

ESCE BOARD POLICY
SECTION 3: ADMISSIONS POLICIES
Title: Class Size

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1. Elementary- Junior High - Maximum

- 1.1 Kindergarten - 24 students
- 1.2 Grade 1 - 25 students
- 1.3 Grades 2, 3 - 25 students
- 1.4 Grades 4, 5, 6 - 28 students
- 1.5 Grades 7, 8, 9 - 30 students

2. Senior High

- 2.1 Maximum class size 30 students
- 2.2 Maximum combined class size - 25 students
- 2.3 Minimum class size - 15 students
- assumes 2.1 and 2.2
- 2.4 Generally, diploma exam courses will not be combined
- 2.5 10/13, 20/23, 30/33 will be combined where possible
- 2.6 Math 31 availability will be reviewed on a yearly basis

3. Outside (Over) the Limits

- 3.1 Classes will be split when the enrollment reaches 40 students
- 3.2 In the grey area between the maximum and splitting a class the following guidelines apply:
 - 3.2.1 At the principal's or superintendent's discretion class limits may be exceeded or reduced
 - 3.2.2 If appropriate, a part-time teacher assistant may be added to assist the teacher. In Junior High a part-time teacher may be added to partially split the class.
 - 3.2.3 If numbers warrant a combination grade may be created.
 - 3.2.4 A waiting list may be created.
 - 3.2.5 After the budget has been set 3.2.2 - 3.2.3 can only be done if the action is revenue neutral.