

JDDA - DRUG FREE SCHOOLS

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The unlawful possession, use, distribution, or being under the influence of illicit drugs and alcohol by students on school premises or as part of any school activity is prohibited. This policy is required by the 1989 amendments to the Drug Free Schools and Communities Act, P.L. 102-226, 103 St. 1929. (Cf. LDD)

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Student Conduct

As a condition of continued enrollment in the district, students shall abide by the terms of this policy.

Students shall not unlawfully manufacture, distribute, dispense, possess, use, nor be under the influence of illicit drugs, controlled substances or alcoholic beverages on school district property, or at any school activity. A breath analyzer may be used to verify the presence of alcohol in students. Any student violating the terms of this policy shall be reported to the appropriate law enforcement officials, and shall be subject to the following sanctions:

- 1). FIRST OFFENSE. A first time violator shall be subject to the following sanctions:
 - a). A punishment up to and including short-term suspension;
 - b). Suspension from all student activities for a period of not less than one month.

- 2). SECOND OFFENSE. A second time violator shall be subject to the following sanctions:
 - a). A punishment up to and including long-term suspension;
 - b). Suspension from all student activities for a period of not less than one semester or four months;
 - c). A student placed on long-term suspension under this policy may be readmitted on a probationary status if the student agrees to complete a drug and alcohol education or rehabilitation program. (Name(s) of acceptable programs are on file with the board clerk).

- 3). THIRD AND SUBSEQUENT OFFENSES. A student who violates the terms of this policy for the third time, and any subsequent violations, shall be subject to the following sanctions:
 - a). A punishment up to and including expulsion from school for the remainder of the school year;
 - b). Suspension from participation and attendance at all school activities for the year;
 - c). A student who is expelled from school under the terms of this policy may be readmitted during the term of the expulsion only if the student has completed a drug and alcohol education or rehabilitation program at an acceptable program.

Students who are suspended or expelled under the terms of this policy will be afforded the due process rights contained in board policies and Kansas statutes, K.S.A. 72-8901, et seq. Nothing in this policy is intended to diminish the ability of the district to take other disciplinary action against the student in accordance with other policies governing student discipline. In the event a student agrees to enter into and complete a drug and alcohol education or rehabilitation program, the cost of such program shall be the responsibility of the student and his or her parents. Drug and alcohol counseling and rehabilitation programs are available for students of the district.

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A list of available programs along with names and addresses of contact persons for the program is on file with the board clerk. Parents or students should contact the directors of the programs to determine the cost and length of the program. (Cf. JCDA and JDD)

A copy of this policy and a list of available drug and alcohol counseling programs shall be provided to all students, and the parents of students. Parents of all students shall be notified that compliance with this policy is mandatory.

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