

Policies of the Board of Education

Section B School Board Governance and Operations

SCHOOL BOARD LEGAL STATUS

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Education is primarily a State function. Wisconsin Statutes provide for this function by delegating power to the school boards representing their respective districts through the State. However, the State retains general control of the entire public school system.

In all cases where the State laws do not provide or prohibit, the Board shall consider itself the agent of the State, establishing and appraising educational activities of the District, and shall be responsive to the desires of the majority of the citizens of the District.

The Board shall perform all duties prescribed by law and shall exercise any and all powers prescribed by Wisconsin Statutes.

Reference: Wis. Stat., 120.12 (School Board Duties)
Wis. Stat., 120.13 (School Board Powers)

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