

Student Advisory Committees

Each high school (those schools offering grades 9 through 12) in the Cleveland Municipal School District is required to establish a Student Advisory Committee.

In each high school the principal and the Cleveland Teachers Union (CTU) chapter chairperson and/or other CTU representatives who are employed in the school shall determine the composition of the school's Student Advisory Committee and the process for selecting the members of the Student Advisory Committee. This process shall allow for all students enrolled in the school to be informed about, and involved in, the selection of members of the Student Advisory Committee.

Each high school's Student Advisory Committee shall make regular recommendations, but at least semi-annually, regarding the following:

- 1) Strategies to improve teaching and learning at the school;
- 2) How to use technology in the classroom to engage students in the learning process;
- 3) Strategies to encourage high-achieving students to work with underperforming students to improve the school's academic culture and graduation rate;
- 4) Ways in which students may improve the behavior of other students and reduce incidents of bullying and other disruptive conduct;
- 5) Procedures for monitoring the progress of the changes implemented; and
- 6) Any other issues requested by school personnel or the Board of Education.

Each school's Student Advisory Committee shall provide copies of its recommendations to the Chief Executive Officer, the school principal and the school's CTU chapter chairperson. These recommendations shall be posted on the School District's website.

The Chief Executive Officer shall inform the governing boards of any community schools sponsored by the Board of Education or that have entered into an agreement with the Board of Education endorsing each other's programs, and offer grades 9 through 12, that such community schools are required to establish Student Advisory Committees.

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Legal References:

O.R.C. Section 3311.742