

Development of Effective Board/Superintendent Agreements

Don't Make Assumptions!

Review Board Policy

Review current agreements (if they exist)

Get to know your Board

- Have an initial face to face meeting with all board members before the first board meeting if possible.
- What is their background/experience with the District?
- What are they really proud about in the District?
- What are their hopes and dreams for the District?



Have a communication plan

- One for all Board members
- One for the Board chair
- Ask each of them which form of communication works best for them for updates.
- Plan a few face to face meetings with all members.
- Go the extra mile when you can.
- It is almost impossible to over communicate.



Look for personal connections



Honor traditions (or not)

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