

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE POSITION DESCRIPTION

The purpose of the Student Representative position is to provide a voice for students on the Board of Education.

The Student Representative shall be a high school student who is currently attending a JPSD high school and/or program.

The Student Representative shall be a resident of the JPSD.

The Student Representative shall be a minimum of 16 years of age and a maximum of 19 years of age.

The Student Representative shall be a member of the Student Body.

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II. ELIGIBILITY

Eligibility requirements are as follows:

1. Any student entering their junior or senior year at the beginning of the school year and attending a JPSD high school and/or program shall be eligible to be a school board student representative.
2. The representative must have demonstrated leadership capabilities as evidenced in a letter of recommendation from a teacher or administrator in their school.
3. The representative must exhibit characteristics of good citizenship.

¹ Each student representative will be assigned to a board member based on wards, but for Wards 5 and 6 (2 high schools) and Wards 1 and 4 (no high school) adjustments in the assignment of student board representatives will be made.

4. The representative must maintain at least 95% attendance in school and a minimum QPA of 2.5.
5. The representative will participate in an orientation with school board members once elected.

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LEGAL REF: Miss. Code. Ann. §37-7-301