INSTRUCTION

Testing and Assessment Programs

The district will establish a variety of educational measurements and assessment processes to:

A. determine the effectiveness of the instructional program;

B. assess the progress of individual students;

C. diagnose the needs of individual students who are in need of specialized programs;

D. satisfy state testing requirements.

The district shall provide for the administration of tests at appropriate grade levels. No tests or measurement devices containing any questions about a student's or family's personal beliefs or practices as to sex or religion shall be administered unless the parent or guardian gives written permission for the student to take such tests, questionnaires or examinations.

Parents who wish to examine any test materials may do so by contacting the principal of the school in which the student is enrolled. Parental approval is necessary before administering an individual intelligence test or administering a diagnostic personality test or assessment.

Legal Reference:	WAC	392-500-015	Pupil tests and records - Authority.
	WAC	392-500-030	Pupil tests and records - Certain tests, questionnaires, etc. – Limitations.
	WAC	392-500-035	Pupil tests and records - Diagnostic personality tests - Parental permission required.

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