

Student Use of Buildings – Equal Access

Student groups or clubs that are not school sponsored are granted free use of school premises for a meeting or series of meetings under the following conditions:

1. The meeting is held during those non-instructional times identified by the Superintendent or designee for non-curricular student groups, clubs, or organizations to meet. *Non-instructional time* means time set aside by the school before actual classroom instruction begins or after actual classroom instruction ends. *Non-curricular student groups* are those student groups, clubs, or organizations that do not directly relate to the curriculum.
2. All non-curriculum related student groups that are not District sponsored receive substantially the same treatment.
3. The meeting is student-initiated, meaning that the request is made by a student.
4. Attendance at the meeting is voluntary.
5. The school will not sponsor the meeting.
6. The meeting and/or any activities during the meeting do not materially or substantially interfere with the orderly conduct of educational activities.
7. Non-school persons do not direct, conduct, control, or regularly attend the meetings.
8. The school retains its authority to maintain order and discipline.
9. A school staff member or approved adult volunteer is present in a supervisory, non-participatory capacity.
10. The Superintendent or designee approves the meeting or series of meetings.

The Superintendent or designee shall develop administrative procedures to implement this policy.

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