

MEETING DATE: April 18, 2016

AGENDA ITEM: FM(LOCAL) Student Activities – Action Item

PRESENTER: Kathy Allen

ALIGNS TO BOARD PRIORITIES(S):

• Learning – The District shall provide an aligned, rigorous curriculum, preparing students to meet or exceed educational standards.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Aledo ISD's current practice is that students are not allowed to be enrolled in private school or homeschool and concurrently enroll in Aledo ISD for the purpose of participating in curricular or extracurricular activities.
- Administration is seeking to formalize district practice by amending FD(LOCAL).

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATIONS: Approve FD(LOCAL) as written and presented.

FISCAL NOTE: None

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS: Administration recommends the approval of FD(LOCAL) as written by TASB and presented by administration.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

FM (LOCAL)

PROPOSED REVISIONS

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY ABSENCES

The District shall make no distinction between absences for UIL activities and absences for other extracurricular activities approved by the Board. A student shall be allowed in a school year a maximum of ten extracurricular absences not related to post-district competition, a maximum of five absences for post-district competition prior to state, and a maximum of two absences for state competition.

In addition, the District shall permit students to be absent for competitions and performances sponsored by organizations approved by the Board, with a maximum of four absences in a school year for such purposes; however, the principal shall approve the additional absences only when the student has a grade average of 70 in all core academic classes and a 90 percent attendance rate for all classes.

[For eligibility of a private school student, including a homeschool student, to participate in extracurricular activities, see FD(LOCAL).]

USE OF DISTRICT FACILITIES

School-sponsored student groups may use District facilities with prior approval of the appropriate administrator. Other student groups may use District facilities in accordance with policy FNAB.