



*"Inspire learners, Integrate sustainability,
Involve community"*

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 64

PROCEDURE 3100 Intoxicating and Controlled Substances

Section: Health and Safety

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1. Schools will, in cooperation with community agencies, deliver programming that:
 - a. emphasizes prevention and promotes healthy living;
 - b. educates students as to the risks associated with use and abuse of alcohol, tobacco and other mood-altering substances; and where violation of this policy occurs
 - i. take disciplinary action that emphasises education and support rather than punishment
 - ii. provide or arrange for counselling support
2. Persons under the influence of intoxicating, banned or controlled substances identified by Canada's Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Canada's Tobacco Act, and British Columbia's Liquor Control and Licensing Act and/or using, marketing or distributing intoxicating, banned or controlled substances are not allowed on school premises or at any school-sponsored event.
3. A student who is under the influence of, or using, an intoxicating or controlled substance during school hours or at a school-sponsored event is in violation of his/her school's code of conduct and subject to disciplinary procedures, in accordance with Policy and Procedure 400.
4. Any person who is using, marketing or distributing an intoxicating or controlled substance at school or at school-sponsored events will be subject to a wide range of disciplinary actions, including search and seizure and the possibility of criminal charges being laid.
5. Because school lockers are district property, the Principal, Vice Principal or board-approved designate may conduct random locker searches to ensure compliance with school board policy regarding intoxicating or controlled substances.
6. The board's policy statement and disciplinary procedures on intoxicating or controlled substances will be communicated to students and parents at the beginning of each school year.
7. There will be no consumption of alcohol upon properties owned or operated by the Board, unless a special use permit is issued by the board. Permits will:

- a. not be issued for any district or school-specific fundraising events;
 - b. allow the consumption of alcohol on school district properties at community events;
 - c. ensure that consumption of alcoholic shall occur in accordance with conditions specified in the Agreement for the Use of School Facilities issued by the school district.
8. Users requesting a permit must:
- a. submit a request in writing to the Board of Education at least 60 days prior to the event, to facilitate discussion and possible approval at a Board of Education meeting;
 - b. ensure the safety of and care for school district personnel and property and the maintenance of order, consistent with Policy and Procedure 203;
 - c. demonstrate planning for the security and control of the function with a named person responsible, consistent with Policy and Procedure 685;
 - d. that all restrictions expressed and implied by the British Columbia Government Liquor Control and Licensing Act are enforced;
 - e. that Special Occasion Licenses are issued under the Liquor Control and Licensing Act, to authorize the selling or serving of liquor at the place designated in the license;
 - f. that a minimum \$3,000,000 third party liability insurance is in place;
 - g. that these, and any other rental agreement terms, as specified by the Board, are agreed to.
9. The school district assumes no expressed, implied, or intended liability for groups who dispense alcohol.

References:

- Government of Canada, Controlled Drugs and Substances Act (S.C. 1996, c. 19)
- Government of Canada, The Tobacco Act
- Government of British Columbia, Liquor Control and Licensing Act
- Policies and Procedures 203, 305/3054, 400, 685