

SMALL SCHOOL POLICY

Lyon County School District does not believe it is practical to fund or staff schools with relatively small enrollments at the same per pupil ratios as those schools with larger enrollments. Using the pupil driven formulas used to staff and fund larger schools, small schools are not able to hire or fund the necessary support staff (i.e., counselors, nurses, and administrators) or the teachers required for inherently smaller class sizes. It therefore becomes necessary to take the school's size into consideration when allocating both staff and funding. Consequently, it is the policy of Lyon County School District to comparably staff and fund schools with similar enrollments and grade levels.

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