AVON GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES

TITLE: STUDENT TEACHERS/ INTERNS

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	407. STUDENT TEACHERS/INTERNS
1. Authority	The Board encourages cooperation with colleges and universities within the state to assist in the training of student teachers and interns.
SC 510	The Board establishes that District schools shall accept student teachers and interns from accredited institutions with which the District has a cooperative agreement approved by the Board.
SC 111, 111.1 23 Pa. C.S.A. Sec. 6344	Student teachers and interns shall not be accepted into District schools unless they have had an employment history review conducted and have complied with providing the mandatory background clearances as required by the State of Pennsylvania for criminal history and child abuse, and the District has evaluated the results of those screening processes.
SC 111, 111.1	Student teachers and interns shall report, on the designated form, arrests and convictions as specified on the form. Candidates shall likewise report arrests and/or convictions that occur subsequent to initially submitting the form. Failure to accurately report such arrests and convictions may subject the individual to denial of acceptance, termination if already accepted, and/or criminal prosecution.
2. Delegation of Responsibility	The Superintendent or designee shall be responsible to assign student teachers and interns to the schools. Cooperating teachers shall at no time receive compensation for their service. Recommendations for selection of cooperating teachers shall be made by the 1. building principal, and 2. department head, with the agreement of the college or university supervisor.
SC 1418 Title 28 Sec. 23.43, 23.44,	Student teachers and interns shall comply with the health examination requirements of the state and Board policy applicable to District staff.

23.45 Pol. 314	While serving in district schools, the supervising teacher/administrator and building principal shall be responsible for the student teachers/interns' conduct.
Pol. 907	Student teachers, interns and faculty of other educational institutions shall be offered the opportunity to visit District schools and observe classes. Such observers must be treated as any other visitor and shall be under the direct supervision of the principal or designee.