KAEB: Community Resources

The Board believes that one of the goals of the District shall be to equip each student to serve as a citizen of the community, and recognizes that one of the greatest resources of the school is to be found in the people of the community who have special knowledge and particular talents to contribute to the school program. The Board, therefore, encourages the use of community resources and citizens to assist in furthering the educational program.

Each principal should study the needs of his or her individual school, survey the resources available in the school community, weigh their probable usefulness, and then present to the Superintendent for approval any plans that the principal may develop for using those community resources.

The Superintendent should consider all such plans, both on their merit and their implications as if they were to be carried out throughout the District.

An evaluation should be formally filed in the principal's office following each program. A letter of appreciation should always be sent to any member of the community who contributes to the program of the schools.

Building principals may be asked from time to time to provide the Superintendent with a summary of the extent and effort of the use of volunteers in this program.

Regular classroom teachers are not relieved of their responsibilities when using community volunteers to enrich the instructional program, but are to remain in the classroom to supervise and observe.

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