



SECTION: STUDENT

POLICY: 211

**TITLE: STUDENT ACCIDENT
INSURANCE**

ORIGINAL: November 11, 2002

CURRENT REVISION: April 5, 2021

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COMMITTEE:**

I. PURPOSE

The Board recognizes the need for insurance coverage for unforeseen accidents that may occur to students in the course of attendance at school or participation in the athletic and extracurricular programs of the schools.

II. DEFINITIONS

None.

III. POLICY

A. The Board shall provide parents the opportunity to purchase accident medical insurance coverage, at no cost to the Board, for injury to the students resulting from accidents in:

a. Any activity during school-hours, except as excluded in the policy

OR

b. Any activity round-the-clock, except as excluded in the policy

B. The Board shall maintain insurance coverage by a qualified insurer over and above the first responsibility of family coverage and at no cost to the student for injury resulting from accidents sustained while participating in:

a. All interscholastic sports

b. All intramural sports and non-sports activities for all grades

c. Physical education classes

d. The band program

IV. DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY

A. The Superintendent or designee shall be responsible to:

a. Prepare specifications and secure suitable coverage from qualified insurance carriers for recommendation and Board consideration

b. Notify parents of students who may be eligible for insurance

c. Ascertain that where the Board assumes the cost of insurance, each eligible student is properly insured

V. REFERENCES

24 P.S. 511