

Policy

Board of Education Randolph

NO. 510.8 STUDENTS

PARENT CONFERENCES

The Board of Education recognizes that when parents or guardians interact and support their child, the child is more likely to be successful in school. In order to foster interaction between the parent, child, and school, the Board endorses parent conferences, either by phone or in-person, as an integral component of parent communication. Parent conferences are scheduled at least once a year for grades K-8.

At all grade levels, conferences may be scheduled at any time during the school year either at the request of the parent or the teacher. Parents are urged to seek a conference with the teacher whenever there is concern about the child's progress in school. Teachers will contact parents should a child experience major difficulties in the school setting. Appointments for conferences should be made in advance.

Conferences are not in lieu of report cards or progress reports, but serve as an important means of communication between home and school.

The school will attempt to provide a translator if a parent/guardian's primary language is other than English.

The Board directs the superintendent to develop procedures whereby parents/guardians of pupils will be notified regularly of their child's progress toward achievement of individual and district goals and objectives.

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