

Forest Grove School District

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Student Fees, Fines and Charges**

The Board recognizes the need for student fees to fund certain activities which are not funded by the district. No student will be denied an education because of his/her inability to pay these supplementary fees; however, no student is exempt from charges for lost or damaged books, locks, materials, supplies and equipment.

The school district may charge fees only for student projects that are in excess of the minimum course requirements and at the student's option become his/her personal property. Fees may be charged for admission to extracurricular activities, security deposits, optional field trips, health insurance and certain personal items such as towel fees for extracurricular activities, school yearbooks, outdoor school, etc.

All student fees and charges, both optional and required, will be listed and described annually in written form and distributed to each student. Notice will advise students of the due dates for such fees and charges as well as of possible penalties for failure to pay them.

In accordance with the law and with district policy, restrictions and/or penalties may be imposed until such fees, fines or charges are paid.

Education records shall not be withheld for student fees, fines and charges if requested in circumstances described in Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 326.575 and applicable rules of the State Board of Education or such records are requested for use in the appropriate placement of a student.

Prior to collection of debts, the superintendent will ensure that notice has been provided as required by ORS 339.270.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 326.565](#)
[ORS 326.575](#)
[ORS 339.115](#)
[ORS 339.155](#)
[ORS 339.270](#)

Cross Reference(s):

ECAB - Vandalism, Malicious Mischief and Theft
IGBAB/JO - Education Records/Records of Students with Disabilities
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