

**Board of Trustees  
Douglas County School District**

**COMMUNITY**

**RELATIONS WITH EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS**

It is the policy of the Board that strong lines of communications be maintained by the District with institutions of higher education that provide programs, training, or services to children residing in this District.

In order to maintain cordial and constructive relationships with such educational institutions, the Superintendent shall: welcome representatives of higher education institutions who wish to speak to graduating students; share educational records as appropriate and in accordance with Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA); cooperate with state institutions in the placement and evaluation of student teachers and practicum students; and encourage local colleges to offer, for credit, college level courses to qualified undergraduates, staff, and adult members of the District through extension services.

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