

**Educational Research in District Schools**

All requests to conduct research within the school District must be directed to the Superintendent of Schools. The following criteria will be utilized to make a determination regarding approval of such requests:

1. The study results in direct benefits or provides direct services to the children within the school District;
2. The study provides in-service opportunities for the growth and development of faculty and/or staff;
3. There be no expenditures of District funds or use of staff/faculty time unless there are benefits as described in 1 and 2 above.
4. Students participating in studies, authorized by school administration, must have the approval of their parents.

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