

LINE MOUNTAIN SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROPERTY

TITLE: SAFETY

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	<p style="text-align: center;">705. SAFETY</p> <p>1. Purpose It is the policy of the Line Mountain School District to provide an active Safety & Health Program. The objective of the program is to ensure a safe environment for all employees, students, and visitors as well as to protect school district buildings, equipment and other property.</p> <p>2. Authority The Board directs that a district-wide safety program shall be maintained to ensure a safe and secure environment for all students, staff and visitors as well as to protect district buildings, equipment and property. The safety program shall provide: instruction for students and staff in safety and accident protection; protective devices where they are required for safety; and suitable and safe equipment necessary for the conduct of the educational program and operation of the schools.</p> <p>3. Delegation of Responsibility The Superintendent or designee shall prepare rules governing school safety and prevention of accidents and fire, which shall include the requirements of law and applicable regulations of various departments of state government.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall:</p> <p>SC 1518 1. Ensure curriculum to instruct students in safety and fire prevention.</p> <p>SC 1518 2. Provide required drills to instruct students in safety procedures.</p> <p>3. Review and evaluate annually district safety rules and plans.</p> <p>Administrators shall inform all staff and students of school safety rules at the beginning of the school year.</p> <p>The Superintendent shall inform the Board of all procedures and rules dealing with the safety of students and staff, and the safe operation of school facilities.</p>
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<p>4. Guidelines</p> <p>School Code 510, 1518</p> <p>Act 57 of 1996</p> <p>Board Policy 805</p>	<p><u>Safety Committee</u></p> <p>A safety committee(s), which meets at least quarterly shall be implemented to help attain these goals. Some of the techniques, or procedures, used by the committee(s) to implement this safety policy shall include, but not be limited to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Performing safety inspections of school buildings and grounds.2. Reviewing accident reports and accident investigation forms.3. Promoting safety awareness throughout the district.4. Implementing required safety programs as mandated by the government.5. Organizing and/or providing a safety training program for staff.6. Reviewing appropriate procedures and recommending changes as necessary. <p>The safety committee chairperson, or safety coordinator, will give at least quarterly reports to the Superintendent and an annual report to the School Board regarding the status of the district's safety program.</p> <p>The complete cooperation of all personnel concerning this crucial program is expected.</p>
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