

## **LOCKER SEARCHES**

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The school provides a locker for the convenience of the student to be used solely and exclusively for the storage of outer garments, footwear and school-related materials. No student shall use the locker for any other purpose.

The locker assigned to a student is the property of the School District. At no time does the District relinquish its exclusive control of such lockers. A locker may be searched as determined necessary or appropriate without notice, without student consent, and without a search warrant. The search may be conducted by the Superintendent, a building principal, an assistant principal, a school liaison officer or other law enforcement officer at the request of school officials, a school employee designated by the Superintendent or building principal.

Any unauthorized item found in the locker may be removed. Items removed from the locker may be held by the school for return to the parent(s)/guardian of the student or retained for disciplinary proceedings, or turned over to law enforcement officials. The adult student or parent/guardian of a minor student shall be notified of items removed from the locker and turned over to law enforcement officials.

The District shall include a copy of this policy in the student handbook that is distributed annually to each student enrolled in the District.

### **Legal References:**

#### **Wisconsin Statutes**

[Section 118.325](#) [locker search policy]

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