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2623 - STUDENT ASSESSMENT AND ACADEMIC INTERVENTION SERVICES

The Boardman Schools provide, in a mailing home to parents, information on the level of achievement of their student in each of the State's academic assessments (AIR). Parents may request, and the district provide the parents on request (and in a timely manner), information regarding any State or district policy regarding student participation in any assessments mandated by section 1111(b)(2) and by the State or district, including a policy, procedure, or parental right to opt the child out of the assessment, where applicable. Parents may request information on each assessment required by the State and/or district.

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The Board of Education shall assess student achievement and needs in all program areas in compliance with State law and the rules adopted by the State Board of Education. The purpose of such assessments will be to determine the progress of students and to assist them in attaining student performance objectives and the educational achievement goals of this District.

The Board shall administer the State-mandated tests (e.g., diagnostic assessments and achievement tests) to students at the times designated by the State Board of Education. The Board may, for medical reasons or other good cause, excuse a student from taking a State-mandated test on the date scheduled, but any such test shall be administered to such excused student not later than nine (9) days following the scheduled date. The Board shall annually report, not later than June 30th, the number of students who have not taken one (1) or more of the State-mandated tests to the State Board of Education.

The District shall require that all appropriate staff have knowledge of the prescribed standards of ethical assessment practice and shall monitor the assessment practices for compliance with these standards. These duties shall include:

- A. communicating standards of ethical assessment practice;
- B. communicating security procedures for assessment;
- C. establishing procedures for reviewing assessment materials and procedures and assessment preparation materials and procedures;
- D. establishing channels of communication that allow teachers, other educators, students, parents, and other members of the community to voice concerns about assessment practices;
- E. establishing written procedures for investigating complaints, allegations, and/or concerns about assessment practices, protecting the rights of an individual, the integrity of an assessment, and the results of an assessment.