

Operational Services

Administrative Procedure - SEDOL Pond

The SEDOL pond is available for therapeutic and instructional activities. The pond area includes a walking path and fenced in deck area. SEDOL staff must accompany and supervise students at all times.

The walking path is not a smooth surface and may not be appropriate for individuals with mobility issues. Benches are located in appropriate areas on the path.

The deck is available for class activities during school hours. Any use of the area after school hours for student activities must be preapproved by the appropriate building principal. The deck area will be kept locked at all times when not in use. Staff are required to have a school communication device (cell phone or radio) with them when using the pond area. Staff will unlock the gate to the deck when using the area and are responsible for relocking it and returning the key when they leave. A master schedule for deck use will be kept by the administrative assistant at Cyd Lash Academy. Only one class at a time may use the deck area. Staff will schedule a time by calling 847-986-1008.

Activities on the deck should be preplanned, e.g. art class, science or writing activity. The deck should not be used for unstructured free time.

The deck rail has been modified to have a drop down option for students in wheelchairs. This rail must be in the upright position at all times for all other uses. Students are not to stand or sit on the railing. If any damage to the deck or other concerns about the condition of the area are noted, please report these immediately to the Manager of Purchasing, Operations and Maintenance at 847-986-2433.

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