

Echo School District 5R

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

Student Safety

The district will maintain a Health and Safety and Emergency program designed to assure every student a safe, healthy environment in which to learn. The program will comply with federal, state and local laws and regulation, and with Board policy.

A district safety and health committee will ensure that general safety regulation are reviewed with staff and students as appropriate to assure student safety.

Instruction in courses in industrial arts, science, homemaking, art, physical education, health and safety will include and emphasize accident prevention.

Safety instruction will precede the use of materials and equipment by students in applicable units of work in the courses listed above.

Safety instruction will assist students to:

1. Learn how to work, play and exercise safely and to prevent accidents;
2. Learn proper procedures to reduce the possibility of accidents;
3. Develop habits of good housekeeping, proper storage and handling of materials;
4. Become familiar with personal protective devices and the proper clothing to be worn for safety purposes;
5. Develop skills in the safe use of tools and equipment;
6. Learn how to cooperate with others in the promotion and operation of a safety program in the school;
7. Respond to emergency situations in all settings.

Instructors will teach and enforce all safety rules set up for these particular courses. Rules will include, but not be limited to, wearing protective eye devices in appropriate activities.

In courses where formal instruction is required, students will be asked to sign off upon completion of reading safety policies and materials and upon the completion of safety instruction.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 329.095](#)

[OAR 581-022-1420](#)

Cross Reference(s):

EB - Safety Program

EBA - Buildings and Grounds Inspection