

PRESENCE ON SCHOOL PREMISES

The Board believes it has a duty to protect persons enjoying school activities and programs and using district sites and facilities from those whose actions the Board deems improper. Therefore, it shall be the policy of the West Salem Board of Education that while a person is on properties owned, leased, rented or temporarily utilized by the district, he/she shall not:

1. Distribute, consume or otherwise use or collaborate with any other person to distribute, consume or otherwise use alcoholic beverages or controlled substances, except as approved by the Board in writing.
2. Use profane, abusive or defamatory language, issue threats, commit violent acts or commit acts which are potentially harmful, disruptive or destructive.
3. Injure or threaten to injure the person of another.
4. Damage property of another or of the district.
5. Enter upon any portion of school premises at any time for purposes other than those that are lawful and/or authorized by the Board.
6. Violate other rules and regulations adopted by the Board or administration designed to maintain public order on school property.

Any person involved in any of the above acts or in any acts that have or may have the potential for disturbing or disrupting an activity in any way shall be advised by supervisory personnel to cease and desist from such acts. Refusal to cooperate with the instructions of supervisory personnel shall constitute grounds for immediate removal from the premises. The assistance of law enforcement officials may be sought in those instances where an individual(s) refuses to comply with this policy or with other reasonable requests consistent with its intent.

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