

Multnomah Education Service District

Code: **KN**
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Orig. Code(s): 2230.12; 5110-5142; 5200

Relations with Law Enforcement Agencies

MESD 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, 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.

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 OR Attorney General (Aug. 18, 1986)

MESD Policy Cross Reference(s):

ECAB - Vandalism/Malicious Mischief/Theft
JFG - Student Searches and Questioning
JHFE - Reporting of Suspected Abuse of a Child
KGB - Public Conduct on MESD Property