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.

Eligibility to
Participate in
Extracurricular
Activities for
Secondary Student

As provided by law, a student shall be suspended from participation in any extracurricular activity sponsored or sanctioned by the District or UIL after a grade evaluation period in which the student received a grade lower than the equivalent of 70 on a scale of 100 in any academic class identified under an exception.

A student shall not participate in extracurricular activities for three weeks if he or she receives, at the end of any grading period after the first six weeks of the school year other than an identified course eligible for an exception:

Exempt courses (weighted credit courses allowable by UIL).

[See FM(REGULATION) and FM(EXHIBIT)]

A student with disabilities who fails to meet the standards in his or her individualized education program (IEP) may not participate in extracurricular activities for three school weeks.

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

Parental Consent

Before an elementary or secondary student may attend a meeting or activity of a District-sponsored cocurricular or extracurricular organization, a signed consent from the parent or guardian must be on file. The consent shall be submitted to and kept on file by the organization sponsor. If a student participates without having proper consent, the student shall lose the privilege to attend the group's meetings or activities for six weeks.

Before an elementary or secondary student may attend a meeting or activity of any nonschool organization that meets at school once school is dismissed for the day, a signed consent from the parent or guardian must be on file with the organization sponsor or adult in charge of the meeting or activity. Failure to have a proper consent for each student may result in the organization's loss of building use privileges under GKD(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.