

STUDENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES
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INTERROGATIONS BY SCHOOL OFFICIALS	Administrators, teachers, and other professional personnel may question a student regarding the student's own conduct or the conduct of other students. In the context of school discipline, students have no claim to the right not to incriminate themselves.
BY POLICE OR OTHER AUTHORITIES	For provisions pertaining to student questioning by law enforcement officials or other lawful authorities, see GRA(LOCAL).
LOCKERS AND VEHICLES	<p>Students have full responsibility for the security of their lockers and for vehicles parked on school property. It is the student's responsibility to ensure that lockers and vehicles are locked and that the keys and combinations are not given to others. Students shall not place, keep, or maintain any article or material that is forbidden by District policy in lockers or in vehicles parked on school property.</p> <p>School officials may search lockers or vehicles parked on school property if there is reasonable cause to believe that they contain articles or materials prohibited by District policy. Students shall be responsible for any prohibited items found in their lockers or in vehicles parked on school property.</p> <p>If a vehicle subject to search is locked, the student shall be asked to unlock the vehicle. If the student refuses, the District shall contact the student's parents. If the parents also refuse to permit a search of the vehicle, the District may turn the matter over to local law enforcement officials.</p>
USE OF TRAINED DOGS	<p>The District shall use specially trained nonaggressive dogs to sniff out and alert officials to the current presence of concealed prohibited items, illicit substances defined in FNCF(LEGAL), and alcohol. This program is implemented in response to drug- and alcohol-related problems in District schools, with the objective of maintaining a safe school environment conducive to education.</p> <p>Such visits to schools shall be unannounced. The dogs shall be used to sniff vacant classrooms, vacant common areas, the areas around student lockers, and the areas around vehicles parked on school property. The dogs shall not be used with students. If a dog alerts to a locker, a vehicle, or an item in a classroom, it may be searched by school officials. Searches of vehicles shall be conducted as described above.</p>
NOTICE	<p>At the beginning of the school year, the District shall inform students of the District's policy on searches, as outlined above, and shall specifically notify students that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Lockers may be sniffed by trained dogs at any time.2. Vehicles parked on school property may be sniffed by trained dogs at any time.

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3. Classrooms and other common areas may be sniffed by trained dogs at any time when students are not present.
4. If contraband of any kind is found, the possessing student shall be subject to appropriate disciplinary action in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct.

PARENT
NOTIFICATION

The student's parent or guardian shall be notified if any prohibited articles or materials are found in a student's locker, in a student's vehicle parked on school property, or on the student's person, as a result of a search conducted in accordance with this policy.

DRUG-TESTING
PROGRAM
SCOPE

The District requires drug testing of any student in grades 7–12 who chooses to participate in school-sponsored extracurricular activities or plans to park a vehicle on campus.

A student participating in these activities or who parks a vehicle on campus shall be tested for the presence of illegal drugs and alcohol at the beginning of each school year.

COVERED
ACTIVITIES

Testing shall be required for all school-sponsored extracurricular activities and for parking a vehicle on campus.

PURPOSE

The purposes of the drug-testing program are to:

1. Prevent injury, illness, and harm resulting from the use of illegal and performance-enhancing drugs or alcohol;
2. Help enforce a drug-free educational environment; and
3. Deter student use of illegal and performance-enhancing drugs or alcohol.

DISTRIBUTION OF
POLICY

The District shall provide each parent and student a copy of the drug-testing policy and consent form prior to the student's participation in an affected activity or prior to the student parking a vehicle on campus.

ORIENTATION
MEETINGS

The District shall conduct meetings with parents and interested student participants prior to the beginning of each school year.

District employees shall explain the drug-testing program and review the policy and consent form.

Student attendance at the orientation meeting is mandatory, but parent attendance at an orientation meeting is not mandatory.

CONSENT

Before a student is eligible to participate in extracurricular activities or to park a vehicle on campus, the student shall be required annually to sign a consent form agreeing to be subject to the rules and procedures of the drug-testing program. If the student is under the age of 18, the student's parent or guardian shall also sign a consent form. If appropriate consent is not given, the student shall

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	<p>not be allowed to participate in extracurricular activities or to park a vehicle on campus.</p>
USE OF RESULTS	<p>Drug test results shall be used to determine eligibility for participation in extracurricular activities and for parking a vehicle on campus. Positive drug test results shall not be used to impose disciplinary sanctions or academic penalties.</p> <p>Nevertheless, nothing in this policy shall limit or affect the application of state law, local policy, or the Student Code of Conduct. A student who commits a disciplinary offense shall be subject to consequences in accordance with the Student Code of Conduct.</p>
CONFIDENTIALITY	<p>Drug test results shall be confidential and shall be disclosed only to the student, the student's parents, and designated District officials who need the information in order to administer the drug-testing program. Drug test results shall not be maintained with a student's academic record. Results shall not be otherwise disclosed except as required by law.</p>
TESTING LABORATORY	<p>The Board shall contract with a certified drug-testing laboratory to conduct testing of students' urine samples.</p> <p>Testing laboratories shall not release statistics regarding the rate of positive drug tests to any person or organization without consent of the District.</p> <p>The District shall not accept any test results submitted by a parent or student from drug tests not performed by the District's contracted testing laboratory as part of the District's drug-testing program.</p>
SUBSTANCES FOR WHICH TESTS ARE CONDUCTED	<p>The drug-testing laboratory may test for the presence of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Alcohol;• Performance-enhancing substances, including anabolic steroids;• Marijuana Metabolites;• Cocaine Metabolites;• Methaqualone;• MDMA/MDA (Ecstasy);• Inhalants;• Benzodiazepines;• Phencyclidine;• Methadone;• Barbiturates;• Propoxyphene;

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- Amphetamines;
- Opiates;
- K2;
- Bath salts; and
- Metabolites of any other substance.

