



SECTION: STUDENTS

POLICY: 227

**TITLE: CONTROLLED
SUBSTANCES**

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ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

- A. In accordance with the concern of the Board of Directors of the Wissahickon School District for the use, misuse, and abuse of drugs, alcohol, and mood-altering substances and as an extension of its policy on Drugs and Alcohol, the following rules, regulations, and guidelines shall be used by all school District personnel when responding to drug, mood-altering substances, and alcohol-related situations.
- B. In each case in which a student is suspected of drug or alcohol use, a student contacts a staff member concerning the drug and alcohol use of another student, or a student volunteers information about personal drug or alcohol use, the chief administrator of the building must be notified. An investigation will be conducted and the student shall be informed of available resources and encouraged to seek assistance.
- C. In each case in which a student possesses, uses, or distributes drugs or alcohol, standard health and first aid procedures shall be followed and the chief building administrator shall be notified. An investigation shall be conducted and procedures specified in the Wissahickon School District Code of Student Conduct shall be followed.
- D. The Student Assistance Team is an integral component of the District's Drug and Alcohol prevention program.
- E. A student who, on school grounds, during a school session, or anywhere at a school-sponsored activity, is under the influence of alcohol, drugs or mood-altering substances or possesses, uses, dispenses, sells or aids in the procurement of alcohol, drugs or mood-altering substances, or any substance purported to be a restrictive substance or mood-altering over-the-counter drug shall be subjected to discipline pursuant to the provisions and procedures outlined in the Wissahickon School Code of Student Conduct.