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TESTING PROGRAMS

The School District shall establish and maintain a standardized basic testing program which can be used, communicated and interpreted by school and by district.

This testing program shall include competency based tests in reading and math and other tests as required by state law and/or regulations.

The testing program will reflect the academic growth of students according to their own mental capacities and to local and national norms; minimize the workload of school personnel in terms of test administration, scoring, interpretation and use; and assess the growth of students in the basic skills and subjects in the elementary and secondary grades. The program shall be designed so that interpretation and use of the test results by the teacher, counselor and administrator will influence the guidance and counseling of individual children, and the development and evaluation of high quality curriculum.

The School District shall not be discriminated in the methods, practices and materials used for testing, evaluating and counseling students on the basis of sex, race, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability.

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