

Unity School District

Administrative Rule 375.1

Student Participation in National and International Competitions

2/12/2019

Competitive activities through which students learn and receive recognition contribute to the overall excellence of the educational experience. The opportunity for international and national competition is encouraged and supported with the following conditions and limitations:

1. The competition is a logical extension of, and related to, a school-sponsored and approved academic course or co-curricular/extra-curricular activity.
2. The competitions is sponsored or approved by the Department of Public Instruction, National Association of Secondary School Principals, WIAA, or other recognized education agency.
3. Students must competitively qualify to be eligible for participation.
4. The competition has received prior approval from the building principal.
5. Appropriate and adequate supervision of students by school district staff can be assured.
6. The group cost of student participation in international or national competitions will be partially offset with district funds not to exceed 50% of the total cost or up to a maximum of \$5,000.00.
7. The expenses of school personnel accompanying students to competitions will be fully funded through the district budget for international and national competitions. Additional salary will not be provided.
8. Students, service clubs, foundations, grants, or other outside sources may be used to supplement the funds for international or national competitions.