



## MANUAL OF POLICY

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**POLICY NUMBER:** I-3

**POLICY TITLE:** District Board of Trustees

**LEGAL AUTHORITY:** Florida Statutes 475.001-475.5018

**DATE OF LAST REVIEW:** 3/28/2022

The District Board of Trustees are entrusted with the duty of overseeing R. A. Thomas Educational Center and with the authority necessary for its effective operation and development. They are in charge of implementing and maintaining high-quality educational programs, measuring performance, reporting information, and providing input on state policy, budgeting, and educational standards, as well as making cost-effective policy decisions appropriate to R. A. Thomas Educational Center's mission. The powers and responsibilities of the Board of Trustees are listed in Florida Statutes and reflect their role in setting policy for R. A. Thomas Educational Center.

The Board of Trustees must conduct a self-evaluation because it is best practice for governing boards and a requirement for accrediting institutions. This will assist the Board of Trustees in assess its actions and make sure that its priorities and R. A. Thomas Educational Center's mission remain aligned. As a result, the Board of Trustees will periodically evaluate its performance. This self-evaluation process will be facilitated by the School President in their position as Secretary to the Board of Trustees.

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<i>Randen A. Thomas</i>	3/28/2022
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<b>PRESIDENT</b>	<b>DATE</b>