POLICY

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2428 CULTURAL ARTS PROGRAMS

It is the desire of the Board that all cultural arts programs offered, whether they be programs involving dance, theater, music, literary, or art, enhance and enrich the curriculum and provide the opportunity of developing an awareness and appreciation of the arts and mankind. All cultural arts programs offered must be reviewed by the Superintendent and approved by the Board on his recommendation.

The Superintendent shall devise a procedure for the selection of any such program and arrange for same to be previewed to ensure than any program is one which will provide the opportunity for developing and broadening the pupil's cultural awareness, before recommending same to the Board. It is the intent of the Board to provide programs in each school year. The Superintendent's recommendation to the Board must contain a statement of purpose, the length of the program, when it will be seen, its format, and which grade levels will view the program.

In planning any cultural arts program, the staff members are encouraged to utilize community and area resources to the fullest extent.

The Board shall include funds within its budget for cultural arts programs. Recognizing the Board's primary responsibility to ensure that instructional time is never jeopardized, the Superintendent shall determine the appropriate amount of time any such program shall occupy in the school day.

Adopted: August 17, 1994

