

INTERVIEW OF STUDENTS BY OUTSIDE AGENCIES

When persons from any outside agency, including, but not limited to, Strategic Risk Solutions, Law Enforcement Personnel, or any other entity, wish to interview students at school on matters other than school related, the following guidelines will be observed unless otherwise specifically provided for by law:

1. The student will be informed that the interviewer conversation does not have to take place on school property. If the conversation is to take place on school property, the student will be informed that:
 - a) in the case of a minor, the parent or guardian of the student will be contacted and if desired by the student or parent/guardian, may be present unless otherwise provided by law;
 - b) if the student is not a minor, that student's parents/guardians will be contacted and may be present unless otherwise provided by law, if the student so desires.
 - c) In both instances (a.) and (b.), the student will be advised that if the student and/or the student's parent's (when contacted) desires, an administrator or faculty member will be present during the conversation or interview unless otherwise specifically provided by law.
2. If a student wishes to speak to the official at home, the student will be given a choice as to whether transportation will be provided by the official, a school person designated by the administration, or by a parent/guardian. If the student is a minor, the student will not be allowed to leave the school premises without a parents/guardian's knowledge and consent.
3. It will be made clear to the student that conversations or interviews held on school property are strictly voluntary and that the student is not compelled to be interviewed on school property, unless otherwise specifically provided by law.

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Slate Valley Unified Union School District