

Policy JICF - Gang Activity Prevention

The Board of Education desires to keep district schools and students free from the threats or harmful influence of any groups or gangs associated with drug use, violence or disruptive behavior.

The principal or designee shall ~~take reasonable steps maintain continual, visible supervision of school premises, school vehicles and school-related activities~~ to deter gang intimidation of students and confrontations between members of different gangs on school grounds, in school vehicles and at school activities or school sanctioned events.

~~The superintendent or designee shall establish open lines of communication with local law enforcement authorities so as to share information and provide mutual support in this effort. Staff members shall be informed about conflict management techniques and alerted to intervention measures and community resources which may help students.~~

Gang symbols

The ~~Board prohibits the~~ presence ~~on school premises, in school vehicles and at school-related activities~~ of any apparel, jewelry, accessory, notebook or manner of grooming which by virtue of its color, arrangement, trademark or any other attribute denotes membership in gangs which advocate drug use, violence or disruptive behavior is prohibited on school grounds, in school vehicles and at school activities or sanctioned events. ~~This policy shall be applied at the principal's discretion after consultation with the superintendent or designee as the need for it arises at individual school sites.~~

LEGAL REFS.:

C.R.S. [22-32-109.1](#) (2)(a)(I)(F) (policy required as part of safe schools plan)

CROSS REFS.:

[JICA](#), Student Dress Code