

Policy

CONCEPTS AND ROLES IN STUDENT PERSONNEL;
PERSONAL GOALS AND OBJECTIVES FOR STUDENTS

The Board of Education

The Board of Education:

- A. Establishes policies to provide the best atmosphere for educating district students;
- B. Authorizes the establishment of special classes or other facilities for students who are in need of special education;
- C. Provides for physical and mental well-being of students;
- D. Determines policies regarding student behavior and attendance within the limits of the law.
- E. Has sole authority in student expulsion cases.

Superintendent:

The Superintendent shall:

- A. Administer all schools and classes;
- B. Direct the instruction, guidance and discipline of all students;
- C. Provide leadership and guidance to establish the pattern of education to be offered to students;
- D. Exercise general charge of the enforcement of the compulsory attendance law;
- E. Exercise immediate authority for the closing of school in cases of emergencies involving the health and safety of students;
- F. Maintain ultimate responsibility for all activities involving student health and safety;
- G. Implement the Board of Education's policies.

The purpose of the Passaic Public Schools is to provide educational opportunities for all students regardless of socioeconomic background, race, creed (religion), color, national origin, ancestry, age, sex, affectional or sexual orientation, or disabilities; to make the most of their abilities; to realize their potentials and their identities as human beings.

Therefore, in order that students in the Passaic Public Schools receive a well-rounded education, the schools will provide educational opportunities and experiences for all students to:

- A. Learn in accordance with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards;
- B. Know about the world and its people, past and present, to help make a better future;
- C. Be a good citizen;
- D. Be prepared to earn a living;
- E. Understand and get along with people who look, speak or dress differently than themselves;
- F. Be responsible members of their families;
- G. Practice good habits;

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- H. Enjoy art, music, dance and the beauty of words;
- I. Know right from wrong and to respect other people;
- J. Feel good about themselves and to do their best;
- K. Want to learn now and in the future.

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