COLLECTION
PROCEDURES

Personnel from the drug-testing laboratory shall collect urine samples under conditions that are no more intrusive than the conditions experienced in a public restroom. When selected for testing, a student shall be escorted to the school's testing site by a District employee and shall remain under employee supervision until the student provides a sample. Samples shall be produced by a student from behind a closed restroom stall. A District employee of the same gender as the student shall be present when any samples are collected.

RANDOM TESTING

Random tests shall be conducted on as many as 20 dates throughout the school year.

No less than five percent and no more than 50 percent of the students participating in the program shall be randomly selected throughout the year.

The drug-testing laboratory shall use a random selection method to identify students chosen for random testing. Students shall not receive prior notice of the testing date or time.

REFUSAL TO TEST
OR TAMPERING

A student who refuses to be tested when selected or who is determined to have tampered with a sample shall be deemed to have a positive test result and shall be subject to the appropriate consequences depending on previous positive test results, if any. The student shall not be allowed to meet the stipulations for a reduced suspension period.

If a student is absent on the day of the random test, a sample shall be collected on the next random testing date.

POSITIVE TEST
RESULTS

An initial positive test shall be confirmed by a second test of the same specimen before being reported as positive.

Upon receiving results of a positive drug test, the District shall schedule a meeting with the student, the student's parent if the student is under the age of 18, an administrator, and the coach or sponsor of the extracurricular activity to review the test results and discuss consequences.

The student or parent shall have five school days following the meeting to provide a medical explanation for a positive result.

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CONSEQUENCES	<p>Consequences of positive test results shall be cumulative through the student's enrollment in middle school and shall begin anew for high school.</p> <p>For purposes of this policy, "day" shall mean school day or any nonschool day in which an extracurricular competition or event occurs and the student would have been eligible to participate. Such events may include practices or camps during the summer or on school holidays.</p> <p>A student who has a confirmed positive drug test shall be subject to the following consequences.</p>
FIRST OFFENSE	<p>Upon a first offense of receiving a confirmed positive drug test, the student shall be suspended from any extracurricular activity or from parking a vehicle on campus for 30 days following the date the student and parent are notified of the test results.</p> <p>If, on the first offense, a student chooses to meet the following stipulations, the student's suspension may be reduced to 15 days. The campus administration shall make the determination at the end of the 15-day suspension if the student has met the stipulations for reduction of the suspension period. The process for meeting the stipulation shall be as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. During the first ten days of the suspension, the student must meet at least twice with a counselor to address the confirmation of the positive drug test. The selection of the counselor must be approved by the campus administration. During this ten-day suspension, the student shall not practice or participate in any extracurricular competition or event and shall not park on campus.2. During the next five days of the suspension, the student may participate in practices and must attend one additional counseling session. <p>In the event that a participating student's offense occurs when the sanction cannot be completed during the current school year, the sanction must be completed the following school year.</p>
RETESTING	<p>If the student wishes to return to participation in extracurricular activities or to park a vehicle on campus, the student must be retested at the end of the period of suspension on the next random test date and for a full calendar year. The student must have negative test results on these tests in order to continue to participate.</p>
DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION	<p>The District shall notify the parent and student of drug and alcohol abuse prevention resources available in the area.</p>

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SECOND OFFENSE	<p>Upon a second offense of receiving a confirmed positive drug test, the student shall be suspended from any extracurricular activity or from parking a vehicle on campus for 90 days following the date the student and parent are notified of the test results.</p> <p>If, on the second offense, the student chooses to meet the following stipulations, the student's suspension may be reduced to 30 days. The campus administration shall make the determination at the end of the 30-day suspension if the student has met the stipulations for reduction of the suspension period. The process for meeting the stipulation shall be as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. During the first 20 days of the suspension, the student shall meet at least four times with a counselor to address the confirmation of the positive drug test. The selection of the counselor must be approved by the campus administration. During this 20-day suspension, the student shall not practice or participate in any extracurricular competition or event and shall not park on campus.<li>2. During the next ten days of the suspension period, the student may participate in practices and shall attend two additional counseling sessions.
RETESTING	<p>If the student wishes to return to participation in extracurricular activities or to park a vehicle on campus, the student must be retested at the end of the period of suspension on the next random test date and for a full calendar year. The student must have negative test results on these tests in order to continue to participate.</p> <p>The District shall again notify the parent and student of drug and alcohol abuse prevention resources available in the area.</p>
THIRD OFFENSE	<p>Upon a third offense of receiving a confirmed positive drug test, the student shall be suspended from participation in any extracurricular activity or from parking a vehicle on campus for a calendar year following the date the student and parent are notified of the test results.</p>
FOURTH OFFENSE	<p>Upon a fourth offense of receiving a confirmed positive drug test, the student shall be suspended from participation in any extracurricular activity or from parking a vehicle on campus for the remainder of the student's middle school or high school career.</p>
APPEALS	<p>A student or parent may appeal a decision made under this policy in accordance with FNF(LOCAL). The student shall be ineligible for participation in extracurricular activities or to park a vehicle on campus while the appeal is pending.</p>