

DRUG TESTING OF STUDENTS IN ATHLETICS AND EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

The Board recognizes its share of responsibility for the health, welfare and safety of the students who attend the District's schools. The Board is concerned about problems of alcohol and drug abuse and recognizes that illegal or inappropriate use of alcohol, narcotic drugs, depressants or other controlled substances is wrong and harmful and constitutes a hazard to the positive development of all students.

The Board authorizes the Superintendent to develop a comprehensive program that will promote the establishment and maintenance of a drug-free school. At Milford High School, the comprehensive program includes the following:

Classroom prevention presentations	Student support groups led by staff
Law enforcement displays	Public awareness brochures to parents
Newsletter articles to parents and staff	Random drug searches by canine units
Random student locker searches	Random breathalyzer at school events
Random student drug testing	Training for staff
	Teen counseling presentations to younger students

Random Student Drug Testing (RSDT)

The purpose of random student drug testing is to:

1. encourage athletes and members of clubs/organizations to make a commitment against drug use;
2. give each student an effective tool against drug use;
3. ensure the health and safety of all students and
4. deter drug use by all students.

Students who will be subject to random drug testing fall under one of the following categories:

1. Athletic groups (school sponsored, interscholastic competition, OHSAA governed, AD supervised #)
 - ❖ Baseball, basketball, bowling, cheerleading, cross country, dance team, diving, football, golf, soccer, softball, swimming, tennis, track and field, volleyball, water polo and wrestling, lacrosse, indoor track ##

2. Extracurricular activities (voluntary, no grade/credit awarded, approved by administration, privilege, competitive, local/state/national rules and regulations #)
 - ❖ Drama club, jazz band, national honor society, student council, chess club, winter guard, winter drumline, teen counseling, marching band, color guard, art club, reflector, key club, triple trio, photography club, French club, creative writing club, Spanish club, academic team, Pinnettes, spring water polo, destination imagination, A Cappella Choir (Notable) ##

3. Students who volunteer for the program

- # Activity can meet one or all of the criteria
- ## Titles may be added or deleted at any time

DRUGS TO SCREEN*:

Amphetamines	Alcohol	Barbiturates
Marijuana	Ecstasy	LSD
Cocaine	Methamphetamine	Methadone
Opiates	Anabolic Steroids	Phencyclidine
Methaqualone	Benzodiazepines	Propoxyphene

*Note - Listed drugs that may be screened
Other drugs may be added to the list

KINDS OF TESTS: Urine specimen

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LEGAL REF.: ORC 3313.20

CROSS REFS.: IGD, Cocurricular and Extracurricular Activities
IGDJ, Interscholastic Athletics
JFCH, Alcohol Use by Students
JFCI, Student Drug Abuse
JO, Student Records