

Policy #: 371

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF WEBSTER

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Policy Title: Student Organizations

All organizations and activities sponsored by the School District shall:

- A. Provide educational opportunities for additional teaching and learning; and
- B. Meet the basic educational criteria established by the professional and administration staff.

Any organization or activity that does not meet the educational objectives and philosophy of the school system shall be suspended upon recommendation of the administration.

All full time students within each building are eligible to participate in student organizations and activities of that building. Minimum eligibility requirements will be established for organizations or activities by the Building Principal with School Board approval.

The Board encourages the full participation of elementary and middle school (K-8) students in available co-curricular and recreational programs and activities that are offered by and through the District. For purposes of this Board policy, "full participation" means fair and equitable participation opportunities (1) in a manner consistent with applicable nondiscrimination requirements, and (2) to the extent that the budget, facilities, or type of activity allows. The building principals and their designees in the District's K-8 buildings are responsible for informing students and parents and guardians of the co-curricular and recreational activities that are available at the relevant grade levels and for implementing registration and scheduling processes in a manner that gives due regard for the goal of full participation.

It is the policy of the School District of Webster that no person may be denied admission to any public school in this district or be denied participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be discriminated against in any curricular, extra-curricular, pupil service, recreational or other program or activity because of the person's sex, race, color, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, or physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability or handicap as required by s. 118.13 Wis. Stats. This policy also prohibits discrimination as defined by Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (sex), Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (race, color, and national origin), and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (disability), and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990.

The district encourages informal resolution of complaints under this policy. A formal complaint resolution procedure is available. However, to address allegations of violations of the policy in the School District of Webster.

Any questions concerning this policy should be directed to:

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Cross Reference:

Legal Reference: