

Interscholastic Activities

The Board recognizes the integral role interscholastic activities play in the character development and general enhancement of the education of its students. Accordingly, administrators, coaches, student participants and others associated with the district's high school activities programs and events shall conduct themselves in a manner that is consistent with the letter and spirit of district and of the Oregon School Activities Association (OSAA) policies, rules and regulations and the fundamental values of sportsmanship.

The district shall allow homeschooled students and students attending a public charter school to participate in available interscholastic activities in compliance with state law.

The district will provide interscholastic activities for students in in compliance with Title IX. The superintendent shall be responsible for the regular review and updating, as necessary, of all district rules governing student participation.

An employee determined to have violated rules and regulations of the OSAA may be subject to discipline, up to and including, dismissal from his/her interscholastic duties and termination from district employment. A student in violation of the OSAA rules and regulations will be subject to discipline, up to and including, dismissal from his/her interscholastic activity or program, suspension and/or expulsion from school. Volunteers shall be subject to discipline up to removal from district programs and activities and such other sanctions as may be deemed appropriate by the Board.

Employees, volunteers or students in violation of the OSAA rules and/or regulations may be required to remunerate the district in the event fines are assessed by OSAA as a result of their actions.

The superintendent is directed to develop administrative regulations or procedures as necessary to ensure an effective hiring, volunteer approval and evaluation program is in place for all district activities. Procedures shall include a process to ensure the accurate certification regarding the eligibility of participating students, verification that coaches have been certified prior to assuming duties as required, and that all allegations of student ineligibility, staff recruiting violations or conduct that may violate Board policy, administrative regulations and/or OSAA rules and regulations are promptly investigated and reported.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 326.051](#)
[ORS 332.075\(1\)\(e\)](#)
[ORS 339.450 to -339.460](#)

[OAR 581-015-2255](#)
[OAR 581-021-0045 to -0049](#)
[OAR 581-026-0005](#)

[OAR 581-026-0700](#)
[OAR 581-026-0705](#)
[OAR 581-026-0710](#)

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. §§ 1681-1683 (2012); Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance, 34 C.F.R. Part 106 (2017).

OREGON SCHOOL ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATION, OSAA HANDBOOK.

Montgomery v. Bd. of Educ., 188 Or. App. 63 (2003).