

Use of Feature Films/Videos and other Digital Media**

The Board recognizes the showing of commercially produced and rated films and videos and other digital media, may have a legitimate purpose in a school's educational program. However, since the content of certain media is customarily designed for general audience viewing, the Board feels certain precautions should be taken to ensure the showing of a particular media is consistent with the educational values espoused by the district.

Only the following Rated digital media may be shown without parental permission:

1. G rated for grades K-5;
2. G and PG in grades 6-8;
3. G, PG and PG-13 in grades 9-12.

Any ratings above those identified for the specific grade levels will require parental permission.

Any non-rated digital media will required administrative approval.

The Board directs administrative procedures be developed to accomplish this objective, including the provision that a parent have the opportunity to preview media when practicably possible and that a parent will be given the opportunity to request that his/her child be excused from viewing a film.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)

Cross Reference(s):

IIAD - Special Interest Materials