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### Policies And Procedures

**Section Three: Staff** 

# 315R – JOB SHARING (REGULATIONS)

- 1. Each year the deadline for applications for job sharing will be March 1<sup>st</sup>.
- 2. The school district Human Resources Department will organize a job share information meeting before March 1<sup>st</sup>, for teachers to discuss the implications of job sharing and to outline the process for applying for a job share position.
- 3. A teacher prepared job share plan must be reviewed by the principal receiving the job sharing team. Once reviewed, the principal is to submit a recommendation to the Executive Director of Human Resources for approval.
- 4. Applications for teacher partners will be approved in the following priority order:
  - 4.1 Priority 1:

Two full-time teachers with continuing contracts applying to share one full-time position. Teachers on maternity leave for less than one year will be considered to be a full-time teacher.

4.2 Priority 2:

One full-time teacher and one full-time teacher returning from maternity leave of more than one year (both teachers on continuing contracts).

4.3 Priority 3:

One full-time teacher and one part-time teacher (both teachers with continuing contracts).

4.4 Priority 4:

Two part-time teachers (both with continuing contracts).

- 5. In relation to attendance at staff meetings and parent/teacher conferences, each member of a job share team will assume the responsibilities of a full-time staff member.
- 6. If one of the job sharers must leave their position, and if a suitable part-time replacement cannot be found, the remaining partner shall assume the duties of the position until a suitable replacement can be found. The remaining teacher will have ten full school days from the last day of their partner's departure until they are required to assume full-time duties.

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7. A combination of part-time jobs involving more than two teachers or having two teachers share in more than one FTE will not be considered.

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