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## SAFETY PROGRAM

Accidents are undesirable, unplanned occurrences that may result in tragic consequences. It will be the policy of the Board to guard against such occurrences by taking every reasonable precaution to protect the safety of all students, employees, visitors, and others present on district property or at school-sponsored events.

The Board will comply with safety requirements established by governmental authorities and will insist that its staff adhere to recommended safety practices as these pertain, for example, to the school plant, specific areas of instruction, student transportation, school sports, and occupational safety.

The Superintendent will have overall responsibility for the safety program of the district. General areas of emphasis will included, but not be limited to: in-service training; accident record keeping; plant inspection; driver and vehicle safety programs; fire prevention; and emergency procedures relevant to students, employees, and the community.

Each principal will be responsible for the supervision of a safety program for his or her school.

Efforts directed toward the prevention of accidents will succeed only to the degree that all staff members and students recognize that preventing accidents is a daily operational responsibility.

Legal References:

Cross References:

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