

Suspension of Driving Privileges

The superintendent and/or designee may make a request to the Oregon Department of Transportation (ODOT) for the suspension of a student's driving privilege or the right to apply for driving privileges, subject to the following conditions:

1. The superintendent will attempt to meet with parent/legal guardian before submitting a request to the ODOT;
2. The request to ODOT will be in writing;
3. The student involved must be at least 15 years of age;
4. The student must have been expelled for bringing a weapon to school; or
5. The student must have been suspended or expelled at least twice for any of the following reasons:
 - a. Assaulting or menacing a school employee or another student;
 - b. Willful damage or injury to district property;
 - c. Use of threats, intimidation, harassment or coercion against a school employee or another student;
 - d. Possessing, using or delivering any controlled substance;
 - e. Being under the influence of any controlled substance at a school or on school property or at a school sponsored activity, function or event.
6. The request to suspend a student's driving privilege or the right to apply for a driving privilege shall not be for more than one year unless the superintendent or Board is filing a second written request. A second request may state suspension of privileges until the student reaches 21 years of age;
7. The student has a right to appeal the superintendent's or designee's decision through the District's suspension/expulsion due process procedure as provided in policy JGE (I).

Withdrawal

The superintendent may, under ORS 339.257, notify ODOT of the withdrawal from school of a student who is at least 15 years of age and under 18 years of age.

Upon receipt of the District's notice that a student has withdrawn from school, ODOT shall notify the student that driving privileges will be suspended on the 30th day following the date of notice unless the student presents documentation that complies with ORS 807.066. For purposes of this policy, a student shall be considered to have withdrawn from school if the student has:

1. More than 10 consecutive school days of unexcused absences; or
2. Fifteen school days total of unexcused absences during a single semester.
3. The student has a right to appeal the superintendent's or designee's decision to notify the department (ODOT), through the District's suspension/expulsion due process procedure as provided in policy JGE (I).

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 192.660](#)

[ORS 332.061](#)

[ORS 336.615 - 336.665](#)

[ORS 339.240](#)

[ORS 339.250](#)

[ORS 339.254](#)

[ORS 339.257](#)

[ORS 807.065](#)

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