Burlington School District POLICY G 19: STUDENT TEACHING AND INTERNSHIPS

Former Policy LEA

The Burlington School Board recognizes the responsibility of the School District and its professional staff for encouraging and cooperating with teacher training institutions in the placing and training of student teachers and interns. The Superintendent is directed to prepare administrative procedures governing the relationship between the District and training institutions in the placing and training of student teachers/interns which will:

- 1. Provide for the placement of student teachers/interns with outstanding teachers who will provide a positive learning experience and professional model.
- 2. Minimize the disruption in the learning environment for pupils and protect students from overexposure to student teachers/interns and teachers from excessive additional supervisory responsibility.
- 3. Ensure placement of student teachers/interns without regard to race, color, <u>disability</u>, sex, <u>sexual orientation</u>, creed, national origin, marital status, <u>gender identity or gender expression</u>.
- 4. Ensure that student teachers/interns adhere to the protection of confidentiality of student records.

All involved in this program must recognize that the first and primary responsibility of the District is to its students. If at any time student teacher/intern's performance is unacceptable, the District reserves the right to terminate the teaching experience.

Policy F 2R – Prohibition of Student Harassment Policy D 8 – Sexual Harassment Policy 1 V.S.A. §144

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