Section: 4000 - Community Relations

Safe and Orderly Learning Environment

Contacts with Staff

The learning environment and the staff's time for students will be free from interruption. Except in emergencies, staff will not be interrupted in their work. Brief messages will be recorded so as to permit the staff member to return the call when free.

Certificated staff will be available for consultation with students and community members one-half hour before and after school time. School operation hours are 8:00 AM – 3:30 PM. Students and community members are urged to make appointments with staff to assure an uninterrupted conference.

No one will solicit funds or conduct private business with staff on school time and premises.

Visitors

Parents or legal guardians of children attending the Shaw Island School are encouraged to visit the school for classroom observation and to review instructional materials and samples of their children's work. The superintendent will establish guidelines governing school visits to insure orderly operation of the educational process and the safety of students and staff.

Parent visits should be scheduled in advance by consultation with the teacher(s), so they can occur at a time which is reasonably convenient for both the teacher and the parent or guardian, and without unreasonable delay.

Other adult visits to the School may be arranged by the Superintendent in such a way as to avoid any discontinuity of the instruction program.

Children who are not students in the Shaw School may not visit the school during class hours unless the visit is a part of a planned interschool visit or is a one-time educational visitation approved by the Superintendent.

P.E. programs may be attended by non-Shaw Island School K-8 students if preapproved.

Disruption of School Operations

The superintendent or staff member in charge will direct a person to leave immediately if any person is:

- A. Under the influence of controlled substances, including marijuana (cannabis) or alcohol; or
- B. Is disrupting or obstructing any school program, activity, or meeting; or
- C. Threatens to do so or is committing, threatening to imminently commit; or
- D. Inciting another to imminently commit any act which would disturb or interfere with or obstruct any lawful task, function, process or procedure (of any student, official, classified or certificated staff member or invitee) of the school district.

If such a person refuses to leave, the superintendent or staff member will immediately call for the assistance of a law enforcement officer.

Cross References: 3510 – Associated Student Bodies

3124 - Removal - Release of Student During School Hours

Legal References: RCW 28A.605.020 - Parents' access to classroom or school

sponsored activities - Limitation

RCW 28A.635.020 Willfully disobeying school administrative personnel or refusing to leave public property, violations,

when - Penalty

RCW 28A.635.030 Disturbing school activities, or meetings -

Penalty

RCW 28A.635.090 Interfering by force or violence – Penalty RCW 28A.635.100 Intimidating any administrator, teacher, classified employee, or student by threat of force or violence

unlawful - Penalty

20 U.S.C. 7908 - No Child Left Behind Act, Military Recruiter

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