

1 Maintaining drug free schools is important for establishing an appropriate
2 learning environment for students of the district. The district shall provide a drug
3 and alcohol abuse prevention program to all students. (See IDAB)

4 The unlawful manufacturing, sale, distribution, dispensing, possession or use
5 of alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs, or controlled substances by students on
6 school premises or at any school activity is prohibited. Further, presence on school
7 premises or at any school activity **by students who have** ~~having~~ consumed alcoholic
8 beverages or illegal drugs at any other place ~~and~~ which are detected while on
9 school premises or at any school activity is prohibited use. ~~This policy is intended~~
10 ~~to meet the requirements of the Drug Free Schools and Communities Act, P.L. 102-~~
11 ~~226, 103 St. 1928. Other legal penalties may apply.~~

12 Student Conduct

13 As a condition of continued enrollment in the district, students shall abide by
14 the terms of this policy. Any student violating the terms of this policy shall be re-
15 ported to the appropriate law enforcement officials, except as limited by Policy
16 JCABBC, and shall be subject to the sanctions set forth in this policy, or subject to
17 the sanctions under the Special Procedures provisions of Policy JCABBC when ap-
18 plicable. If the Special Procedures of JCABBC are applicable, the sanctions shall be
19 limited to those set forth under such Special Procedures.

20 Sanctions For Students Under the Influence of Alcohol, Illegal Drugs, or
21 Non-Prescribed Controlled Substances-

22 1. First Offense:

- 23 a. Three day suspension or one day suspension with the condition of
24 an alcohol/drug assessment by a mental health practitioner licensed by
25 the Kansas Behavioral Sciences Regulatory Board (KBSRB).

1 2. Second Offense:

2 a. Five day suspension, or three day suspension with the condition of
3 an alcohol/drug assessment by a mental health practitioner licensed
4 by the KBSRB.

5 3. Third and Subsequent Offenses:

6 a. Ten day suspension and referral for a long term suspension hearing.

7 Sanctions for Possession of Alcohol, Illegal Drugs, or Non-Prescribed

8 Controlled Substances-

9 1. First Offense:

10 a. Alcohol: The student will be suspended for five days.

11 b. Illegal Drugs or Controlled Substances: The student will be suspended
12 for five days on condition of completion of a drug and alcohol assess-
13 ment or will be suspended for ten days and referred
14 to the Superintendent for long term suspension or expulsion.

15 2. Second Offense (pertains to alcohol, illegal drugs, or controlled sub-
16 stances): The student will be suspended from school for ten days and will be
17 referred to the Superintendent for long term suspension or expulsion.

18 Sanctions For Manufacturing, Selling, Distributing, or Dispensing of

19 Alcohol, Illegal Drugs, or Controlled Substances

20 1. First Offense: The student will be suspended from school for ten days and
21 will be referred to the Superintendent for long term suspension or expul-
22 sion.

23 Suspension Procedures

24 Students who are suspended or recommended for expulsion under the terms of
25 this policy will be afforded the due process rights contained in board policies

1 and Kansas statutes, K.S.A. 72-8901, et seq. Nothing in this policy is intended to
2 diminish the ability of the district to take other disciplinary action against the
3 student in accordance with other codes of conduct governing student discipline.

4 A student who is on long term suspension from school under the terms of this
5 policy may be readmitted on probation at the discretion of the Superin-
6 tendent during the term of the long term suspension if the student has complied
7 with all conditions made as part of the long term suspension including participation
8 in any required or approved drug and alcohol treatment program.

9 Alcohol and Drug Assessments Requirement

10 USD 497 will not assume any cost incurred. Completion of the assessment
11 must be verified in writing by the practitioner to the school district in order for the
12 suspension to be reduced as per this policy. The district does not assume liability
13 for any costs of inpatient or outpatient treatment resulting from such assessment.

14 The clerk of the board shall maintain a list of mental health practitioners li-
15 censed by the KBSRB who specialize in addictions and a list of local drug
16 and alcohol treatment programs with the names and addresses of contact persons.
17 Parents or students should contact the directors of the programs to determine the
18 cost and length of the program.

19 Procedures for administration of this policy shall be published in student
20 handbooks.

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