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**STAFFING OF HIGH SCHOOL RELIGIOUS EDUCATION DEPARTMENTS**

The religious education departments of the Catholic high schools shall have a core of full-time religious education teachers. The number of full-time religious education teachers shall be sufficient to provide classes that allow and encourage individual involvement of and interaction among the students.

High school teachers who teach religion shall have at least 18 hours or their equivalent in Catholic theology and/or religious education from an accredited Catholic college or university. Any exceptions to this policy require the approval of the Superintendent of Schools.

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