## **Board Policy**

Code No. 606.1

## **CLASS SIZE**

It is within the sole discretion of the board to determine the size of classes and to determine whether class grouping will take place. The board may review the class sizes annually.

The size of each class shall depend upon the type of instruction needed to assist each student to develop his/her academic, occupational, and social capacities.

It is the responsibility of the Superintendent to make a recommendation to the Board on class size based upon the financial conditions of the school district, the qualifications of and number of licensed employees, and other factors deemed relevant to the Board.

Legal Reference: Iowa Code Sections 279.8, 280.3 (2009)

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