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## ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT

The philosophies of the Board concerning academic achievement and students' social growth and development are based on the premise that students have diverse capabilities and individual patterns of growth and learning.

The Board believes that it is important that teachers have extensive and accurate knowledge of each student in order to assess his/her needs and his/her growth and to be competent to make appropriate instructional plans for the student. Sharing of information among parent(s), teacher and student is essential.

The Board supports staff efforts to find better ways to measure and report student progress and requires the following elements.

- 1. Parents are informed regularly about the progress their children are making in school.
- 2. Parents are alerted and conferred with as soon as practicable when a child's performance or attitude becomes unsatisfactory or shows marked or sudden deterioration.
- 3. Distinctions are made between a student's attitude and his/her academic performance when possible.

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LEGAL REF.: OAC 3301-35-02

CROSS REFS.: AFI, Evaluation of Educational Resources

IKA, Grading Systems

IKAB, Student Progress Reports to Parents