

***Policy Type: Board/Superintendent Relationship***

**Accountability of the Superintendent**

The Superintendent is the Board's only link to the operational organization. All authority over and accountability of staff is considered to be the responsibility of the Superintendent.

Accordingly:

1. The Board will never give instructions to persons who report directly or indirectly to the Superintendent except with his/her complicity during a Board meeting or a Board committee meeting.
2. The Board will not formally evaluate any staff member other than the Superintendent

***Monitoring Method: Board self-assessment***  
***Monitoring Frequency: Annually in Third Quarter***

Fargo Public Schools Board of Education