

## **STUDENT SAFETY AND WELFARE**

The Superintendent shall develop a school crisis response plan to be implemented in case of an emergency. The Superintendent is authorized to close schools in case of inclement weather or other emergencies, in the Superintendent's discretion, when it is unsafe for students to attend school or engage in school activities.

The Superintendent shall develop and implement a custodial and maintenance program for the cleanliness, safety and efficient operation of the District buildings and premises that is legally compliant with all safety, health and environmental requirements.

The Board believes parents/guardians have the primary responsibility for the prevention and, when necessary, the treatment of pupil health problems and injuries. The school district's responsibilities are as follows:

1. To provide general health, nutrition and hygiene instruction for students.
2. To provide protective devices and equipment to meet safety standards.
3. To notify parents/guardians when health matters become apparent concerns.
4. To notify proper agencies or officials of pupil health problems as required by law.
5. First aid may be given at school. Additional medical treatment is the responsibility of the parent/guardian.
6. A district employee will call the parent/guardian when an injury/accident occurs on school grounds.