## **STUDENT GOVERNMENT**

The Board of Education recognizes the importance of offering pupils the opportunity to participate in representative self-government and to develop leadership skills. Pupils shall have the right to organize, conduct meetings, elect officers and representatives, and petition the Board of Education.

The Board recognizes the Student Council as the official voice of the student body for pupils in grades 9 through 12, provided the constitution and bylaws of that organization have been duly approved by the pupils it represents.

The Board shall appoint a qualified teaching staff member to serve as advisor to student government activities.

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