

## Students on Governing Boards

The Board of Directors recognizes the value of communicating with students and receiving their input and perspectives. To foster this relationship with students, it is the policy of the Edmonds School District to have a student representative(s) serve as an advisor(s) to the Board of Directors.

Student representatives on the board:

- A. Will be selected from students who apply for the position. The board encourages at least one nominee from each high school.
- B. May serve on a rotation basis for part of the school year or for the entire school year, at the discretion of the board.
- C. Are expected to attend all meetings and communicate with the board secretary if unable to attend. Four consecutive unexcused absences from meetings would constitute resignation as a student representative.
- D. Will not attend executive sessions but may attend board study sessions.
- E. Will contribute to board discussions by providing student insight and perspective and report to students about the work of the board and district activities.
- F. Will be bound by all rules and regulations pertaining to regular board members but will not make motions or hold board offices.

At the discretion of the Board of Directors, a scholarship not to exceed \$500 per student may be provided to the student representative's(s') post-secondary school of choice at the end of their term, in recognition of their service to the board and the district. At the end of their term, student representatives must submit a letter of interest for the scholarship to the board secretary for consideration.

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