

HAMPTON TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: PUBLIC PERFORMANCES BY STUDENTS

ADOPTED: February 18, 2004

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	<p>230. PUBLIC PERFORMANCES BY STUDENTS</p>
1. Purpose	<p>The Board recognizes the value of students sharing their talents and skills with the community through student participation and performances in public events.</p>
2. Authority SC 510	<p>The Board endorses public performances by students when they constitute a learning experience that contributes to the educational program; they do not interfere with other scheduled activities; and the circumstances of the event do not pose a threat to the health, safety or well-being of the students who are involved.</p>
3. Delegation of Responsibility	<p>All requests for public performances by student groups, including those requiring overnight or out-of-state travel, require the approval of the Board.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall develop procedures to implement this policy.</p>
4. Guidelines Pol. 204	<p>Parental permission shall be required before students may participate in any public performance.</p> <p>When public performances are scheduled as a regular part of a planned course of instruction taken for credit, students shall be informed in advance of their obligation to participate; and they will be excused from participation only in accordance with the rules and procedures governing school attendance.</p> <p>No district student, group of students, or employees may receive compensation for a public performance of students organized as school representatives.</p> <p>The interests of students shall be protected and guarded against exploitation.</p> <p><u>Contests</u></p> <p>In the high school, the policy of the National Association of Secondary School Principals relative to contests shall serve as a guide.</p>

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<p>School Code 510</p> <p>Board Policy 204</p>	<p>At no time will pressure be applied to enjoin students to participate in any contest sponsored by outside organizations.</p>
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