

## MIDDLETON-CROSS PLAINS AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

### Administrative Policy and Procedure Manual

443.3

#### STUDENT ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUG ABUSE

##### Policy

No student shall possess, use, sell, distribute or be under the influence of alcohol and/or other drugs not medically prescribed while on District property, in a motor vehicle owned or used by the District, or participating in a school-sponsored activity on or off school grounds. The possession, use or distribution of drug paraphernalia shall also be prohibited. Students shall be held accountable for their behavior and shall be disciplined accordingly if they violate provisions of this policy.

A student may be required to submit to a breath or other standard assessment test to determine the presence of alcohol or other drugs if a designated school official or law enforcement officer has reasonable suspicion that the student is under the influence of alcohol in violation of this policy. Such test shall be administered by a law enforcement officer or trained school district employee and shall meet state law requirements. A student may be disciplined for refusing to submit to such test.

The District recognizes that alcohol and other drug abuse (AODA) by a student, his/her family members and/or other significant persons in the student's life may have an adverse effect on the student's attitude, behavior, learning and/or general health. It may even lead to the illness of chemical dependency or co-dependency. Since early intervention and, whenever possible, prevention is deemed best, the District shall offer an AODA program that provides for prevention, intervention and promotion of a drug-free lifestyle. Specifically, the District will:

1. Identify students who are affected in some way by their own or others alcohol and other drug use and get them appropriate help within the District or the community. In dealing with AODA related concerns, the District's primary educational intent is to be helpful, not judgmental.
2. Work with students and provide them with direction and support for growth and responsible behavior.
3. Cooperate with parents/guardians and community agencies whenever possible to expedite appropriate AODA referrals.
4. Strive to make the school environment sensitive to the needs of students with AODA concerns.
5. Annually inform students and their parents/guardians of this policy and its implementing procedures.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 118.01(2)(d) Wisconsin Statutes  
118.126  
118.127  
118.257  
118.45  
120.13(1)  
125.02(8)(m)  
125.09(2)  
938.396

Chapter 961  
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

CROSS REF.: 333, Parent Rights and Access to the Curriculum and Instructional Materials  
343.7, Student Surveys  
347, Student Records  
364, Counseling Program  
364.1, Parent Notification/Permission for Pupil Services Activities  
443, Student Conduct and Discipline  
443.5, Student Use and/or Possession of Two-Way Communication Devices  
445, Student Involvement with Law Enforcement Personnel at School  
446, Student Searches  
446.1, Locker Searches  
447.1, Corporal Punishment/Use of Physical Force by Staff  
447.3, Student Suspension/Expulsion  
453.1, Emergency Nursing Services  
453.4, Medication Administration to Students  
Student Code of Conduct  
Athletic/Activities Code Handbook

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