All assignments and transfers of employees to schools are the responsibility of the superintendent. In-school transfers are the responsibility of the principal. The board must be promptly notified of all employee transfers authorized by the superintendent.

The superintendent may assign school employees in any manner that he or she deems appropriate, consistent with legal requirements. In assigning professional employees to an alternative school, the superintendent shall consider the experience and evaluating ratings of the professional staff, as provided in policy 3470/4305, Alternative Learning Programs/Schools.

Voluntary and involuntary transfers of employees will be made in accordance with course requirements, fluctuating enrollments, allotment, efforts to improve student performance, and the general welfare of the school district. The interests and aspirations of employees will be considered in making assignments and transfer decisions; however, such interests must be weighed against what is in the best interest of the students, school or school district. Employees will be informed of transfer decisions as soon as reasonably feasible.

The superintendent shall establish any necessary procedures for employee-initiated transfer requests.

Legal References: G.S. 115C-47, -276, -301

Cross References: Alternative Learning Programs/Schools (policy 3470/4305)

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