

STUDENT FEES, FINES, AND SUPPLIES

Fees

The Board authorizes certain charges to students to cover the costs for curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. Such charges may include pay to participate fees, materials for clubs, as well as transportation costs and admission/participation fees for District-sponsored trips and activities.

No student, however, shall be deprived of participation in any mandatory school activity or required curriculum activity due to a lack of financial ability to pay.

Fines

When school property, equipment, or supplies are damaged, lost, or taken by a student or organization, whether in a regular course or extra-curricular offering, a fine will be assessed. The fine will be reasonable, seeking to compensate the school for the replacement cost or loss incurred.

The late return of borrowed books or materials from the school libraries may be subject to appropriate fines. Failure to pay the fines may result in loss of privileges.

In the event the above course of action does not result in the fine being collected, the Board authorizes the Superintendent, or his/her designee, to take appropriate action against the individual or organization in an effort to collect the fines.

Supplies

The District will provide all basic supplies needed by the student to complete the required core course curriculum. In addition, at the secondary level, elective course choices are available, as well as different options provided for supplies within elective courses, in order that students may meet graduation requirements. The student and/or his/her family may choose to purchase their own supplies if they desire. The teacher or appropriate administrator may recommend useful supplies for these purposes. The student will be responsible for the appropriate and wise use of district provided supplies.

Collection of Fees and Fines

Any monies collected by members of the staff are to be turned in daily to the main office or other secured location as determined by administration.

Administrative guidelines shall be developed to ensure accurate accounting of all fees collected and all fees expended.