

The principal shall have sole responsibilities and authority in administering school operations and programs delegated by the Superintendent of Schools.

The teacher shall stand in the place of the parent or guardian in exercising authority over the school, and shall have control of all children enrolled in the school from the time they reach school until they have returned to their respective homes, except where transportation of pupils by Mingo County school bus is provided. The driver in charge of the conveyance shall exercise and have control over the children while they are in transit to and from school.

The Superintendent, with advice of the administrative staff of the Department of Elementary and Secondary Schools, shall recommend the assignment, transfer, promotion, demotion, retirement or discharge of principals to the Board of Education.

(West Virginia Code 18A-5-1; 18A-2-9)

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