

Relations with State Agencies

To enhance the safety and security of students, staff and community, a cooperative and proactive effort shall be maintained between the officials of the school district and state agencies.

The Board and the superintendent or designee shall cooperate and to the extent possible develop written agreements with law enforcement officials, the juvenile justice system and social services, as allowed under state and federal law, to keep each school environment safe.

This cooperative and proactive effort shall pursue, but is not limited to, the following primary objectives:

1. Development and periodic review of emergency operations plans and safe school plans.
2. Assessment of district and building security, safety, and violence prevention policies and procedures.
3. Development of guidelines for how and when to contact state agencies and what support the district shall provide to aid in the effectiveness of the state agency.
4. Protection of the civil rights of all individuals.

School district administrators have the responsibility and the authority to determine when the assistance of police authorities and other state agencies are necessary within their respective schools. Administrators at all times shall act in a manner which protects the rights of students, teachers and parents and follows due process.

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LEGAL REF.: C.R.S. 22-32-109.1 (3) (agreements with state agencies)

CROSS REFS.: ECA/ECAB, Security/Access to Buildings
JIH, Student Interviews, Interrogations, Searches and Arrests
KDE, Emergency Management (Safety, Readiness and Incident
Management Planning)

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