

Instruction

Class Size

Reasonable efforts will be made to maintain academic subject class sizes as follows:

Elementary:	4K	-- Recommended	20
		Maximum	22
	K-3	-- Recommended	23
		Maximum	26
	4-5	-- Recommended	25
		Maximum	28

Montessori (ages 3 through 12) - Maximum 30

Middle School	Minimum	Recommended Target	Maximum
Sixth Grade	25	27	30
Art	25	30	35
English	25	27	33
Math	25	30	33
Social Studies	25	30	33
Science	25	27	33
Physical Education	25	30	35
Foreign Language	25	30	35
Health	25	30	35
Business Education	25	30	35
Technical Education	25	30	35
Family & Consumer Education	25	30	35
Speech / Drama	25	30	35
Music	25	35	None
Read 180 Literacy	18	18	21
Science Literacy	18	23	23
Social Studies Literacy	18	23	23
Basic English	23	23	23
Bilingual	20	25	30

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High School	Minimum	Recommended Target	Maximum
Art	25	30	35
English	25	30	33
Newspaper, Yearbook	18	30	35
Math	25	30	33
Social Studies	25	30	33
Science	25	28	30
Physical Education	27	32	35
Health	25	30	35
Entry Level Foreign Language	25	30	35
Upper Level Foreign Language	15	25	35
(Combined upper level maximum = 25)			
Technical Education	20	24	26
Family & Consumer Education	25	27	35
Business Education	25	30	35
Speech / Drama	25	30	35
Music	25	35	None
IB or AP	15	25	35
Read 180 Literacy	18	18	21
ESL Study Skills	20	25	30
Bilingual	25	25	30

- At the beginning of each semester, every reasonable effort will be made to structure class enrollments so that the proportion of students with IEPs in general education classes does not exceed thirty percent (30%) of the total enrollment for each class. Every reasonable effort will be made during the course of the school year to maintain this balance.
- The District will make every reasonable effort to equitably assign students to staff.

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