

<b>MARION SCHOOL DISTRICT 60-3</b>	<b>NEPN Code: IGDB</b>
<b>INSTRUCTION POLICIES</b>	

## **PARTICIPATION OF STUDENTS IN EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

The School Board maintains membership in the South Dakota High School Activities Association (SDHSAA). The conduct of interscholastic athletic programs, the rules, regulations, and limitations outlined by the activities association will be followed.

The School Board has the final say as to whether or not alternative school students may participate in extra curricular activities as outlined in the by-laws of the SDHSAA.

Students participating in co-curricular activities at the Marion Public School District must meet the following criteria:

1. Be enrolled in an age and ability appropriate course of study approved by the school's administration and taught by an individual certified according to the South Dakota teaching standards. The student must be supervised by the Marion School District administration.
2. Students must regularly attend classes from 8:10am to 3:10pm on days that school is in session as determined by the school calendar.
3. Attendance shall be in a facility approved by the school administration and verified by a school employee. A school administrator must approve absences and exemptions.
4. Students must meet the academic performance standards for activity participation as set by the Marion School District and monitored by the school administration.
5. The students must meet and follow all guidelines directed by the Marion School District Activities and Athletic Handbook.
6. The students must have satisfactorily completed an annual physical examination to participate on any athletic team.
7. Students must comply with all the rules and policies set by the SDHSAA.

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