

## **SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER QUALIFICATIONS**

In order to be eligible to hold any school district office, a person must be a registered voter in the district. No person holding office as a member of a school board shall, at the same time, act as district treasurer, district moderator, or auditor. No member of the school board may hold any other paid position within the SAU.

Candidates for the school board should be mindful that the position requires significant time, effort and commitment to the school and community. Individuals who do not feel they will be able to provide significant time, effort and commitment are discouraged from seeking candidacy.

The same qualifications shall exist when the school board seeks to fill vacancies.

### **Legal References:**

RSA 197:26, *School Meeting and Officers; Vacancies*  
RSA 671:14, *School District Elections; Qualifications*  
RSA 671:18-19, *School District Elections; Nominations*  
RSA 671:33, *School District Elections; Vacancies*

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