

MONONA GROVE SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Policy 446.1

LOCKER SEARCHES

The school provides a locker for the convenience of the student to be used solely and exclusively for the storage of outer garments, footwear and school-related materials. No student shall use the locker for any other purpose.

The locker assigned to a student is the property of the Monona Grove School District. At no time does the district relinquish its exclusive control of such lockers. A locker may be searched as determined necessary or appropriate without notice, without student consent and without a search warrant. The search may be conducted by the Superintendent, building principal, assistant principal, police-school liaison officer or any school employee designated by the Superintendent, Building Principal and/or designee, or other designated law enforcement personnel.

An unauthorized item found in the locker may be removed. Items removed from the locker may be held by the school for disciplinary proceedings, turned over to law enforcement officials or returned to the adult student or parent/guardian of a minor student. The adult student or parent/guardian of a minor student shall be notified of items removed from the locker and turned over to law enforcement officials.

The district shall include a copy of this policy in the student handbook that is distributed annually to each student enrolled in the district.

Locker searches shall be documented by the Building Principal and/or designee.

LEGAL REFERENCE:	Section 118.325 Wisconsin Statutes
CROSS REFERENCES:	Administrative Rule 446.1, Locker Search Guidelines
	Board Policy 443.4, Student Alcohol and Drug Use
	Board Policy 443.5, Student Use of Paging or Two-Way Communication Devices
	Board Policy 832, Weapons
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