

**North Wasco County
School District 21**

Code: **IIABB**
Adopted: 3/13/97
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Orig. Code(s): Chenowith IIABB

Use of Feature Films/Videos**

The Board recognizes the showing of commercially-produced and -rated feature films and videos may have a legitimate purpose in a school's educational program. However, since the content of these feature films customarily is designed for general audience viewing, the Board feels certain precautions should be taken to ensure the showing of a particular film is consistent with the educational values espoused by the district. Films rated G, PG or PG-13 may be shown as part of the school program. The showing of any R-rated film requires prior superintendent approval. Parent(s) must be provided the opportunity to preview a film when practicably possible and that a parent must give prior consent before his/her student may view a film rated PG or PG-13, below the high school level. At the high school level, students may be excused from viewing R or unrated films. An alternative learning activity may be assigned.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)