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School Board/Superintendent Expectations

The School Board Expects

- 1. That board members will redirect inquiries from Nineveh-Hensley-Jackson United School Corporation staff members and stakeholders to the superintendent, and the superintendent will keep the board informed of subsequent follow-up.
- 2. A regular communication from the superintendent on a weekly basis.
- 3. To be notified via email/text, and/or phone (if necessary) as soon as possible for:
 - a. School emergency (lockdown, fire, etc.)
 - b. Student emergency (arrest, significant injury, death, etc.)
 - c. Staff emergency (arrest, significant injury, death, etc.)
 - d. To receive board documents, via Heidi Baca, the Friday before the regularly scheduled board meeting.
- 4. That all board members will receive the same information:

a. One member's request for additional information results in all members receiving or having the same access to the information.

- b. Special communications are done for all board members.
- c. That board members will treat each other and staff with respect.
- 5. That the superintendent and staff will treat all board members with respect.
- 6. That reasonable requests for additional information will be satisfied in a timely manner.
- 7. No surprises!

The Superintendent Expects

- 1. That board members will inform the superintendent when they are visiting the schools and/or school personnel.
- 2. All inquiries are to be directed to the Superintendent where he/she will utilize the appropriate staff, if necessary, to acquire answers. Those answers are to be relayed back to the whole Board unless a designee is identified by the Superintendent to do so.
- 3. The direction is given when a majority of the board* votes to give direction, or when there is a clear consensus from the board directing the superintendent.
- 4. That board members will be respectful toward staff and be respectful of staff's time.
- 5. That board members will read all supporting documentation before the board meeting.
- 6. That board members will contact the Superintendent or Board President with questions about agenda items or supporting materials by noon, Monday, after they receive Board Documents, via Heidi Baca.
- 7. No surprises!

* Majority is defined as 3 or more board members