

School Board

Powers and Duties of the School Board

Special Charter, approved February 16, 1865

1. Provide common schooling for all persons residing within the District between the ages of five years and twenty-one years, for not less than eight months of each year.
2. Control all school houses, school lots and school property within the District.
3. Purchase lots for the erection of school houses.
4. Build or lease buildings for schools.
5. Keep schools in repair.
6. Furnish schools with necessary fixtures, furniture, books, apparatus, and libraries.
7. Sell real estate that has become unnecessary, unsuitable, or inconvenient.
8. Appoint all teachers, fix teachers' salaries or compensation, and may dismiss teachers at any time.
9. Direct what branches of learning shall be taught and what books shall be used.
10. Establish schools or departments of different grades.
11. Direct the examination of students for passing students from grade to grade.
12. Graduate students.
13. Make all necessary rules and regulations for the admission of students.
14. Make all necessary rules and regulations for the government of the schools and district.
15. Suspend or expel students.
16. Appoint agents and servants for any matter

Adopted: November 14, 1994

