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SUPPORT STAFF DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

The Board of Education shall support and provide in-service opportunities for all support staff, including persons employed in the areas of transportation, food service, maintenance, teaching assistants, secretaries and bookkeepers.

Support staff members are encouraged to pursue professional development through a variety of sources including, but not limited to, workshops, conventions, seminars, and course work.

Funds shall be budgeted and time shall be made available for the planning, implementation, and attendance at said inservice opportunities. All in-service requests must be approved by the administration.

CROSS REF.: DSPA Agreement

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