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BOARD MEMBER DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Oyster River School Board places a high priority on the importance of a planned and continuing program of in-service education for its members. The central purpose of the program is to enhance the quality and effectiveness of public-school governance in our community. The Board shall attempt to plan specific in-service activities designed to assist Board members in their efforts to improve their skills as members of a policy-making body; to expand their knowledge about trends, issues, and new ideas affecting the continued welfare of our local schools; and to deepen their insights into the nature of leadership in a modern democratic society.

The Board regards the following as examples of activities and services appropriate for implementing this policy:

1. Participation in School Board Association conferences, workshops, and conventions.
2. District-sponsored training sessions for Board members.
3. Subscriptions to publications addressed to the concerns of Board members.

School board members are encouraged to attend workshops presented by the state and national school boards associations.

Cross Reference:

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