

PUBLICATIONS, STUDENT - HIGH SCHOOL

POLICY

The Board believes that high school student publications should operate within the limitations of the Constitution of the United States of America and other applicable laws. Further, that such publications should allow for student discretion providing that the material measures up to distinct literary standards, is not libelous, obscene, an invasion of privacy, and/or does not present a clear and present danger to the operation of the district.

PROCEDURE

1. Students who wish to work on student will enroll in Advanced Publication Design.
2. When problems arise, staff discussions should take place.
3. The publication staff shall correct structure, investigate and evaluate material submitted for publication with respect to the policy.
4. The advisor shall oversee and direct the methods of operation and selection of content for publication, and shall provide for the learning of accepted practices and standards. The advisor shall work with the editor to determine tone, content and format.
5. The principal shall act as the professional consultant in cases of disagreement or doubt among the staff and advisor, and shall act as liaison between the publication and the superintendent of schools.
6. The principal shall review the student newspaper prior to publication.

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