

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WAUPACA

SERIES 400 STUDENTS

CODE: 443.4

STUDENT ALCOHOL, OTHER DRUG, AND TOBACCO POLICY

No student of the School District of Waupaca shall possess, use, distribute, or be under the influence of alcohol, controlled substances, or any other mood altering chemicals while on school property or during school-sponsored activities. The possession, use, or distribution of drug paraphernalia, look-alike drugs, non-alcoholic beer/beverages, or any substance misrepresented as alcohol or mood-altering drug is also prohibited on school property and during school-sponsored activities.

A student may be required to submit to a breath test to determine the presence of alcohol if a school official or law enforcement officer has reasonable suspicion the student is under the influence of alcohol. Violation of this policy or refusal to submit to a required breath test for the presence of alcohol will result in disciplinary action.

Any student who violates this policy shall be subject to disciplinary action. Students expelled or on a Voluntary Withdrawal for drug related incidents may be required to submit to intermittent drug testing as a condition of early reinstatement if the school official orders such testing. The testing would occur through the term of the expulsion order or the term of the voluntary withdrawal.

Students who violate this policy may also be subject to drug testing if the parents, student and district agree in writing. This agreement will include a specific protocol including the timeline for when testing will be discontinued.

Use of prescription or over-the-counter medication in compliance with Policy Code 453.4 (Administering Medication to Students) shall not be considered a violation of this policy. Secondary distribution of any prescribed drug on school property or during school sponsored activities is prohibited.

Smoking and the use or possession of other tobacco or nicotine products by students is also prohibited on all school property as stated in Board Policy 831 (Use of Tobacco/Nicotine Products on School Premises). This prohibition includes electronic vaping devices whether or not they contain nicotine.

This policy shall be published annually and distributed to all students of the District via their Agenda Books. In addition, students shall be counseled on the dangers of alcohol and other drug abuse; any available drug counseling, rehabilitation, and student assistance programs; and the consequences that may be imposed upon students for drug violations occurring at school and school related activities.

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LEGAL REFERENCE:

CONTRACT REFERENCE:

CROSS REFERENCE:

The School District of Waupaca does not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability.