

**Extracurricular/Cocurricular Policy and Drug Testing Program  
Regarding Tobacco, Alcohol and Illegal Drugs\*\***

The use of tobacco/alcohol/prescription medication used in a manner inconsistent with the prescription, or nonprescribed or illegal drugs is prohibited. No student involved in extracurricular, cocurricular and district-sponsored activities shall knowingly possess, use, sell, supply or be under the influence of alcohol, a tobacco product, performance enhancing drug, inhalants or controlled substance of any kind. This policy shall be in effect 24 hours a day, from the first summer date of the OSAA calendar following completion of sixth grade, to the final day of his or her senior year.

“Cocurricular” activities are those which take place during the school day and are associated with a curricular program.

“Extracurricular” activities are those which take place outside the school day and are not associated with a curricular program.

Students choosing to participate in extracurricular, cocurricular and district-sponsored activities are prohibited from knowingly attending or remaining at events where individuals are engaged in breaking the law by possessing, using, delivering and/or selling alcohol, marijuana, performance enhancing substances, using prescription medication in a manner not prescribed or illegal substances. These events include, but are not limited to parties and group gatherings. It is the student’s responsibility to immediately remove himself/herself from the party or group gathering as soon as the student becomes aware alcohol, marijuana, performance enhancing substances or illegal substances are being possessed, used, delivered or sold in violation of the laws of the state of Oregon. The Winston-Dillard School District recognizes a student cannot be responsible for the misbehavior of other individuals; however, it is the student’s responsibility to avoid associating with individuals engaging in illegal activities. Students found in violation of this policy by knowingly attending or remaining at such an event will be subject to sanction under existing district programs and treated as a first, second, or third offense depending on any previous violations of the athletic policies.

A student will not be held accountable for attending a gathering or party in the presence of their parent or other legal guardian under the following circumstances:

1. If the complaint is the minor used alcohol, the student can show that their parent or guardian consented to the consumption, consistent with the provisions of ORS 471.430(1).
2. If the complaint is that the minor was around other individuals that broke the law by consuming alcohol, the student can show that their parent or guardian consented to the student’s attendance at the gathering and was physically present at the event.

Winston Dillard School District believes that student safety is paramount in building positive extracurricular, cocurricular and district-sponsored activities, all students involved in extracurricular, cocurricular and district-sponsored activities may be tested for alcohol, drugs, illegal substances or a use of performance enhancing substances. This includes all students involved in OSAA/UVL/OMEA competitions, school plays, the Big Man on Campus/Miss DHS pageant, WMS WEB Leaders, DHS student council and other possible activities.

Students who participate in extracurricular, cocurricular and district-sponsored activities may be tested at the start of the season, (e.g., Fall, Winter, Spring or near the beginning of the year if the group is active all year) and may be subject to at least one more time during the season. These tests will be urine analysis' (UA) that will be administered by administrators and/or their designees. Failure to comply with a UA at the assigned time will result in the student forfeiting the right to participate in practice or games/events during that season. Tests will be administered in the respective locker rooms or the school-based health center. Sample containers will be labeled before a participant takes possession of it. After completion, each participant will bring the container to the test administrator who will follow a designated testing protocol to ensure accurate results. Parents will always be contacted if their child has a positive result on any test.

**First Offense:**

- a.) Two calendar week suspension from participation in all athletic games, activities and competitions (must attend all practice sessions). Suspensions will begin on the first official contest or performance date.
- b.) Mandatory meetings will take place between the student, legal guardian or parent, and the school counselor initiated by the legal guardian. Completion of the counselor's recommendation is required. Failure to comply with the recommendation after the first offense may be punished as if the student committed a second offense.
- c.) Submit to drug testing at any time during the remainder of the season.

**Second Offense:**

- a.) Full suspension from all activities for the remainder of the season or 45 days, whichever is longer. The term of suspension will be 45 calendar days for groups that are active all year.
- b.) Mandatory meetings shall take place between the student, legal guardian or parent and the school counselor, initiated by the legal guardian and completion of the counselor's recommendation. Failure to comply with the recommendation after the first offense may be punished as if the student committed a third offense.
- c.) Submit to drug testing at any time during the remainder of the season/year.

**Third Offense:**

- a.) Full suspension from all extracurricular, cocurricular and district-sponsored activities for the remainder of the school year and the following year. Students may participate in following years with the approval of the principal, athletic director and the student's counselor.

Violations occurring during the summer will have the following consequences: The athlete/participant must complete the consequences during the season of the sport/activity they were involved in when the offense occurred.

This policy shall be in effect 24 hours a day, from the first summer date of the OSAA calendar following the completion of the student's sixth grade year, to the final day of his or her senior year, and includes any school sponsored activity outside the school year (i.e., summer camps, competitions or events).

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_