

POSITIONS AND POLICIES ON EDUCATION

Board Representatives

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Students as Board Members

The NJSBA believes that “full-time” students should be legally prohibited from being elected or appointed to serve on the board of education of the district in which they are enrolled. *[Authority: DA 5/74-23; DA 11/98 – SR, DA 5/03-SR, DA 5/08-SR, DA 5/13-SR, DA 5/18-SR, DA 5/23-SR]*

Student Participation in Government

The NJSBA believes that local school districts should promote and provide students with the opportunity for appropriate participation in units of government such as the town council, the local board of education, the county board of freeholders and the state legislature. *[Authority: DA 6/82-7; DA 11/98 – SR, DA 5/03-SR, DA 5/08-SR, DA 5/13-SR, DA 5/18-SR, DA 5/23-SR]*

Cross References: 1410 Local units
1420 County and intermediate units
1430 State and national units

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