

# BRANDYWINE HEIGHTS AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES

TITLE: STUDENT TEACHERS

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407. STUDENT TEACHERS	
1. Purpose	The Board encourages cooperation with colleges and universities within the state in the training of student teachers.
2. Authority	The Board establishes that district schools shall accept student teachers from accredited institutions with which the district has a cooperative agreement approved by the Board.
3. Delegation of Responsibility	<p>The Superintendent or designee shall be responsible to assign student teachers to the schools.</p> <p>Cooperative teacher recommendations are made by the principals, student teacher placement is at the discretion of the college officials.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall ensure distribution of student teachers throughout the district so that no single group of students or teachers will be subject to excessive student teacher classroom hours.</p>
4. Guidelines Title 28 Sec. 23.43 SC 1418 Pol. 414	<p>Student teachers shall comply with the health examination requirements of the state and Board policy applicable to professional personnel.</p> <p>While serving in district schools, student teachers shall be responsible for their conduct to the supervising teacher and building principal.</p> <p>The student teacher works as an understudy to the cooperative teacher, not as a temporary replacement for the cooperative teacher.</p> <p><u>Observers</u></p> <p>Student teachers or 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.</p>
Pol. 907	

