

Newberg School District 29J

Code: **IGDA**
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Student Organizations

The district encourages curriculum-related student organizations. District staff shall facilitate such organizations and district resources may be used to support them. The district may also support student organizations that are not directly curriculum related.

The principal shall develop general guidelines for student organizations. Among other provisions, such guidelines shall require the assignment of at least one advisor to each student organization.

Voluntary student-organized clubs that are not curriculum-related may meet on school premises during noninstructional time. If the content of such a club's meetings is religious in nature, school staff may attend only in a nonparticipatory manner. Staff may be assigned to attend such meetings for custodial purposes only, but shall not be compelled to attend a meeting if the content of the speech at the meeting is contrary to that person's beliefs.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 339.880](#)
[ORS 339.885](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050](#)
[OAR 581-021-0055](#)

Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. §§ 4071-4074 (2006).
Lamb's Chapel v. Center Moriches Unified Sch. Dist., 508 U.S. 384 (1993).
Westside Cmty. Bd. of Educ. v. Mergens, 496 U.S. 226 (1990).