

Student Representatives to the School Board

The RSU 40 Board finds it beneficial to have student representatives to the Board. Two students will be appointed for one-year renewable terms and a third student may be appointed as an alternate.

Qualifications include being a full time student in RSU 40's secondary (grades 9-12) program.

Each spring, students will be invited to apply for vacant positions for the following year. They may respond by letter, fax, or e-mail.

The Board Chair and Vice Chair, together with a current Student Representative, the Superintendent, and High School Principal, will interview applicants and select candidate(s) for recommendation to the Board. Appointment will be by approval of the full RSU 40 Board of Directors.

Student representatives will be given access to digitized policy manuals and any non-confidential meeting-package materials. They will have seats at the table of all Board meetings and will be encouraged to share their viewpoints in the same manner as elected Board members. They will have all the privileges of Board members except a vote and attendance at executive sessions.

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