

MURFREESBORO CITY SCHOOL BOARD POLICY

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1 The Board recognizes that in order to foster the role of education in a democratic society and to
2 ensure equal opportunity to students of different personality characteristics and viewpoints, it
3 must not permit the curriculum to remain static. The Board deems it essential that the school
4 system continually evaluate the effectiveness and modify its curriculum to meet the changing
5 needs and diversity of our community and to assure the full, rounded, and continuing
6 development of the individual. Curriculum shall be implemented under the leadership of the
7 Coordinator of Curriculum within the state curriculum framework in each subject area. The
8 Board authorizes the Director of Schools to organize committees to participate in curriculum
9 improvement, to revise and update curriculum regularly.

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11 Tennessee Curriculum is available on the State Department website, and teachers will be
12 provided inservice on accessing its content.

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14 An experimental program requires the approval of the Principal, Coordinator of Curriculum, the
15 Director of Schools, and, in some cases, the Board.

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17 The school principals shall be responsible for administering the instructional program and for an
18 organized plan of program improvement.

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Legal References:

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