

# FAIRVIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: PROMOTION AND RETENTION

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215. PROMOTION AND RETENTION	
1. Purpose	The Board recognizes that the personal, social, physical and educational growth of children will vary and that they should be placed in the educational setting most appropriate to their needs at the various stages of their growth.
2. Authority SC 1531, 1611, 1613  SC 1532 Title 22 Sec. 5.211	<p>It shall be the policy of the Board that each child be moved forward in a continuous pattern of achievement and growth that is in harmony with his/her own development.</p> <p>Such pattern coincides with the system of grade levels established by this Board and the instructional objectives established for each.</p> <p>A student will be promoted when s/he has, in the opinion of his/her teachers, achieved the learning outcomes established for the present level; and has demonstrated the degree of social, emotional, and physical maturation necessary for a successful learning experience at the next learning level.</p>
3. Delegation of Responsibility	The Superintendent shall develop procedures for promotion and retention of students which assure that every effort will be made to remediate the student's difficulties before s/he is retained.
School Code 1531, 1532, 1611, 1613  PA Code Title 22 Sec. 5.222	