

Students

School-Sponsored Events and Extracurricular Activities

The school program includes many extracurricular activities and programs such as music and dramatic productions, the athletic program, clubs, and so on. It includes as well a variety of school-sponsored events such as dances, games, awards, and graduation ceremonies, plays, and concerts.

These programs are an integral and important part of the student’s education, and students are encouraged to take part in them. The student’s first responsibility, however, is to his/her academic studies. Extracurricular activities must not be allowed to absorb the student’s time and attention to the detriment of his/her academic program.

Participation in school-sponsored events and extracurricular activities requires that students follow the standards set in Board Policy 5131.0, Student Conduct. Administrative Regulation 6145.0 defines extracurricular and cocurricular activities and specifies the eligibility requirements to participate in them.

Restrictions

Each school may establish minimum academic and behavioral standards to be maintained by students wishing to participate in extracurricular activities or attend school-sponsored events, and procedures for ensuring maintenance of the standards.