

Cocurricular/Extracurricular Activities

Cocurricular/Extracurricular activities are considered to be any activity such as student government, contests that are not required as part of a class curriculum, athletics and clubs. Participants in these activities will be subject to the basic rules pertaining to cocurricular/extracurricular activities, which include the following:

1. Use of tobacco is prohibited on district grounds or during trips that are part of the activity;
2. Drinking of alcoholic beverages is prohibited at any time or at any place. Any individual involved in the use of alcohol will be suspended immediately from all activities;
3. The use of drugs, other than authorized medications, is prohibited at any time or at any place. Any individual involved in the use of such drugs will be suspended immediately from all activities;
4. The student will behave in a manner that demonstrates good sportsmanship in and out of school. In addition, the student will conduct him/herself in a manner that demonstrates the discipline essential for any successful athletic/activity program. Any student displaying unacceptable conduct on or off campus will be subject to suspension;
5. All athletes in grades 6-12 must have an annual physical examination by a licensed physician, licensed nurse practitioner or physician's assistant prior to practice and competition in interscholastic athletics;
6. Athletes and/or student or the student's family must show proof of insurance for the particular sport for which the student is involved. The school does not provide insurance for sports participants;
7. The student will maintain academic eligibility as outlined by the Oregon School Activities Association (OSAA) and administrative regulation IGD-AR.

These rules are to be followed and enforced by activity coaches or advisers. Offenses will be handled by the adviser/administration or by approved procedures that have been submitted to the administration and the Board and incorporated into the student conduct handbook.

Students who represent the school in voluntary activities may be required to conform to dress and grooming standards approved by the superintendent and may be denied the opportunity to participate if those standards are not met.

Activity sponsors are encouraged to issue any additional rules or regulations developed for individual activities prior to participation. Rules developed are subject to superintendent approval.

The district will provide a handbook of the rules, policies and practices for participation in extracurricular or cocurricular activities in the district.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)

[ORS 339.240](#)

[ORS 339.250](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050 to -0075](#)

Hazelwood Sch. Dist. v. Kuhlmeier, 484 U.S. 260 (1988).

Bethel Sch. Dist. v. Fraser, 478 U.S. 675 (1986).

Havercamp v. Unified Sch. Dist. No. 380, 689 F. Supp. 1055 (D. Kan. 1986)

Westside Cmty. Bd. of Educ. v. Mergens, 496 U.S. 226 (1990).

Equal Access Act, 20 U.S.C. §§ 4071-4074 (2006).

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. §§ 1681-1683 (2006); Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance, 34 C.F.R. Part 106 (2006).