

The Vanguard School

POLICY: Vanguard IGD – Extracurricular and Interscholastic Programs

POLICY ADOPTED: 12-13-16

Extracurricular activities are an integral part of school life and require as much careful planning and supervision as the academic subjects. However, care must be taken that these activities do not take precedence in importance over the subject matter areas but remain in the position of supplementing the actual courses of study.

The Board supports the concept that a wide variety of extracurricular activities should be made available to students. Such activities shall be conducted in accordance with the following guidelines:

1. The school will strive to have a sufficient variety and number to meet the wide range of interests of pupils.
2. Most activities shall be an outgrowth of curriculum activities.
3. All participation shall be voluntary.
4. The goal for each child shall be a balanced program of academic studies and extracurricular activities.
5. All activities shall be supervised. All clubs and groups shall have a faculty adviser.
6. Non-exempt employees of the district may not serve as an extracurricular activity supervisor or advisor. Exceptions may be requested through the Human Resources department.

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