

**Policy**

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ACADEMIC FREEDOM

The Township of Union Board of Education believes that the teaching staff members have the following responsibilities in the area of academic freedom:

- A. Commitment to democratic tradition and its methods;
- B. Concern for the welfare, growth and development of children;
- C. Scholarship;
- D. Application of good taste and judgment in selecting and employing materials and methods of instruction;
- E. Awareness of the needs and sensitivities of the community; and
- F. All actions must be in keeping with other appropriate board policies.

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Key Words

Academic Freedom