

## GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

It is the goal of this district to provide schools that meet the criteria for accreditation with commendation as established by the Department of Public Instruction and that show adequate yearly progress as defined in federal law.

To this end the Board will:

1. Submit all required reports to the Department of Public Instruction in a timely manner.
2. Employ qualified administrators as required in the standards for accreditation.
3. Employ only teachers who are licensed by the Education Standards and Practices Board and who meet the definition of highly qualified teacher according to federal law.
4. Require each teacher to participate in 64 clock hours of inservice training every five years. College credit earned above the minimum required by #3 may be substituted for inservice at the ratio of 1 semester hour for 16 clock hours.
5. Provide a curriculum that:
  - a. Meets the minimum legal requirements.
  - b. Is based on the philosophy and goals of the district.
  - c. Is designed to meet the varying needs of students.
  - d. Reflects the established priorities of the community.
6. Establish a school improvement process that conforms to state and federal requirements.

Cross Ref: Policy DBBA                      Licensure  
                 Policy DBG                      Professional Development  
                 Policy DBGD                      Inservice

Legal Ref: PL 107-110 Title III      No Child Left Behind Act of 2001  
                 NDCC 15.1-02-11              Superintendent of public instruction -  
                                                      Accreditation of School - Rules

REFERENCE  
12/01

POLICY ADOPTED:  
POLICY AMENDED: