

PROMOTION OF STUDENTS: BASIC PHILOSOPHY

Promotion from grade to grade is not an automatic process, but is determined by a consideration of many factors. Since children mature at different rates and since the learning of each child is dependent upon the mental, physical, social, and psychological factors peculiar to the child, each of these must be considered when determining promotion. In general, children should be promoted. However, there are those who can profit from repeating a grade. There are times when a particular child should have a second chance to gain more, to grow more, to strengthen her/himself academically or emotionally before facing the next level or grade. What is best for the child must be the controlling factor.

The Superintendent is the final authority on promotion of students.

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