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I. Purpose

The Joint Committee believes that students should participate in the governance of school activities at levels appropriate to their ages and competencies because:
students should have a part in the determination of activities which so deeply affect their lives.
A. as an institution fundamental to the operation of a democratic society, the school should strive to exemplify the democratic idea lof citizen participation in decision making.
B. as part of their educational development, students should assume some of the responsibility of planning and executing the activities of the school.
C. students are a valuable resource whose contributions can materially aid and benefit the school.

II. Authority

The Joint Committee directs that students be invited to participate in decision making in the area of curriculum planning through the Occupational Advisory Committee;
Suggestions for the improvement of the school may be offered by any student, provided they are of a constructive nature and contribute toward the realization of the educational goals of the school.

III. Delegation of Responsibility

The Director shall develop procedures to implement this policy which:
A. provide for the submission, consideration and response to constructive student suggestions; and
B. ensure that student participation is fairly representational of the whole student body.

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