

Policy Subject NATIONAL CONVENTIONS	Location Code 204.9	Adoption Date 3/18/96
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The Norfolk Public Schools Board of Education will budget dollars each year to send a maximum of three (3) board members to the National School Boards Convention. A rotation system will be established that will include at least one (1) board member from each election term. This will ensure that at least one experienced board member will attend to provide any assistance needed.

The 1996-97 school year will serve as the base year where three (3) board members will be selected to attend the National Conference. Board members are limited to two (2) national conventions per each four (4) year term.

If a board member wishes to attend another national, state, or local conference or event during their rotation year they may do so in lieu of the National school Boards Convention.

If a board member is an officer of the State School Boards Association they will be exempt from this policy.

This policy is meant as a maximum number to be sent to national conventions. Based on the economic status of the district, the board will determine on an annual basis whether to approve any members to attend a national convention.