

DIOCESE OF DES MOINES
Catholic Schools Policies/Regulations

AUXILIARY SERVICES

Common Agreements

It shall be the policy of the Diocesan Catholic Schools Board that, when three or more schools share staff and/or enter into some common agreement about a specific program(s), there must be a written agreement signed by the administrators of those schools prior to entering into such an arrangement. The written agreement must include the purpose and scope of the specific program(s) and delineate the conditions and procedures of the agreement including the conditions by which a school may join or withdraw from said agreement. Copies of all common agreements must be kept on file in the respective school offices and in the Diocesan Schools Office.

This policy does not apply to the mandates from the Iowa Department of Education, accreditation requirements, or other policies of the Diocese of Des Moines Catholic Schools Board: for example, common Standards, Benchmarks and Grade Level Expectations; the reporting system; Comprehensive School Improvement Plan; Iowa Professional Development Model Plan; Teacher Evaluation System; and Administrator Continuous Improvement System.

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