

## Title: Use of Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drugs

### Control Information

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# 1. Alcohol, Tobacco, and Drug Policy

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## 1.1. Objective:

The objective of this policy is the following

1. Define purpose for alcohol, tobacco, and drug policy.
2. Define rules pertaining to alcohol, tobacco, and drug use.
3. Define procedures for policy violation.

## 1.2. Purpose for alcohol, tobacco, and drug policy

The Board recognizes its responsibility to promote the health, welfare and safety of students, staff and others on school property and at school-sponsored activities. In light of scientific evidence that use of tobacco, alcohol, and drugs are hazardous to the health, and to be consistent with Oregon law, it is the intent of the Board to establish a tobacco, alcohol, and drug-free environment.

## 1.3. Rules pertaining to use

Student substance abuse, possession, use, distribution or sale of tobacco, alcohol or unlawful drugs, including paraphernalia or any substance purported to be an unlawful drug, on or near school grounds or while participating in school-sponsored activities is prohibited and will result in disciplinary action.

Clothing, bags, hats and other personal items used to display, promote or advertise tobacco, alcohol, or unlawful drugs are prohibited on school grounds, at school-sponsored activities, and in school vehicles and/or any vehicle used for school sponsored events.

## 1.4. Procedures for policy violation

If possession, use, distribution, or sale occurred near school grounds disciplinary action will include removal from any or all extracurricular activities and/or denial or forfeiture of any school honors or privileges. If possession, use, distribution, or sale occurred on school grounds, at school-sponsored activities, or otherwise while the student was under the jurisdiction of the school, students will be subject to discipline up to and including expulsion. Denial and/or removal from any or all extracurricular activities and/or forfeiture of any school honors or privileges may also be imposed. A student shall be referred to law enforcement officials. Parents will be notified of all violations involving their student and subsequent action taken by the school.

A referral to community resources and/or cessation programs to help the student overcome tobacco, alcohol, or unlawful drug use may also be made. The cost of such programs is the individual responsibility of the parent and the private health care system.

Staff violations of this policy will lead to disciplinary action up to and including dismissal. Violations by others will result in appropriate sanctions as determined and imposed by the Executive Director or Board.

Any person under age 18 possessing a tobacco product commits a Class D violation and is subject to a court imposed fine up to \$100, as provided by ORS 167.400

Any person who distributes, sells, or causes to be sold, tobacco, alcohol, or drugs in any form or paraphernalia device, to a person under 18 years of age commits a Class A violation and is subject to a court-imposed fine of not less than \$100 and not exceeding \$600, as provided by ORS 163.575

END OF POLICY

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Legal Reference(s):

ORS 163.575 (1)(d),(e)  
ORS 332.107  
ORS 336.222  
ORS 336.227  
ORS 339.240  
ORS 339.250  
ORS 431.840