## CLASS SIZE

The Parkview School District Board of Education believes that many factors must be given consideration in the establishment of class size. Every effort will be made to maintain classes at a sound educational level. However, this provision should in no way interfere with the ability of the Board and administration to experiment with different forms of classroom instruction.

At the junior high and high school level (grades levels 6-12), the administration will determine class enrollments and staffing arrangements, based on student registration and scheduling during the second semester of each school year.

At the elementary level (grade levels $4 \mathrm{~K}-5$ ), recommendations on staffing and assignment of students to schools will be based on enrollment projections made during the second semester of each school year.

The following guidelines will be used to help determine the number of sections at each grade level:

| 4 Year-Old Kindergarten | $16-22$ students |
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| Kindergarten | $16-22$ students |
| First Grade | $20-24$ students |
| Second Grade | $20-24$ students |
| Third Grade | $22-26$ students |
| Fourth Grade | $22-26$ students |
| Fifth Grade | $22-26$ students |
| Sixth Grade | $22-26$ students |
| Seventh Grade | $22-26$ students |
| Eighth Grade | $22-26$ students |
| Ninth Grade | $23-27$ students |
| Tenth Grade | $23-27$ students |
| Eleventh Grade | $23-27$ students |
| Twelfth Grade | $23-27$ students |

Class sizes will vary due to curriculum and space needs. However, every effort will be made to limit the maximum class size to 30 . No high school regular education class will be permitted to operate with fewer than seven (7) students. The Superintendent has the authority to waive these minimum and maximum numbers when necessary and appropriate.

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