541.1 PARAPROFESSIONALS/TEACHER AIDES

The use of paraprofessionals and teacher aides can significantly reduce the routine work load that must otherwise be performed by teachers and thereby increase the professional productivity of the latter. Relieving teachers of non-teaching duties will enable the school district to use the professional competencies of the teaching staff more efficiently and effectively.

Therefore, paraprofessionals and teacher aides may be used by the district within the limits permitted by law and good teaching practice, and pursuant to direction by certified personnel.

The use of paraprofessionals and teacher aides may be expanded as funds become available for this purpose.

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