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The Board of Trustees is charged with providing a "general, uniform and through system of public, free common schools." Student fees will only be assessed as allowed by law.

CLASS FEES

Where a class is offered as part of the regular academic courses of this district, it will be offered without charge. Students may be required to provide their own consumables and may be charged for extraordinary wear and tear, damage, breakage, or loss of school-issued materials.

The administration may establish guidelines identifying when student fees may be charged as provided by law.

IDAHO DIGITAL LEARNING ACADEMY FEES

The district will pay the course fee for each student enrolled in Idaho Digital Learning Academy (IDLA) courses, if the course is part of the student's full-time enrollment. The district may require a student to pay a course fee if a student enrolls in additional courses beyond full-time enrollment, or a student elects to participate in summer school courses.

The district will hold students/parents responsible for any fees charged by colleges or universities to receive college credit for dual credit courses. Additionally, the district will hold students/parents responsible for any fees that may be charged by the College Board to take an advanced placement exam. In the event advanced placement and dual credit courses require additional textbooks and/or course materials, the student/parent may be responsible for payment for those additional textbooks and/or course materials. The District will work with in the guidelines IC 33-4601 relating to Advanced Opportunities.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Extracurricular activities are outside of or in addition to the regular academic courses or curriculum of this district. Extracurricular activities are a privilege and are not considered a property, liberty or contract right of any student, and are not deemed a necessary element of a public school education. Students may be charged for extracurricular activities in which they voluntarily participate.

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LEGAL REFERENCE:

Idaho Code Section 33-302 – Classification of school districts

Idaho Code Section 33-512(12) – Governance of Schools

Idaho Code Section 33-603 – Payment of fees or returning of property

Idaho Code Section 33-5505(3) – Definitions

SECTION 600: EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS

Idaho Code Section 33-5508 – Funding

IDLA Fees Policy Statement

Paulson v. Minidoka Cnty. Sch. Dist. No. 331, 93 Idaho 469, 463 P.2d 935 (1970)

Joki v. The State of Idaho, et al., Case No. CV OC 2012 17745 (4th District, 11/17/15)

Idaho Constitution, Art. 9, Sec. 1

1985 State of Idaho: Guidelines for Charges of Student Fees

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