

*Orienting New Board Members*

*Responsibility for Organizing*

The President of the Board of School Directors and Superintendent of Schools will plan jointly and execute an orientation program for new members of the Board of School Directors.

*Scheduling*

The orientation program shall be held as soon as possible but within two months of appointment or election of board members.

Since all new Board members are expected to participate in all sessions, sessions should be scheduled at times mutually convenient to all parties.

*Topics and Activities*

Topics and activities may include, but are not limited to, visits to schools and information sessions dealing with the following:

- budget,
- buildings and grounds,
- Board policy,
- curriculum and instruction,
- District goals
- District support services,
- legal compliance,
- personnel,
- public information, and
- the District Strategic Plan .