CHAPTER 6.00 - SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION

6.12 - Staff Training

POLICY

- (1) Each employee shall avail himself of every possible opportunity to attend and participate in meetings of a professional nature and to keep abreast of developments in his/her field through attendance at such meetings and by reading professional publications and attending in-service activities and programs.
- (2) Participation in general in-service education programs shall be voluntary on the part of the employee. In-service for specific programs may be required as follows:
 - (a) When required by federal or state regulations, school improvement initiatives;
 - (b) Part of an individual plan to remedy deficiencies; or
 - (c) When a majority of the teachers affected by the program agree with its implementation, only those teachers affected are required to attend.
- (3) Credit for participation in in-service activities shall be granted in accordance with the County Master Plan for In-Service Education and State Board of Education Regulations.

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