

GREEN BAY AREA PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
Board Policy Manual

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ADMINISTRATOR ETHICS

Every member of a profession carries a responsibility to act in a manner becoming a professional person. This implies that each school administrator has an obligation to abide by the ethical standards of the administrator's profession. The conduct of any administrator influences the attitude of the public toward the profession and education in general as well as toward the District in particular.

The professional school administrator:

1. Makes the well-being of students the fundamental value of all decision-making and actions.
2. Fulfills professional responsibilities with honesty and integrity.
3. Supports the principle of due process and protects the civil and human rights of all individuals.
4. Obeys local, state and federal laws and does not knowingly join or support organizations that advocate, directly or indirectly, the overthrow of the government.
5. Implements the School Board's policies and administrative rules and regulations.
6. Pursues appropriate measures to correct those policies, practices and regulations that are not consistent with sound educational goals.
7. Is prohibited from using the administrative position for personal gain consistent with cited legal references.
8. Accepts academic degrees or professional certification only from duly accredited institutions.
9. Maintains the standards and seeks to improve the effectiveness of the profession through research and continuing professional development.
10. Honors all contracts until fulfillment, release or dissolution.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 19.59 Wisconsin Statutes
118.24
946.10
946.12
946.13

CROSS REF.: 522.4, Staff Conflicts of Interest
522.41, Conflicts of Interest (Anti-Nepotism)
820, Public Information Program

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