BOARD MEMBER QUALIFICATIONS

To become a candidate for any school district office, a person must be a registered voter in the district. No person holding the office of member of the school board shall at the time hold the office of district moderator, treasurer, or auditor. No person employed on a salaried basis by a school administrative unit or by any school district within a school administrative unit shall be a school board member in any district of the school administrative unit. Salaried positions shall include, but are not limited to, the following: teacher, custodian, administrator, secretary, school bus driver (if paid by the district), school lunch worker and teacher's aide.

Candidates for the school board should be mindful that the position requires significant time, effort and commitment to the school and community. Individuals who do not feel they will be able to provide significant time, effort and commitment are discouraged from seeking candidacy.

The same qualifications shall exist when the school board seeks to fill vacancies.

Statutory Reference:

RSA 197:26, Vacancies RSA 671:14, School District Elections: Qualifications RSA 671:18-19, School District Elections: Nominations RSA 671:33, Vacancies

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