

# Standards Monitoring Unit



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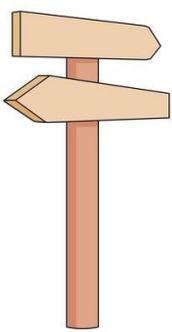
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# Finding the Standards for Accreditation



classroomclipart.com  
<http://classroomclipart.com>

**Go to Arkansas Department of Education web page**

**Go to Rules**

**Go to Current**

**Scroll down to Standards for Accreditation**



# Student/Teacher Ratios

## Elementary Ratios

Kindergarten 20:1 or 22:1 with a half time instructional aide

Grades 1-3 25:1

Grades 4-6 28:1

Grades K-6 Physical Education 30:1



# Student/Teacher Ratios

## High School Ratios

Grades 7-12 Maximum 150 students per day

*Extra compensation will permit additional students.*

Grades 7-12 30:1

Large Group Instruction Classes:

Physical Education, Band, Choir, ROTC, etc.



# Physical Education & Physical Activity

Kindergarten-4<sup>th</sup> grade

40 minutes P.E. each week (1440 minutes total)

90 minutes Physical Activity each week

Grades 5-6

40 minutes P.E. each week (1440 minutes total)

90 minutes Physical Activity each week



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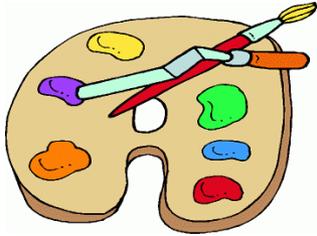


Grades 5-8 or Grades 6-8 or any combination Middle School  
40 minutes per week or equivalent time (1440 minutes) P.E.  
No Physical Activity Requirement

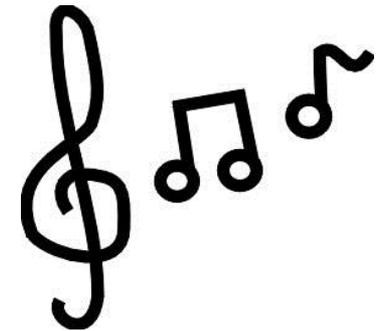
Grades 5-6 30:1

Grades 7-8 Large Group Instruction permitted





# Art and Music



**Kindergarten** Classroom teacher can teach with no minimum number minutes.

**Grades 1-6** 40 minutes per week or equivalent time (1440 minutes) with a certified Art or Music Teacher.

**Grades 7-8** Classes must be taught by a certified Art or Music Teacher.  
No minimum number of minutes.  
Choir and Band lends itself to large group instruction.  
Students may choose Art or Music.



# No Students Attached FTE's

Superintendent Full time required at 300 students

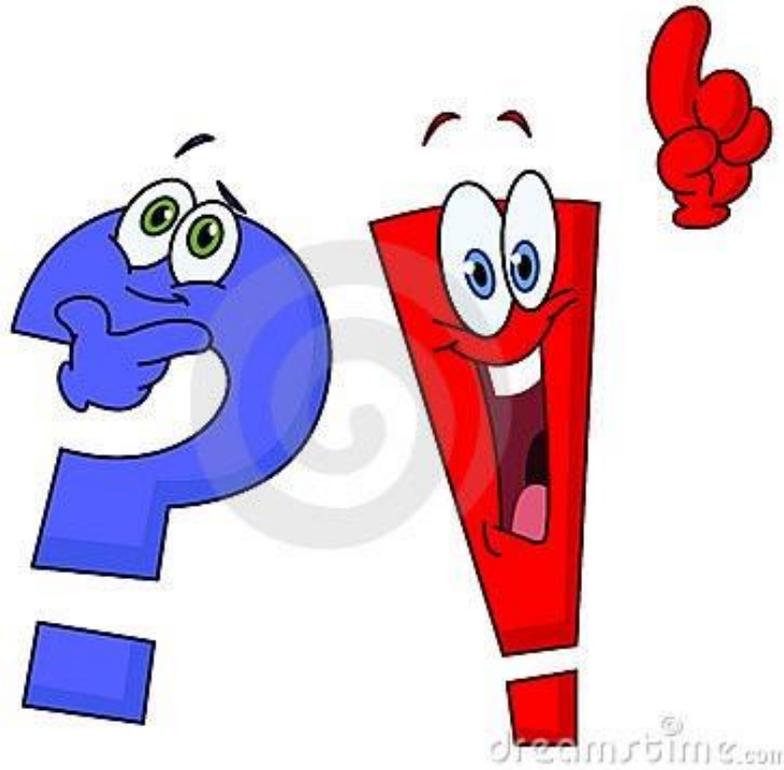
Principal Full time with 300 students. More than 500 requires a  $\frac{1}{2}$  time Assistant Principal or Instructional Supervisor or Curriculum Supervisor.

Counselor District average of 1:450

Library Media Specialist 300 students require full time Library Media Specialist. Less requires  $\frac{1}{2}$  time.



# Question and Answer



# **Thank You!**

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