

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MAYVILLE

443.7

GANG AND GANG-RELATED ACTIVITY

The School District of Mayville recognizes that a school must create and maintain a safe and orderly environment in which learning can take place. The presence of gangs, gang affiliations and gang-related activities within a school disrupts a safe and orderly learning environment by threatening the safety of students, staff and parents/guardians and by causing a disruption to and interference with the academic process.

As a result, the School District of Mayville hereby bars all gangs, gang affiliations and gang-related activities from school buildings, school property and school-related or school-sponsored activities at all times. Gang-related and gang-like activities will be reported to and monitored by school administrators and the local police department, when appropriate.

A "gang" is defined as any identifiable group, club or association, either formal or informal, which exists without the sponsorship of the school or the sponsorship of any recognized adult community or civic organization and which engages in antisocial or criminal behavior or activity, including, but not limited to, intimidating or threatening others and participating in and/or enticing others to participate in any physical violence involving persons or property.

Violation of this policy will subject students to appropriate disciplinary action which may include suspension or expulsion.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 120.13(1) Wisconsin Statutes
 121.02(1)(i)
 895.035
 895.77(2)
 943.017
 947.01
 947.013
 Chapter 948

CROSS REF.: 443.7-Rule, Rules for Enforcing Gang and Gang-
 Related Activity Policy
 443.1, Student Dress

 447, Student Discipline
 447.3, Student Suspension/Expulsion
 832, Weapons on School Premises

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