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\* These topics are not currently covered by Board policies.

## EDUCATION AGENCY RELATIONS GOALS

The Governing Board cooperates with other districts and with other local, state and regional agencies and organizations in the solution of educational problems of common concern. This cooperation extends but is not limited to such areas as research, exchange of information and data, coordination of curriculum, coordination of school calendars and activities and construction of facilities which might be efficiently used on a cooperative basis. To serve a broader area, the ESC may consider other activities.

In carrying out this policy, the Superintendent may include in his/her recommendations to the Governing Board an evaluation of the desirability and feasibility of cooperation with other agencies in endeavors which could benefit the ESC.

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## RELATIONS WITH OTHER SCHOOLS AND EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS

The Governing Board cooperates with other districts and institutions of higher learning for such purposes as:

1. seeking solutions to educational problems of common concern;
2. offering supporting services of high quality to our students;
3. acquiring federal and state grants and
4. promoting member school system involvement in regional and state decision making.

This cooperation may extend to research, providing transportation for children to special schools and hospitals, coordination of curriculum, exchange of information and data, construction of facilities which may be effectively used on a cooperative basis, sharing of curricular offerings, cooperative purchasing and the coordination of school calendars and activities. This cooperation may also extend to charter schools.

Before joining in any cooperative effort and to serve the best interests of the students, the Superintendent investigates and suggests cooperative ventures and provides the Governing Board with supportive documentation prior to the time the Governing Board is asked to act.

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3313.6010; 3313.841  
3314.03; 3314.05; 3314.07  
3315.09; 3315.091  
3323.09

## SELECTING INTERNS

The Governing Board encourages cooperation with state-approved colleges and universities in the training of interns.

Colleges and universities should first make contact with the Superintendent regarding placement of an intern.

The Superintendent makes the final placement of interns.

Staff members who agree to serve as supervisors of the interns may accept honoraria or stipends directly from the college/university for those services rendered outside the regular school day and above and beyond the duties and responsibilities specified in their contracts.

The following conditions shall also be met:

1. The institution making the assignment shall provide ongoing supervision in a manner suitable to the Superintendent.
2. If at any time the quality of the internship is judged to be inferior or he/she is disruptive to the ongoing program, the Superintendent may request withdrawal of that person from the program.

The Superintendent may terminate this program if one or more aspects of the program are not of high quality or meeting ESC needs or expectations.

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LEGAL REFS.: Fair Credit Reporting Act; 15 USC 1681 et seq.  
ORC 109.57; 109.572  
2953.32  
3319.39  
Chapter 2944  
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CROSS REF.: GBQ, Criminal Records Check