Notus School District No. 135

STUDENTS 3440

Student Fees, Fines and Charges / Return of Property

A student may be charged a reasonable fee for any non-credit course or non-curricular activity such as extra-curricular activity, student activity, or membership in a voluntary club of association. The Board may waive the fee in cases of financial hardship.

Additional fees may be charged for "enhanced programming and materials" which are voluntary enrichments to the curriculum beyond what is necessary to meet the learning expectations for a particular grade or course (i.e. students may wish to use a superior product or consumable than that provided by the school, in which case they may be asked to pay the additional cost of the upgrade). This includes online enrollment when solely a matter of preference.

A student shall be responsible for the cost of replacing materials or property that is lost or damaged due to negligence. If school property in student's possession is lost, broken, or otherwise damaged, the student may be charged the lesser of the fair market value of the item at the time or the cost of repair.

The District, may require, as a condition of graduation, issuance of a diploma or certificate, that all lawful indebtedness incurred by a student be satisfied, and/or that all books or other instructional material, uniforms, athletic equipment, advances on loans or other personal property of the District be returned.

Legal reference: I.C. § 33-603 Payment of fees or returning of property

Policy History:

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