

**DIOCESE OF DAVENPORT
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

SERIES 200: BOARD OF EDUCATION

POLICY 210.1

ELECTIONS (LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION)

All members of local boards of education in the Diocese shall be elected by the parish/parishes or appointed by the pastor during the spring preferably (April/May) and take office preferably in the month of June or July. Members of the local boards of education in the Diocese are elected or appointed by the pastor for a term of three years. Local board members may renew their membership in accordance with applicable bylaws or constitution.

Local boards of education should arrange that one-third (or a close approximation) of the members be elected each year. The Diocesan Superintendent of Schools must be consulted if elections/pastoral appointments take place at another period of time during the year. In lieu of an election, members may be selected through a selection process in accordance with applicable bylaws or constitution.

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