

## **Duty of Sex Offender to Notify School of Presence**

This policy is implemented pursuant to the provisions of Ala. Code § 15-20A-17. In accordance with that section, any adult sex offender, after having been convicted of a sex offense involving a minor, shall not enter onto school property or attend any K-12 school activity without: (1) notifying the principal or the principal's designee that he or she intends to enter onto the premises for a legitimate purpose, which purpose shall be communicated to the principal or the principal's designee; and (2) immediately reporting to the school principal or the principal's designee upon entering the school property or arriving at the K-12 school activity.

Nothing in this policy shall be construed as imposing an affirmative duty on the school principal; the principal's designee; any member of the school board, staff, faculty, or any other agent, representative, or other associated party of the school board to investigate or determine the sex offender status of any individual prior to, or upon, that individual's entering on school property or arriving at a K-12 school activity.

**SOURCE:** Athens City Board of Education, Athens, AL

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**Reference:** Ala. Code § 15-20A-17