

## **CLASS SIZE**

- I. The board of education believes there is a direct correlation between class size, student achievement and teacher effectiveness. Therefore, the board of education will make a reasonable effort to maintain class sizes, which promote efficient and effective learning. It shall be the goal of the board of education to maintain a student enrollment not to exceed 25 students in kindergarten through grade 3, 30 students in grades 4 through 5 and 30 students per core classroom (science, mathematics, social studies, language arts) in grades 6 through 8. Enrollments in specific attendance and subject areas may alter this policy, but reasonable effort shall be made to maintain this student-teacher ratio through forced transfers.

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