

## **Instruction**

### **Concept and Roles In Instruction**

#### **Instruction - General**

The Board of Education believes the instructional program of the public schools to be its highest priority, and it is therefore important for the Board and the professional staff to work cooperatively in determining educational goals and objectives which meet the needs of students.

Within limitations of budgets made available to it by the Town, the Board of Education will provide personnel, equipment, instructional supplies and materials, and other support required to meet professional staff needs and community goals. The Board, understanding that education requires continuous improvement, also supports on-going professional development for certified and non-certified staff.

The Superintendent of Schools shall present regular evidence of student progress and of program modifications based on evaluations which are consistent with the district's mission and goals. Evidence of student achievement is important in evaluating the educational system, for guiding improvement efforts, and in developing public support for the schools.

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