department of Education and shall express their recommendations for change, through the Superintendent to the Board, which shall communicate them to state officials.

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