

Because of its concern for the problems to society and to individual children caused by failure to complete high school, the Board hereby creates the “at Risk Task Force”.

Composition:

The At-Risk Task Force will be composed of at least five (5) faculty members K-12, plus any other faculty member who desire to take part. The initial composition of the task force will be those faculty members who participated in the “At-Risk” training sessions. An administrator will be included in the membership of the “At-Risk Task Force”.

Purpose:

The purpose of the At-Risk Task Force will be to assist those students in grades K-12 who are in danger of dropping out of school or of failing to complete school in a satisfactory manner. In order to accomplish its purpose, the Task Force has two functions:

1. It must identify students “at risk”.
2. It must utilize the resources of the Task Force, particularly the individual abilities of Task Force members, to help those students who are at-risk.

In order to accomplish the goal of “identification”, the Task Force will develop criteria for identifying “students at-risk” and share these criteria with the K-12 faculty as well as the classified staff. It will also develop a system, which all staff members can use to refer students to the Task Force.

Referrals will be considered by the Task Force and a “program of action” involving Task Force members and other faculty will be developed for each student determined to be “at risk”. The purpose of these individual programs will be to “treat” or “solve” the problems of each “at-risk” student.



**LEGAL REFERENCE:**

*Idaho Code Sections 33-*

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