

R2312 – Class Size

The Board of Education directs that the number of pupils assigned to any one class be governed by considerations of instructional quality and economy of operation.

A desired range for the minimum and maximum number of pupils that shall be assigned to regular classes shall be established by the Superintendent.

The Superintendent shall prepare guidelines for class size. Maximum limits shall take into account the subject matter, type of instruction, ability of pupils, availability of aides, and use of special facilities and equipment and may be waived to accommodate the demands of a temporary increase in enrollment.

Class sizes in elementary grades shall generally not exceed 25 pupils. Kindergarten and first grade classes shall generally not exceed 21 pupils; an aide may be provided to each kindergarten class that exceeds 22 pupils.

Class sizes in secondary grades shall generally not exceed 25 pupils with the exception of special lecture halls, laboratories, and gymnasiums.

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