

STUDENT FIELD TRIPS AND EXCURSIONS

The superintendent and principal will authorize field trips and excursions when such events contribute to the achievement of educational goals of the school district.

In authorizing such field trips and excursions, the principal shall consider the budget of the school district, the educational benefit of the activity, the inherent risks or dangers of the activity, and other factors deemed relevant by the superintendent. Written parental permission will be required prior to the student's participation in a field trip or excursion outside the school district. The superintendent will approve and report to the board field trips or excursions involving overnight travel, travel outside of the state (excluding the Quad-City metropolitan area), travel outside of the continental United States, or for those field trips or excursions which involve unusual length or expense.

Field trips are to be arranged with the superintendent's office at least five days in advance.

Legal Reference: Iowa Code §279.8 (2013).
281 Iowa Admin. Code 43.9.

Cross Reference: 503.1 Student Conduct
503.4 Good Conduct Rule
712 Transportation

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