Policies of the Board of Education

Series 300: Instruction

BASIC RESPONSIBILITIES REGARDING BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL DAY CARE PROGRAMS

342.8-Rule

A. <u>Responsibilities of the Board of Education</u>

- 1. Formally resolve to use school facilities as specified in policy for day care.
- 2. Arrange to lease school facilities in keeping with the Board's use of school facilities policy.
- 3. Establish procedures and criteria for Board approval of all programs to be provided by the provider.
- 4. Select suitable program sites.
- 5. Compose, in cooperation with the program providers, a joint agreement regarding the day to day operation of day care program(s). This agreement would include references to:
 - a. Working relationship between a Board-designated person and the program coordinators;
 - b. Board's provision of all necessary utilities (including phone access), maintenance and custodial coverage;
 - c. Schedule of payment to the District for use of facility.
 - d. Any duties of school personnel such as principals or secretaries that may result from such a program;
 - e. The rooms or spaces that may be used by the program (including storage) and the extent to which exclusive or shared use would be possible;
 - f. Those items of school equipment that may be used; and
 - g. Setting the program calendar and meshing it with the school's schedule of student and non-student days.
- 6. Provide a representative to any advisory committee(s) formed by the program providers.

- B. <u>Responsibilities of the Program-Providing Agency</u>
 - 1. Establish and carry out all staffing procedures including:
 - a. Overall coordination of staff;
 - b. Screening and securing staff; and
 - c. Setting pay and fringe benefits.
 - 2. Monitor all financial matters including:
 - a. Establishing student fees including variable rates and scholarships;
 - b. Developing the annual budget;
 - c. Determining options for supplementary funding; and
 - d. Purchasing materials and supplies.
 - 3. Comply with all state regulatory requirements of the dealing with:
 - a. Student-staff ratio;
 - b. Group size;
 - c. Space/student allocations;
 - d. Equipment;
 - e. Staff qualifications;
 - f. Records maintenance;
 - g. Insurance; and
 - h. Health requirements (such as immunizations).
 - 4. Establish procedures for collection of student fees and follow-up on unpaid charges.
 - 5. Establish procedures on day to day administration and operation of the program including:
 - a. Promotion and publicity (including phone listing);
 - b. Hours and days of operation;
 - c. Transportation policies and pick up expectations for parents/guardians;
 - d. Age requirements;
 - e. Attendance policies;
 - f. Student conduct;
 - g. Off-site activities such as field trips;
 - h. Offering food options; and
 - I. Making parent/guardians contacts.
 - 6. Develop a program philosophy and curriculum build around academic assistance and recreation.
 - 7. Arrange to keep the Board regularly apprised of the program's development, changes, and usage.

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