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8410 - ~~SCHOOL SAFETY AND CRISIS INTERVENTION~~

The Board ~~of Education~~ is committed to maintaining a safe school environment. The Board believes that school crime and violence are multifaceted problems that need to be addressed in a manner that utilizes the best resources and coordinated efforts of District personnel, law enforcement agencies, and families. The Board further believes that administrators and local law enforcement officials must work together to provide for the safety and welfare of students while they are at school or a school-sponsored activity or while enroute to or from school, or a school-sponsored activity. The Board also believes that the first step in addressing school crime and violence is to assess the extent and nature of the problem(s) or threat, and then plan and implement strategies that promote school safety and minimize the likelihood of school crime and violence.

The Superintendent shall ~~develop~~ promulgate guidelines as appropriate to assist in ~~for responding to a crisis situation, developing school safety plans, and~~ providing effective intervention for students who may show warning signs that relate to violence or other threatening behaviors.

The District shall develop and the Board shall approve a school safety plan consistent with Policy 8420 - School Safety.

~~A school safety plan will be developed for each school in the District and approved by the Board. Each school's plan will be reviewed no less than every three (3) years and resubmitted to the Board for approval.~~

Persistently Dangerous Schools

The Board recognizes that State and Federal law requires that the District report annually incidents that meet the statutory definition of violent criminal offenses that occur in a school, on school grounds, on a school conveyance, or at a school-sponsored activity. It is further understood that the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction will then use this data to determine whether or not a school is considered "persistently dangerous" as defined by State policy.

Pursuant to the Board's stated intent to provide a safe school environment, the school administrators are expected to respond appropriately to any and all violations of written student conduct, especially those of a serious, violent nature.

Victims of Violent Crime

The Board further recognizes that, despite the diligent efforts of school administrators and staff to provide a safe school environment, an individual student may be a victim of a violent crime in a school, on school grounds, on a school conveyance, or at a school-sponsored activity. In accordance with Federal and State law the parents of the eligible student shall have the choice options provided by Policy 5113.02.

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Legal	Title IX, Section 9532 of the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 118.07(4)(a)-(d) Wis. Stat.
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