ACTIVITIES – HIGH SCHOOL

For further information on activities, please see the webpage: https://www.west-fargo.k12.nd.us/families/activities

Extra Curriculars: https://www.west-fargo.k12.nd.us/about-us/administrative-policy/ffe-ap-extracurricular-participation-requirements

Field Trips: https://www.west-fargo.k12.nd.us/about-us/administrative-policy/fff-ap-field-and-other-school-sponsored-trips

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

All applicable information for participation in co-curricular programs can be found on the high school websites, under Programs > Activities.

FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

All fundraising activities of West Fargo Public Schools organizations must be approved by the building administration or the Activities Director and are governed by district policy: https://www.west-fargo.k12.nd.us/about-us/administrative-policy/hbcc-ap-advertising-fundraising

LEARNER IDENTIFICATION CARDS

Student activity passes can be purchased online through Go Fan. https://www.west-fargo.k12.nd.us/families/activities/event-tickets

- WFPS High School students are allowed free entry to all regular season athletic events hosted by a WFPS high school. Students, please check in with your school's Activities Offices for directions to receive your free pass.
- Valid for regular season events only.

PROM REGULATIONS

Prom is a formal dance that is open to high school learners in grades 11 and 12 and their registered guests only. Registered guests must be in grades 9-12 or a high school graduate under the age of 21 on the date of Prom (a learner working on their GED will not be eligible to attend prom).

A host learner may sponsor only one guest. The host learner is responsible for the proper behavior of his/her guest. Guests must be registered no later than noon the Friday prior to the dance. The learner coming as the guest must complete a 'Learner in Good Standing' form and obtain their building administration's signature verifying their eligibility for prom. If a guest is a high school graduate, a background check will be completed by the West Fargo Police Department. If the guest has a criminal activity record, he or she will not be permitted to attend prom.

Learners are required to be in attendance at the time specified for participation in the Grand March, no learner will be allowed late attendance. Any learner who leaves Prom early will not be permitted back on school grounds. All school rules will apply during Prom.

West Fargo Public Schools prohibits sexually suggestive dancing which is defined as any overtly sexual or suggestive movements that mimic or emulate sexual acts or motions or otherwise dangerous dancing. Chaperones at the dance will determine what is appropriate.

The statements in this document are intended to provide guidance for daily procedures and practices in order to maintain order, efficiency, and continuity amongst our schools.

DANCE REGULATIONS

Additional dances, including Winter Formal and Homecoming are open to grades 9-12 or a high school graduate. All learners must have their valid and current learner ID to gain entrance to a dance. The building administrative team will determine whether learners are allowed to bring one guest to the dance. If permitted, a guest must have a valid and current school ID to gain entrance to a dance. Doors will close 1 hour after the dance begins. No one will be admitted to the dance once the doors are closed. Once a learner or guest leaves the dance, they will not be permitted back in.

Students who intend to participate in Prom /Dances must meet the following eligibility requirements:

1. **Disciplinary eligibility**
   - Disciplinary actions taken against a learner will keep that learner from attending a dance. A learner currently under suspension (either 'in' or 'out' of school) will not be allowed to attend the Prom/dance.
2. **Scholastic eligibility (**specific to**: Homecoming/Winter Formal/Prom)**
   - The learner must be eligible scholastically failing no more than one class.
3. **Obligations**
   - All detentions must be made up, parking tickets and participation fees paid before a learner will be able to purchase tickets for prom or attend a dance.
3. **All attendees will undergo alcohol screening upon entry to the Dance/Prom.**

SCHOOL TRIPS

On trips representing the school, each learner must bear in mind that behavior reflects not only upon the learner but also upon West Fargo Public Schools. Therefore, each learner shall be accountable for any adverse publicity that is caused. Also, whenever learners use school provided transportation for out-of-town school activities, it is expected that the ride to and from the activity is under the supervision of the adult in charge.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The National Honor Society (NHS) serves to honor learners who have demonstrated excellence in the areas of scholarship, leadership, service, and character. Learners are inducted into NHS during the 2nd semester of their sophomore or junior year if they hold a 3.6 cumulative grade point average. Active NHS members are required to maintain a 3.5 grade point average, attend 5 NHS meetings each year, and participate in 20 – 30 hours of service, depending on induction year.