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	324. PERSONNEL FILES	
1. <u>Purpose</u>	It is necessary for the orderly operation of the school district to maintain a file for the retention of all papers bearing upon an individual's duties and responsibilities as an employe of the district.	
2. <u>Authority</u>	The Board requires that sufficient records be maintained to ensure an employe's qualifications for the job held, compliance with federal and State statutes, local benefit programs, and conformance with district rules and evidence of completed evaluations.	
3. <u>Delegation</u> of Authority	The Board delegates the establishment and maintenance of official personnel records to the Superintendent.	
	A central file shall be maintained; supplemental records may be maintained for ease in data gathering only.	
	Only that information which pertains to the professional role of the administrative employe and is submitted by duly authorized school administrative personnel and the Board may be entered in the official record file. A copy of each such entry shall be made available to the employe except for matters pertaining to pending litigation or criminal investigation.	
	Personnel records shall not be available to the Board except as may be required in the performance of its functions as a Board.	
	Administrators shall have access to their own file, except that certain information in the file shall be available for review by the employe.	
	Personnel wishing to review their own records shall: request access in writing; review the record in the presenc of the administrator designated to maintain said records, or his/her designee; make no alterations or additions to th record, nor remove any material therefrom; and sign a log attached to the file indicating the date and person review-	e



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Personnel wishing to appeal material in their record shall make a request in writing to the administrator delegated to maintain the records and specify therein: name and date; material to be appealed; and reason for appeal.

The responsible administrator shall hear the appeal and make a determination for review by the Superintendent, and permit the addition of employe comments.

The principals under supervision of the Superintendent shall prepare guidelines defining the material to be incorporated into personnel records.

Upon initial emmployment, the file shall contain: a completed employment application form; a copy of teaching certificate, where applicable; transcripts; recommendation; physical examination record; retirement registration; hospitalization forms; annuity forms; and insurance beneficiary forms.

During the period of employment, the following data shall be maintained in personnel files: rate of compensation; completed copy of employment contract, where applicable; attendance record; completed evaluations; disciplinary incidents; special awards or distinctions; and annual or special health examinations, in addition to the data required upon initial employment.