## POLICY

## WATCHUNG BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION

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## 9500 COOPERATION WITH EDUCATIONAL AGENCIES

The Board of Education recognizes the need for communication between this district and other districts and educational institutions that provide programs, training, and services not otherwise available to children residing in this district.

The Board acknowledges the responsibility for the education and conduct of the student in the school district in which he/she is enrolled.

The Board will attempt to meet periodically with the governing boards of other educational institutions that receive from this district a significant number of students or that send to this district a significant number of students.

In order to maintain a cordial and constructive relationship with the Watchung Hills Regional Board of Education, the Superintendent shall cooperate with the professional staff in articulation studies to assure that students of this district are properly prepared to enter the schools of the receiving district; inform students in their final year in this district of program options in the receiving district and counsel them regarding their program choices; provide an orientation program to students in their final year in this district to familiarize them with the facilities, procedures, and rules of the receiving district; develop procedures to follow the progress of our students during their careers in the receiving school; and keep the Board informed of any problems of an individual or group nature that may be a threat to the educational progress of our students.

In order to maintain cordial and constructive relationships with nonpublic schools, the Superintendent shall maintain liaison with the administration of all nonpublic schools located within this school district in order to be aware of any program changes that may be planned that could affect this district; determine how this district can advance the education of resident students attending parochial or private schools by the provision in these schools of special programs; and cooperate fully in the implementation of all State and Federal programs administered by this district that benefit, in whole or in part, eligible students attending such nonpublic school.

20 U.S.C.A. §3066 N.J.S.A. 18A:38-13.1 et seq.; 18A:40-23 et seq.; 18A:46-19.1 et seq.; 18A:46A-1 et seq.; 18A:58-37.1 et seq. N.J.A.C. 6A:23-6.1 et seq.; 6A:14-6.2 et seq.

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