Teton School District No. 401

STUDENTS 3440

Student Fees, Fines, and Charges/Return of Property

The District shall charge no fee for any course for which academic credit is awarded, nor shall any fee be charged for materials or supplies necessarily used, required or consumed in order for the student to receive academic credit for such course. Fees may be charged for "enhanced programming and materials" which provide enrichments to the curriculum beyond what is necessary to meet the basic learning expectations for a particular grade or course for which academic credit is awarded. (i.e. students may wish to use a superior product or consumable in addition to that provided by the School). Such supplementary fees shall be purely voluntary and such materials or supplies may not be required in order for the student to receive academic credit for the course. Class fees shall not be charged.

Reasonable fees may be charged for student participation in non-curricular and extra-curricular activities for which no academic credits are offered and provided that student participation in such activities is entirely voluntary and is not required in order to receive academic credit or otherwise be eligible for graduation. Nothing herein shall prevent or preclude any voluntary contribution or donation by a patron or student with respect to any extra-curricular or non-curricular course for which academic credit is given.

The Board delegates authority to the Superintendent to establish appropriate fees and procedures governing the collection of fees and to make annual reports to the Board regarding fee schedules.

Additional fees may be charged for "enhanced programming and materials" which are voluntary enrichments to the curriculum beyond what is necessary to meet the learning expectations for a particular grade or course (i.e. students may wish to use a superior product or consumable than that provided by the school, in which case they may be asked to pay the additional cost for the upgrade).

A student shall be responsible for the cost of replacing materials or property lost or damaged due to negligence. If school property in a student's possession is lost, broken, or otherwise damaged, the student may be charged the lesser of the fair market value of the item at the time or the cost of repair.

The District may require, as a condition of graduation, issuance of a diploma or certificate, or issuance of a transcript, that all indebtedness incurred by a student be satisfied, or that all books or other instructional material, uniforms, athletic equipment, advances on loans, or other personal property of the District be returned.

Legal reference: I.C. § 33-603 Payment of Fees or Returning of Property

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