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The Marshalltown Community School District Board of Directors recognizes that worthy and appropriate educational values accrue from student participation in civic and community affairs. Therefore, the Board encourages public performances by students when such performances contribute to the educational processes and objectives of the school, and when it does not unduly interfere with the student program.

Students, who perform at such events, serve as ambassadors of the school district and must conduct themselves in the same manner as required in the regular school day. Students who fail to abide by this policy and the administrative regulations supporting it may be subject to disciplinary measures.

It is the responsibility of the superintendent, in conjunction with the principal, to develop administrative regulations regarding this policy. In developing the administrative regulations, these guidelines should be followed:

- (1) All such performances shall be approved by the immediate administrator involved.
- (2) The extended use of one particular group should be discouraged.
- (3) Extensive travel by a particular group should be discouraged.
- (4) Student groups below senior high level should engage in only limited activity.

It is within the discretion of the superintendent to determine whether the event will benefit the

education program and the participating students.

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Legal Reference: (Code of Iowa)
Hazelwood School District v. Kuhlmeier, 484 U.S. 260 (1988).
Iowa Code §§ 280.13-.14 (2013).
281 I.A.C. 12.6.

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Cross Reference: 502 Student Rights and Responsibilities
503.4 Good Conduct Rule
504 Student Activities
904 Community Activities Involving Students