

56. Teachers shall be appointed by the district commissioner, and may be removed at any time said commissioner may think proper.

57. Teachers shall keep, prepare and enter into registers prepared for that purpose, an accurate account of the attendance of pupils, text books used, and branches taught, and such other statistics as may be required, and make due return thereof to the district commissioner at the end of each term; and no teacher shall be entitled to receive payment for services until the register, properly filled up and completed, be so returned.

58. It shall be the duty of all teachers, in schools of every grade, to impress upon the minds of youth committed to their instruction, the principles of piety and justice, loyalty and sacred regard for truth, love of their country, humanity and benevolence, sobriety, industry and chastity, and those virtues which are the basis upon which a republican constitution is founded; and it shall be the duties of such instructors to lead their pupils into a clear understanding of the tendency of these virtues, to preserve the blessings of liberty, promote temporal happiness and advance the greatness of the American nation.

59. Salaries of teachers in the city of Baltimore and each county shall be fixed by the board of school commissioners of the city and the several counties.

PUPILS.

60. All white youth between the ages of six and nineteen years, are entitled to free instruction in any of the public schools of the State, the studies of which they may be able to pursue; *provided*, that whenever there are graded schools the district commissioner shall determine to which school each pupil shall be admitted.

61. Pupils guilty of disorderly or immoral conduct, who after admonition refuse to reform, shall be suspended or expelled from the school by the teacher, and his case referred to the commissioner.