

1 **Browning Public Schools**

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3 **Policy # 6001**

4 **Policy Name:** *Visitors to Schools*

5 **Regulation:**

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7 The District welcomes visits by parents and citizens to all District buildings. All visitors shall report to
8 the principal’s office [school building office] on entering any District building and comply with any other
9 applicable school safety and security policy, procedure, or protocol. School visitors shall not interfere
10 with school operations or delivery of educational services to students. Conferences with teachers should
11 be held outside school hours or during the teacher’s conference or preparation time.

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13 Any person, including an adult, who behaves in an unsportsmanlike or inappropriate manner during a
14 visit to the school or a school event may be ejected from the event and/or denied permission to access
15 school buildings or property or school events as determined by the Board of Trustees. Examples of
16 unsportsmanlike or inappropriate conduct include but are not limited to:

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18 • Using vulgar or obscene language or gestures;
19 • Possessing or being under the influence of any alcoholic beverage;
20 • Possessing or consuming any illegal substance or marijuana;
21 • Possessing a weapon or firearm in violation of Policy 4332;
22 • Fighting or otherwise striking or threatening another person;
23 • Failing to obey instructions of a security officer or District employee; and
24 • Engaging in any illegal or disruptive activity.
25 • Other violations of District Policy.

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27 The Superintendent is authorized to temporarily restrict access to school buildings or property and
28 recommend to the Board of Trustees denial of future admission to any person by delivering or mailing a
29 notice by certified mail with return receipt requested, containing:

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31 1. Date, time, and place of a Board hearing;
32 2. Description of the unsportsmanlike conduct; and
33 3. Proposed time period admission to school buildings or property or school events will be denied.

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35 **Cross Reference:** 4301 Visitors to School
36 4332 Conduct on School Property

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38 **Legal Reference:** § 20-1-206, MCA Disturbance of school – penalty
39 § 20-4-303, MCA Abuse of teachers
40 § 45-8-101, MCA Disorderly conduct
41 § 45-8-351, MCA Restriction on Local Government Regulation of Firearms
42 Article X, section 8 Montana Constitution
43 Initiative 190 – “Montana Marijuana Regulation and Taxation Act.” January 1, 2021
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45 **Policy History:**

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48 Revised on: