ENHANCING STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT POLICY
KRS 160.345(3)(b)

SCHOOL MISSION AND BELIEFS STATEMENT
The mission of New Highland Elementary School is to be committed to involving students, parents, staff, and the community in educating students to their highest possible level, while fostering positive attitudes and behaviors.

PROCEDURES
In order to carry out our school’s mission and to accomplish Kentucky’s Learning Goals, we will:

• Develop SBDM policies, which contribute either directly or indirectly to accomplishing this mission.

• Develop SBDM policies, which contribute either directly or indirectly to enhancing student achievement by improving teaching and learning at our school for each and every student.

• Complete an annual needs assessment including but not limited to analyzing student performance on the state testing.

• Annually revise our School Improvement Plan to address identified needs. The council will be responsible for adopting The Plan and conducting Implementation and Impact checks to monitor it.

• Conduct sustained analysis of whether each of our programs is contributing adequately to helping all students meet district and state standards.

• Budget and hire to support our School Improvement Plan.

The SBDM Council will assign one or more committees consisting of all stakeholders to assure that all programs and extracurricular activities effectively promote the enhancement of student achievement and meet the above stated guidelines. Programs with goals toward increasing parental involvement (such as FRYSC, Title I and ESS) will collaborate to provide activities that ultimately enhance student achievement.

POLICY EVALUATION
We will evaluate the effectiveness of this policy through our School Improvement Planning Process.

First Reading: 05-08-2014  Second Reading: 05-19-2014
Date Reviewed or Revised: _____  Council Chairperson’s Initials _____
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