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Each school district shall employ a certified school library media specialist in accordance with the following standards:

- (a) In each elementary and secondary school with an enrollment of not more than 100 pupils, a certified school library media specialist shall devote no less than one quarter day each day to school library work.
- (b) In each elementary and secondary school with an enrollment of more than 100 but not more than 400 pupils, a certified school library media specialist shall devote no less than one half day each day to school library work.
- (c) In each elementary and secondary school with an enrollment of more than 400 but not more than 1,000 pupils, a full time certified school library media specialist shall devote the entire school day each day to school library work.
- (d) In each elementary and secondary school with an enrollment of more than 1,000 pupils, one additional full time certified school library media specialist shall be employed for every additional 1 to 1,000 pupils and shall devote the entire school day each day to school library work.

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Each school district shall employ a certified school library media specialist, unless equivalent service is provided by an alternative arrangement approved by the commissioner, in accordance with the following standards:

- (a) In a secondary school with an enrollment of not more than 100 pupils, a certified school library media specialist should devote at least one school period each day to school library work.
- (b) In a secondary school with an enrollment of more than 100 but not more than 300 pupils, a certified school library media specialist shall devote at least two school periods each day to school library work.
- (c) In a secondary school with an enrollment of more than 300 but not more than 500 pupils, a certified school library media specialist shall devote at least one half of each school day to school library work.
- (d) In a secondary school with an enrollment of more than 500 but not more than 700 pupils, a certified school library media specialist shall devote at least five school periods each day to school library work.
- (e) In a secondary school with an enrollment of more than 700 but less than 1,000 pupils, a certified school library media specialist shall devote the entire school day to school library work.
- (f) One additional fulltime assistant certified school library media specialist shall be employed in each secondary school for each additional 1,000 pupils enrolled in such school.