

JICE - STUDENT PUBLICATIONS

School-sponsored student publications, such as annual yearbooks, student newspapers, and Internet web-sites, may be authorized by the Board. All such publications will conform to rules established by the Superintendent and the School Principal. Any publication not approved by the Board will not be considered a school publication, and it shall not be distributed on school property. Further, school district resources shall not be used for the production, printing, posting, or assembly of any non-approved publication.

All school publications will be under the supervision of the School Principal or his/her designee. The School Principal or his/her designee has the right to limit or edit the contents of any school publication. It is the assumption that there will be nothing published in student publications that is libelous, slanderous, obscene, infringes on copyrighted materials, advocates illegal activities, or otherwise may cause substantial disruption to the school. Student publications are subject to all school regulations and School Board policies, the School Principal or his/her designee will review all school-sponsored publications before they are printed, posted, or distributed to ensure the publication conforms to these standards. Words, clothing, props (including but not limited to display of firearms, other weapons, drugs, tobacco, or alcohol), and gestures, etc. that are not appropriate in school are not appropriate to be included in student publications.

All revenues raised from the sale of these publications must be used to meet publication expense. Surplus funds must be contributed to student activities and deposited in the student activity fund for such purpose.

Statutory/Regulatory/Policy/Handbook Cross References

Handbook (Referenced in Handbooks)

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