

# Cove School District 15

Code: **IGD**  
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## Student Activities

It is the intent of the Board to support a strong activities program based upon wholesome participation by students.

The school program shall include a balanced selection of student activities in keeping with the interest and needs of students. Such activities are recognized by the Board as integral to a well-rounded program of education when they are clearly defined and their function is primarily directed toward student growth.

The superintendent is responsible for the organization of all student activities in the school and shall provide adequate supervision, administer student funds and approve all student activities with the assistance of the members of the staff who are delegated specific tasks.

It is the responsibility of the coaches and activity leaders to inform all students of their responsibilities as participating members of school-sponsored groups. Parents of participating students are to be informed of rules and regulations relating to the students' participation.

Students will be required to abide by standards of conduct, dress, grooming and academics established for that activity by the activity directors and the administration.

Competitive athletic practices shall be scheduled outside the regular academic school day. Every effort shall be made to schedule contests and activities on Fridays and Saturdays. Final schedules shall be approved by the superintendent.

It is the intent of the district that all participants in athletics be in good physical health. Students will be required to obtain a physical prior to the first year of participation in interscholastic sports and every other year thereafter, beginning in sixth grade. In order for students to participate during years when a physical is not required, the parent or guardian must sign a statement that there has been no significant change in physical health of the student since the last physical examination. The superintendent shall develop and implement a plan for carrying out this requirement.

Student activities shall be reviewed periodically by the superintendent and reports and recommendations made to the Board.

END OF POLICY

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**Legal Reference(s):**

[ORS 332.107](#)

[ORS 339.240](#)

[ORS 339.250](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050 to -0075](#)

[OAR 581-022-1680](#)

Hazelwood Sch. Dist. v. Kuhlmeier, 484 U.S. 260 (1988).

Bethel Sch. Dist. v. Fraser, 478 U.S. 675 (1986).

Havercamp v. Unified Sch. Dist. No. 380, 689 F. Supp. 1055 (D. Kan. 1986)

Westside Cmty. Bd. of Educ. v. Mergens, 496 U.S. 226 (1990).

Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. §§ 4071-4074 (2006).

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. §§ 1681-1683 (2006); Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance, 34 C.F.R. Part 106 (2006).