

STUDENT EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

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The School District of Neillsville believes that the total education of the young people entrusted to it extends beyond the classroom. As such, the district encourages and supports extra-curricular programs that will enhance the curricular programs, provide for student service and leadership, develop physical and artistic skills, and provide opportunities for group activities.

These programs shall promote participation, establish unity of purpose and teamwork and provide students with the opportunity to: develop social skills; develop patience, tolerance, respect, and leadership; learn the value of healthy competition and good sportsmanship; take part in performance activities that develop a positive school climate through activities that promote school spirit, unity, and a common identity.

The district will stress the opportunity for participation through the offering of a wide variety of extra-curricular activities. However, the participation in certain activities may be restricted by a selection process based on individual skills or performance (drama activities, sports teams, etc.) and be governed by guidelines established by the Board of Education and administration.

Students participating in extra-curricular activities, including interscholastic programs, of such a nature that the students are representatives of the School District of Neillsville, shall be governed by either the student handbook rules or the athletic training policy approved by the Board of Education. All students participating in activities or events as representatives of the School District of Neillsville shall receive a copy of the student handbook and/or athletic training policies. The building principal shall be responsible for the enforcement of the provisions.

The district shall not discriminate in admission to, or participation in, any extra-curricular program or activity or facilities usage because of a person's sex, race, national origin, religion, color, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation or physical, mental, emotional or learning disability or handicap. Discrimination complaints shall be processed in accordance with established complaint procedures.

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