

Ashland School District 5

Code: **GCQB**
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Research

Employees are encouraged to participate in research for the development and improvement of education. If an employee plans to engage in a research project during the workday or use district resources or students, either for study toward advanced work or for use in classroom instruction, approval must be secured from the superintendent or designee. If the study results in material that would be useful to other employees, the district may require that participation is contingent on access to the data and study outcomes as long as it does not imperil confidentiality of students and staff.

Research which is conducted by or for a non-district employee must be approved by the superintendent or designee. The district may require a written agreement with the research organization and will consider the impact on district resources and goals when reviewing projects.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g (2011); Family Educational Rights and Privacy, 34 C.F.R. Part 99 (2011).
Protection of Pupil Rights, 20 U.S.C. § 1232h (2006); Student Rights in Research, Experimental Programs and Testing, 34 C.F.R. Part 98 (2006).