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SAFETY PROGRAM

The De Soto Area School District Board of Education believes that safety education and accident prevention are important, and that the physical well-being of every student, employee and visitor shall be a primary concern of the District.

A positive attitude towards accident prevention should be fostered in the schools by all staff. All school personnel should understand and accept responsibility for the safety of all persons coming into their areas.

The responsibility for developing the total safety program shall be delegated to a staff person who shall act as the safety coordinator and shall be directly accountable to the District Administrator in the performance of his/her duties. This person shall be responsible for the promotion and development of an accident prevention and safety education program for students and staff.

A school safety plan shall be developed and be in effect in each District school to provide as safe an environment as possible for students, employees and citizens while they are present on school premises or participating in school-sponsored activities.

The District Administrator will execute this policy.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 118.07 Wisconsin Statutes

118.09

118.10

120.12(26)

121.02(1)(i)

PI 8.01(2)(i), Wisconsin Administrative Code

CROSS REF.: 363.1, Computer networks/Internet Safety and Acceptable Use

443, Student Conduct

443.2, Student Conduct on School Buses

446, Student Searches

453.1, Emergency Nursing Services

454, Reporting Child Abuse/Neglect

722, Accident Reports

723, Emergency Plans

723.3, Emergency School Closings

731, Building and Grounds Security

751, Student Transportation Services

832, Weapons on School Premises

860, Visitors to the Schools

School Safety Plans

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