

Conduct on School Property

Visitors are welcome on school property provided their presence will not be disruptive. All visitors must initially report to the building principal's office. Any person wishing to confer with a staff member must contact that staff member by telephone to make an appointment. Conferences with teachers are held outside school hours or during the teacher's conference/preparation period.

The District expects mutual respect, civility and orderly conduct among all individuals on school property or at a school event. No person on school property or at a school event shall:

1. Injure, threaten, harass or intimidate a staff member, a school board member, sports official or coach, or any other person;
2. Damage or threaten to damage another's property;
3. Damage or deface District property;
4. Violate any Idaho law, or town or county ordinance;
5. Smoke or otherwise use tobacco products;
6. Consume, possess, distribute or be under the influence of alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs, or possess dangerous devices or weapons;
7. Impede, delay, disrupt or otherwise interfere with any school activity or function (including using cellular phones in a disruptive manner);
8. Enter upon any portion of school premises at any time for purposes other than those that are lawful and authorized by the school board;
9. Operate a motor vehicle: (a) in a risky manner, (b) in excess of 20 miles per hour, or (c) in violation of an authorized District employee's directive;
10. Engage in any risky behavior, including rollerblading, roller skating or skateboarding; or
11. Violate other District policies or regulations, or an authorized District employee's directive.

"School property" means within school buildings, in vehicles used for school purposes, or on owned or leased school grounds. As circumstances warrant, appropriate action will be taken by the District's administrators.

"School grounds" means on the property of or in a public or private elementary school or secondary school.

"Dangerous or deadly weapon" means a weapon, device, instrument, substance or material that is used for or capable of causing serious bodily injury or death.

“Firearm” means any weapon, whether loaded or unloaded, that a shot, projectile or other object may be discharged by force of explosion, combustion, gas and/or mechanical means, regardless if such weapon is operable.

Cross Reference: 3295 Hazing, Harassment, Intimidation, Bullying, Menacing
 3330 Student Discipline
 4320 Disruption of School Operations

Legal Reference: 20 U.S.C. § 6081 Pro-Children Act of 1994
 I.C. § 18-3302I Threatening Violence on School Grounds
 I.C. § 33-205 Denial of school attendance
 I.C. § 33-512 Maintenance of schools
 I.C. § 39-5503 Prohibitions – Exceptions

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