

Cove School District 15

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Staff/Student/Parent Relations**

The Board encourages parent involvement in their student's school affairs, and unless otherwise ordered by the courts, an order of sole custody on the part of one parent shall not deprive the other parent of the following authority as it relates to:

1. Receiving and inspecting education records and consultation with school staff concerning student welfare and progress in education;
2. Authorization of medical, dental, psychological, psychiatric or other health care for the student if the custodial parent is, for all practical reasons, unavailable.

It is the responsibility of the parent with sole custody to provide any court order that curtails the rights of the noncustodial parent at the time of enrollment or any other time a court order is issued. A parent with sole custody shall be requested to provide the district with written instructions regarding particular rights or privileges granted to the noncustodial parent.

In the case of joint custody, the district will adhere to all conditions specified and ordered by the court. The district requests, in writing, any special requests or clarifications in areas concerning district relationship or responsibility to the student.

In determining whether a person is acting in a parental relationship to a student, the district shall examine the facts and circumstances of each case.

Reasonable requests for relevant information from students, or persons appearing to be in a supervisory role of a student, may be made.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 107.154](#)
[ORS 109.056](#)
[ORS 163.245 - 163.257](#)

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).