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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT RESTRICTIONS

The Dover School District endorses all forms of Professional Development for its administrators, teachers, and staff.

Professional Development conducted by the district shall require the careful coordination of time and funds.

Teachers and others involved with pupils shall not be dismissed or removed from their normal classroom duties to engage in professional development or other forms of adult instruction or improvement created, endorsed, or encouraged by the administration.

It is incumbent upon the superintendent and his staff to maintain an assigned teacher to his or her classroom and will not remove a teacher for more than two school days per school year.

The superintendent shall effectively use all time allowed for in employment agreements to fulfill the district's Professional Development goals.

The superintendent shall budget for all additional professional development time required in anticipation of payment in fees and wages to those participants in these programs.