

Assurances

Drug and Alcohol Free Schools

Pursuant to requirements of the 1989 amendments of the Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act, pursuant to the requirements of the Safe Schools Act, pursuant to the requirements of the Child Nutrition and WIC Reauthorization Act of 2004, and for the purpose of preventing the use of illicit drugs and alcohol by students, the District will provide age-appropriate, developmentally based drug and alcohol education and prevention programs to all students in all grades from early childhood through senior high school.

Such programs will address the legal, social and health consequences of drug and alcohol use, and provide information about effective techniques for resisting peer pressure to use illicit drugs or alcohol.

The District will provide information about any drug and alcohol counseling and rehabilitation and re-entry programs that are available to students. Students may be required to participate in such programs in order to avoid suspension or expulsion if they are found to be in violation of this policy. All parents and students will be provided with a copy of this policy annually.

The District certifies that it has adopted and implemented the drug and alcohol prevention programs described in this policy in the form required by the Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education and the United States Department of Education. The District conducts required review of the programs to determine its effectiveness, to implement necessary changes and to ensure that the disciplinary sanctions are consistently enforced.

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