EAST STROUDSBURG AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: ASSESSMENT OF

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

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127. ASSESSMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

1. Purpose Title 22 Sec. 4.52 The Board recognizes its responsibility to develop and implement an assessment plan that will determine the degree to which students are achieving academic standards and will provide information for improving the educational program.

2. Authority
Title 22
Sec. 4.13, 4.51,
4.52

The Board shall approve an assessment plan for use in schools of the school district that is aligned with the adopted academic standards and state assessments. The assessment plan shall be described in the school district's Strategic PlanComprehensive Plan.

Title 22 Sec. 4.52 The Board reserves the right to review school district assessment measures and to approve those that serve a legitimate purpose without infringing upon the personal rights of the students or parents.

Title 22 Sec. 4.4 The Board shall grant requests by parents or guardians to review the state assessments prior to their administration, during regular school district office hours. The school district shall ensure the security of the assessment documents.

Title 22 Sec. 4.4

The Board shall grant parents or guardians the right to have their student excused from state assessments that conflict with their religious beliefs, upon receipt of a written request to the Superintendent.

3. Delegation of Responsibility

The Superintendent shall recommend methods of assessment and evaluation based on his/her professional judgment, generally accepted professional practice, and staff input.

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The Superintendent shall annually disseminate to parents and the public information regarding student assessment results, as required by federal and state law and regulations.

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Title 22 Sec. 4.52	The Superintendent shall be responsible to release summary information to the public and Department of Education regarding student achievement, but shall not include any individually identifiable information. The Superintendent shall recommend improvements in the curriculum and instructional practices based upon assessment results.
4. Guidelines Title 22 Sec. 7.11	Parents shall receive information regarding their child's state assessment scores and may obtain an explanation of assessment results from qualified school personnel.
Title 22 Sec. 4.52	The school district shall provide assistance to students not attaining academic standards at the proficient level.
Pa Code Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 4.13, 4.51, 4.52, 7.11	