

VIGO COUNTY SCHOOL CORPORATION
TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA

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DETERMINATION OF BUDGET PRIORITIES

The Board of School Trustees of the Vigo County School Corporation realizes that it is impossible to meet an infinite array of educational needs and desires with finite resources. The Board of School Trustees believes that it has a primary responsibility to the citizenry of Vigo County to operate the schools within the confines of Indiana Law. Specifically, the expenditures of the school corporation cannot exceed the revenues available to it.

Therefore, the Superintendent of Schools is hereby directed to see that the annual budget is formulated within those parameters. The following criteria must be taken into consideration:

1. At all times all resources must be utilized to produce the most positive effect upon the student's opportunity to gain a basic/general education in this school corporation.
2. The budget must be in accord with the statutory and regulatory mandates as promulgated by the Indiana General Assembly, the Indiana State Department of Public Instruction, the Indiana State Board of Accounts, and the Indiana State Department of Local Government Finance. In addition, when regulations of agencies of the federal government are applicable, they shall be followed too.
3. The budget must be in harmony with the Board of School Trustees' contracts and/or agreements with its employee groups.
4. The budget must reflect the requirements and the regulations of the North Central Association of Colleges and Schools.

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