

**MIDDLETON SCHOOL DISTRICT #134
POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL
SECTION 3000 - Students**

SCHOOL CLIMATE.....Policy 3012

This School District recognizes that the growth of a student, both academically and personally, reflects not only the educational programs and goals of the District, but also the atmosphere in which the student attends school. To the extent possible, this School District is committed to providing an educational setting where the students feel safe, are challenged to grow academically and personally, are treated with respect by the District personnel and other students, and are disciplined fairly by District personnel.

To provide such an educational setting, this Board of Trustees has adopted policies and procedures, as mandated by the Idaho State Board of Education in the following areas:

1. School Climate
2. Discipline
3. Violence Prevention
4. Student Harassment
5. Student Health
6. Gun-free Schools
7. Substance Abuse--tobacco, alcohol, and other drugs
8. Suicide Prevention
9. Drug-free School Zones
10. Building Safety including Evacuation Drills

The School Board will review these policies and procedures on to determine whether or not they are meeting the needs of the students, School District, and community.

Notification of changes will be provided at least five (5) days before such changes become effective. The student handbook(s) will inform students and their parent/guardian of the District policies, school rules and regulations regarding school climate.

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LEGAL REFERENCE:

Idaho Code Section 33-1612

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