

# IGA © CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

## **Curriculum**

~~The curricula of the schools shall be in harmony with the Governing Board's adopted goals as recommended by the citizens of the District.~~

~~Curriculum development by the certificated staff shall be guided by such factors as:~~

- ~~A—Actual studies and information concerning the needs of students in the District.~~
- ~~B.—The range of abilities, aptitudes, interests, and aspirations of the students.~~
- ~~C—The kinds of programs the residents of the School District want for the students.~~
- ~~D—The mobility of the student population, making it necessary to provide education useful anywhere in the world.~~

~~The Governing Board desires that unnecessary duplication of work among the various school levels be eliminated, and that courses of study and syllabi be coordinated effectively.~~

~~The Governing Board favors providing opportunities for faculty members to help in curriculum development through such devices as workshops, institutes, study groups, committee assistance from outside consultants, and all other means for the teachers to improve the curriculum.~~

~~The Governing Board reserves the responsibility for establishing curricula for the School District. Teachers shall teach within the approved curricula.~~

## **Curriculum Design**

~~The School District shall provide for a learning program based on definite objectives covering skills, knowledge, and values, and subject to measurement as a means for assessing the validity of adopted goals and the performance of the organization in meeting the goals of the Governing Board.~~

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need and value of a systematic, ongoing program of curriculum development and evaluation involving students, parents, teachers, and administrators are recognized. It is

essential that the school system continually develop and modify its curriculum to meet changing needs. The Board authorizes the Superintendent to develop the curriculum for the school system and to organize committees to review the curriculum. Meetings of authorized textbook selection committees shall comply with open meeting law requirements (A.R.S. [15-721\(F\)](#) or [15-722\(B\)](#)). All curriculum changes shall be approved by the Governing Board.

It shall be the responsibility of the Superintendent to develop proposals relating to curriculum modifications and additions that, in the opinion of the professional staff and consultants, are essential to the maintenance of a high-quality program of education from prekindergarten (PK) through grade twelve (12).

All certificated personnel have professional obligations to the school program beyond regular classroom duties, and these obligations will include work on curriculum committees.

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