

BSFCS Governing Policy

RACIAL BALANCE OUTREACH

It is the intent of the Bellevue-Santa Fe Charter School (BSFCS) Governing Board, in compliance with the *Charter Schools Act of 1992*, to “achieve a racial and ethnic balance among its pupils that is reflective of the general population residing within the territorial jurisdiction of the school district to which the charter petition is submitted.”

To achieve this end, the BSFCS Governing Board commits themselves to the following course of action:

1. Annual newspaper ads will be purchased and advertised on the school website promoting to the whole community their equal opportunity to enroll at BSFCS, and emphasizing the non-discriminatory nature of the BSFCS admissions policy.
2. Through the use of California School Information Services (CSIS) attendance data for BSFCS and SLCUSD, the BSFCS Board will keep themselves aware of any discrepancies that exist between the racial and ethnic composition of the two entities.
3. Through website disclosure of the most current BSFCS School Accountability Report Card (SARC), the BSFCS Governing Board will keep its parents and community aware of the progress BSFCS is making in achieving this racial and ethnic balance.
4. The BSFCS Governing Board will consistently work with the entire BSFCS staff to ensure that a school climate is maintained where people of all races and ethnic backgrounds are welcomed and respected.