

MONONA GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Policy 443.4

**Student Drug and Alcohol Use**

The Board recognizes that drug and alcohol use/abuse are existing problems within U.S. schools of the nation. The Board recognizes that alcohol and drug use/abuse is a problem that must be addressed. The Monona Grove School District becomes concerned when an individual student's behavior endangers the property, health, or safety of others on or off school grounds, or during a school-related activity.

1. No student shall possess, distribute, sell, ingest, use or be under the influence of alcohol or drugs or possession of drug paraphernalia while on the school property, while under the supervision of a school authority or while involved in any school-related activity. Prescription medications are to be construed as exceptions to this policy when used by the individual for whom they were prescribed and in the manner and amount prescribed.
2. A student shall be required to submit to a breath test to determine the presence of alcohol or a urine screening test to determine the presence of drugs if the student denies being under the influence of alcohol or drugs and no immediate mitigating evidence is provided to reduce suspicion. The authorized employee must use a breath-screening device approved by the Department of Transportation for the purposes of determining the presence of alcohol on a student's breath.
3. If a chaperone at a school sponsored event suspects that a student is under the influence of alcohol or drugs, he/she shall immediately notify the building administrator or his/her designee. In all other cases, a student suspected of being under the influence of alcohol or drugs shall be immediately referred to a principal, assistant principal, and/or police officer. If the situation constitutes a medical emergency, emergency medical services shall be contacted and the student's parent(s)/guardian(s) shall be notified. Other suspected violations of this policy shall be referred to the principal, assistant principal, or his/her designee.

This drug and alcohol use/abuse policy shall be made available to students and parents/guardians.

STATUTORY REFERENCES: WI Statute 118.01(2)(d)  
WI Statute 118.126  
WI Statute 118.24(2)(f)  
WI Statute 118.45  
WI Statute 118.257  
WI Statute 120.13(1)  
WI Statute 120.44

CROSS REF: Board Policy 456, Student Assistance Team  
Board Policy 453.4, Administering Medication to Students  
Board Policy 505.10, Locker Searches  
Locker Search Guidelines  
Board Policy 502.2, Use of Hearing Officers/Panels in Pupil  
Expulsions and Resolution

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