

## BABIES/SMALL CHILDREN POLICY

Due to the fact that babies and/or young children in the school create a distraction for teachers and students, as well as imposing additional liability responsibilities on school employees and the district, students will not be permitted to bring babies or other young children with them during regular school hours.

Teachers will refer any student who brings a child to school to the school office where the student will make arrangements for the child's care. The missed instructional time will be unexcused if the student is unable to make arrangements for the child's care.

This policy shall also apply to district events or functions beyond the classroom in which the student participates or becomes involved. These functions may include, but are not limited to, school dances, the junior-senior prom, and commencement exercises.

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