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Cocurricular/Extracurricular Activities

For purposes of this policy, “cocurricular/extracurricular activities” shall be those activities which are sponsored or approved by the Board but are not offered for credit toward graduation. Such activities shall ordinarily be conducted wholly or partly outside the regular school day; available to students who voluntarily elect to participate; marked by student participation in the process of initiation, planning, organization and execution and shall ordinarily include clubs, intramural sports and other interschool athletics.

No cocurricular/extracurricular activity shall be considered to be under the sponsorship of the district unless it has been approved by the Board on recommendation of the superintendent of schools.

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. Any student displaying unacceptable conduct on or off campus will be subject to suspension.

These rules are to be followed and enforced by activity coaches or advisors. Offenses will be handled by the advisor/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.

Whenever or wherever held, when conducted under the name of the school or district or any class or organization thereof, cocurricular and extracurricular activities will be under the general supervision of school personnel.

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).