

**BOARD MEMBER QUALIFICATIONS**

To qualify as a Board of Education member of the Kingston City School District, an individual:

- Must be able to read and write;
- Must be a qualified voter of the district (i.e., a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age or older, and not adjudged to be an incompetent, nor a convicted felon whose maximum prison sentence has not expired or who has not been pardoned or discharged from parole);
- Must be a resident of the district for at least one year prior to election;
- May not have been removed from any school district office within the preceding year;
- May not reside with another member of the same school board as a member of the same family;
- May not be a current employee of the school board;
- May not simultaneously hold another incompatible public office.

Ref: Education Law §§2102; 2103; 2502(7)  
*Rosentock v. Scaringe*, 40 N.Y.2d 563 (1976)  
*Matter of Schoch*, 21 EDR 300 (1981)

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