

Gresham-Barlow SD 10

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Relations with Law Enforcement Agencies

The Board recognizes that districtwide cooperation with law enforcement agencies is essential for the protection of staff and students, for maintaining a safe environment in district schools and for safeguarding district property.

Programs and activities designed to enrich district curriculum and to develop and promote good citizenship and a healthy attitude toward law enforcement agencies and officials will be encouraged by the district. Law enforcement participation in such programs and activities is encouraged.

Law enforcement officials may enter school facilities if a crime has been committed on district property or to investigate matters concerning staff and students upon request initiated by either agency officials or by district administrators. A safety resource officer (SRO) assigned to the campus may interact with students and will follow legal procedures should he/she observe or suspect criminal activity.

The superintendent will develop administrative regulations to implement this policy, including procedures for handling investigations, administrator requests for assistance and required referrals to law enforcement agencies.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 329.150](#)
[ORS 419B.015](#)

Letter Opinion, Office of the Attorney General (August 18, 1986).

Cross Reference(s):

JFG - Student Searches and Questioning