TEACHER CONSULTANTS

The Holdenville Board of Education believes that teacher consultants should be used whenever the goals of the district shall be enhanced by such use.

The building principal shall assign a consulting teacher to every probationary teacher upon entrance of the probationary teacher into the system. The consulting teacher, as far as possible, shall be a career teacher engaged in teaching within the same grade, building, or discipline as the probationary teacher. The consulting teacher will assist the probationary teacher in acclimating to the teaching profession and the school system. The consulting teacher shall not be involved in the formal evaluation of the probationary teacher.

The superintendent is directed to prepare regulations governing the use of teaching consultants. The regulations include that each consulting teacher shall be paid \$500.00 per year that only certified teachers shall be selected as a consultant teacher, and that no teacher shall serve as a teacher consultant for more than two consecutive years.