Pilot Projects ICA

(See IDAE)

The board supports the use of pilot projects before any new instructional technique is imple-

mented on a district-wide basis.

Pilot project means any research or experimentation program or project designed to explore or

develop new, unproven teaching methods or techniques. All instructional materials, including teachers'

manuals, audio/visual materials or any other supplementary instructional material to be used in connec-

tion with a pilot project shall be available for inspection by parents or guardians of students engaged in

the program or project.

Pilot Project Evaluation

Before any pilot project proposal is submitted to the board for approval, an evaluation format

shall be developed and included with the pilot project.

Student Surveys

As required by the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment (PPRA), any

instrument designed to survey students, either by district staff or by an out-

side agency or individual, shall be made available for inspection by parents or

guardians before the survey is administered. Further, pursuant to the Kansas

Student Data Privacy Act (SDPA), no nonacademic test, questionnaire, survey,

or examination containing any questions about the personal and private atti-

tudes, values, beliefs, or practices of the student or the student's parents,

guardians, family members, associates, friends, or peers that is administered

during the school day shall be administered to any kindergarten through 12th

grade students unless the requirements outlined in policy IDAE are followed.