

**Douglas County
School District 15**

Code: **JFI**
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Orig. Code(s): JFI

Student Demonstrations and Petitions

Demonstrations

Students are permitted to hold demonstrations on school property under the following conditions:

1. The demonstration must be scheduled with the superintendent or designee in advance; a crowd control plan must be presented;
2. The demonstration must not disrupt classroom activities;
3. The demonstration must not present a threat to student or staff safety or be a hazard to school property;
4. No resource person may be present unless the provisions of Board policy are met.

Petitions

Students may petition for a change in Board policies and school rules and procedures. Petitions must be reviewed prior to circulation on school grounds and must be submitted to the superintendent or designee upon completion. The superintendent or designee will forward petitions to the Board, as appropriate.

Informal Student Gatherings

Students gathered informally shall not disrupt the orderly operation of the educational process.

Students gathered informally shall not infringe upon the rights of others to pursue their activities.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.072](#)

[ORS 332.107](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050](#)

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Cross Reference(s):

IB - Freedom of Expression

IGDA - Student Organizations