

PROFESSIONAL TEACHER STATUS

Teachers and certain other professional employees who have served in the Granby Public Schools for the three previous consecutive years shall be entitled to professional teacher status; provided, however, that, pursuant to M.G.L. Chapter 71, 38G, service under a waiver of certification granted by the commissioner of Education shall not be counted as service in acquiring professional teacher status or other rights under section forty-one. The Superintendent, upon recommendation of the Principal, may award such status to a teacher who has served in the Principal's school for not less than one year or to a teacher who has obtained such status in any other public school district in the Commonwealth. The Superintendent will base his/her decisions on the results of evaluations.

At the end of each of the first three years of a teacher's employment, it will be the responsibility of the Superintendent to notify each employee promptly in writing of the decision regarding reappointment. Notification to a teacher not being re-appointed must be made by June 15 or at an earlier date if required by a collective bargaining agreement.

Nothing in these provisions will be considered as restricting the Superintendent from changing teacher assignments or altering or abolishing supervisory assignments except that, by law, no teacher may be assigned to a position for which he or she is not legally qualified.

LEGAL REFS.: M.G.L. 71:38; 71:38G; 71:38H; 71:41; 71:42; 71:43

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