

STAFF/STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN FIRE COMPANY CALLS

In accordance with Delaware Code Title 29, §5119, the building administration may release employees and students who are volunteer fire fighters when they have a call for a fire duty and they are working or attending within the fire district where the fire is located. However, employees who have critical functions, such as supervision of children and boiler/HVAC supervision, must have their duties assumed by other qualified staff before they respond to or continue the fire duty call during school duty hours. Also, all such employees must notify their supervisor before leaving their duties. This permission does not include release for fire clean-up duties. Time missed for such duties will be reported to and documented by the immediate supervisor.

In no instance shall the District or its supervisory employees be held responsible for any financial loss or personal injury incurred by an employee or student volunteer fire fighter while acting as a fireman or going from or to his/her duties as a fire fighter.

Students may be released by the building administrator if the student has on file written statements from both the fire department chief and a parent or guardian.

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