

BOARD POLICY

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PERSONNEL

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SELECTION & RECRUITMENT OF PROFESSIONAL PERSONNEL

The Board of Education desires candidates who have outstanding ~~personal and professional~~ **personal/professional** qualities, ~~who and will promote the very highest teaching success in our community~~ **perform at the very highest level for our students.**

Teachers and other ~~specialists~~ **professional staff** must be qualified for full state approval in the area of their specialty. Only teachers who have a valid teaching certificate **or authorization** will be considered for positions in the Livonia Public Schools School District.

All teaching candidates **and other professional staff** recommended to the Board of Education for positions with the school district ~~must be~~ **will have been** personally interviewed. ~~Promising candidates may be given the benefit of interviews by more than one staff member.~~ The superintendent or designee is, ~~however,~~ authorized to make a commitment for the school district subject to the approval of the Board of Education after a complete review of the qualifications and other pertinent data.

~~Whenever possible, teaching candidates are encouraged to visit the school district prior to final selection by our staff. whenever possible.~~

LEGAL REF.: MCL 380.1233b, MCL 380.1237