

POLICY IGA

Board of Education Las Cruces Public Schools

Related Entries: IGA-R
Responsible Office: Associate Superintendent for Instruction

Curriculum Development

I. PURPOSE

To provide a process to manage the district's curriculum by establishing the structure for curriculum design and delivery and a systematic process for decision-making.

II. BACKGROUND

Standards state what students are expected to know and be able to do and by what means they will be assessed.

III. POSITION

- A. The Board of Education recognizes the need and value of a systemic ongoing process of curriculum development and review. The Board encourages and supports the professional staff in its efforts to explore curricular innovations, develop and improve programs, evaluate results, and participate in staff development activities.
- B. Curriculum documents shall reference appropriate standards-based instructional materials, be published, and used by all instructional personnel in the delivery of the curriculum in all courses and classes.
- C. Instructional materials to support the curriculum shall be aligned to adopted state standards.
- D. The Superintendent shall promulgate a regulation for the implementation of this policy.

IV. REVIEW

This policy shall be reviewed on an ongoing basis in accordance with the Board of Education policy review process.

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Board of Education, President

10.16.12

Date Approved

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