

Riverdale School District 51J

Code: **JGEA**
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Alternative Education Programs Following Expulsion**

Prior to a student's expulsion the district will propose in writing to the student's parent appropriate, accessible educational alternative(s) determined by the district and as defined in policy IGBHC – Alternative Education Notification. Such alternative program(s) will be instructional and may be combined with counseling.

The proposal of potential alternatives will be hand-delivered or sent by certified mail to assure that the parent receives it prior to the time of an actual expulsion or leaving school.

Appropriate accessible programs may be either public or private (non-sectarian). Programs may be provided by the district as a separate school, evening classes or tutorial instruction. Homebound instruction could be considered an appropriate alternative.

The district shall pay the actual cost of the district proposed alternative program for "resident's" students or an amount equal to 80 percent of the district's estimated current year's state average per student net operating expenditure, whichever is less. The district will enter into a written contract with the program provider. The district shall provide or pay for transportation.

If a student is not successful in the alternative program selected or the programs offered are not accepted by the students and/or parents, there is no obligation to propose or fund other alternatives.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 336.615 - 336.665](#)
[ORS 339.240](#)
[ORS 339.250](#)

[OAR 581-021-0070](#)
[OAR 581-021-0071](#)
[OAR 581-022-1350](#)
[OAR 581-022-1620](#)
[OAR 581-023-0006](#)
[OAR 581-023-0008](#)

Cross Reference(s):

IGBHA - Alternative Education Programs
IGBHC - Alternative Education Notification