

STUDENT INTERVIEWS BY POLICE

- A. The School District of New London recognizes that cooperation with law enforcement agencies is necessary for the protection of students, for maintaining a safe environment in the district schools and for safeguarding all school property. At the same time, the district recognizes its responsibility to protect the educational process and to provide for the concerns of parents/guardians regarding the welfare of their children.
- B. When laws may have been violated and in situations which threaten the safety of students and/or employees, students may be interviewed by law enforcement officials in accordance with Board policy and established procedures. Law enforcement-initiated student interviews that are not school related shall not be conducted on school premises, except in emergencies or as specifically required by law.
- C. All student interviews with law enforcement officials conducted on school premises shall receive prior approval of the building principal or designee. If a request for a student interview is denied, the building principal or designee shall state the reason for such denial. Law enforcement officials may appeal decisions made by the building principal or designee to the District Administrator.
- D. Consistent procedures shall be applied to all students.

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CROSS-REFERENCE: Administrative Guideline
Policy 882.1 Police/School Liaison Program
Policy 882.11 Police/School Liaison Officer Job Description

LEGAL REFERENCE: Sections 48.19, 48.981, 118.257 Wisconsin Statutes.