

### **Elementary Class Size**

The Dubuque Elementary Schools operate on a neighborhood concept. Boundary attendance lines are established and are revised when necessary because of changes in enrollment patterns. The class size set forth below shall be established as the standards for the number of students per classroom teacher and that this policy shall be implemented in all schools to the extent possible.

Standard class sizes shall be established as follows:

Kindergarten – Grade 1	15 – 23
Grades 2-3	19 – 26
Grades 4-5	23 – 29
Combination Rooms (K-5)	16 – 24

Allowing for constraints of facility/classroom space and financial resources, the Dubuque Community School District is committed to lowering class size in all kindergarten to grade 3 classrooms to 17 students.

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