

BIG HORN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NUMBER ONE  
Box 688  
Cowley, Wyoming 82420  
POLICIES AND REGULATIONS  
FILE: IG/IGD

**CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT/ ADOPTION**

Constant adaptation and development of the curriculum is necessary if the district is to meet the needs of the children in its schools. Therefore, the Board expects the administration and faculty to continually evaluate programs to see that they meet the needs of students and to undertake intensive curriculum evaluation and revision to design instructional programs and courses of study that will forward the educational goals of the district.

The Superintendent shall be responsible for providing the leadership necessary to develop a district wide curriculum, and for working directly with principals and teachers.

The Board will hear regular reports on district programs and on going curriculum study and revision. It shall consider recommendations of the staff for intensive curriculum study and may authorize the establishment of curriculum committees to work in particular areas. The Board shall also be receptive to the desires of parents and students in considering changes in the curriculum.

All new programs and courses of study shall be subject to Board approval after review by the Board, as shall elimination or extensive alteration of programs and courses.

All teachers have professional obligations to the school program beyond regular classroom duties, and these duties shall include work on curriculum committees. It is expected that all teachers will make a contribution to this work.

Current Practice Codified 1977  
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**LEGAL REFERENCES:**

Wyoming Education Policies Reference Manual, Code IF