

To protect the morals, health, and safety of students, it is the policy of the Caldwell School District to deny entrance onto the premises of any district school or at any school activity to registered adult sex offenders, of whom the district has knowledge. District officials will make a good faith effort to identify registered sex offenders residing within the school district boundaries, or who have children or wards enrolled in the district by periodically reviewing the Idaho State Police registry of sexual offenders. District officials shall notify each registered sex offender identified as residing within the boundaries of the district that he/she is not allowed entrance to the premises of any school of the district or to any school activities unless expressly permitted by the superintendent or designee..

The superintendent or his/her designee may grant an exception to this prohibition for the following individuals:

1. An enrolled student of the district. The superintendent or his/her designee will determine if an exception to this prohibition is made for an individual who is of school age and wishes to continue his/her schooling. If exempted, the superintendent or his/her designee will also determine which school or program the student will attend and any necessary conditions to maintain the morals, health, and safety of all students.
2. A parent or guardian of a student attending a school within the district, and whose right to educational information or access to his/her child or ward has not been limited by court order. Such parents or guardians may be permitted access to a particular school or school event, with or without limitations, as determined appropriate by the superintendent or his/her designee, including to transport a child or children or to attend an academic conference or other scheduled school event with school officials and in which his/her child is participating..
3. An individual who is temporarily on school grounds, during school hours, for the purpose of delivering mail, food, or other items. The delivery person's employer is responsible for contacting the district and obtaining permission for the individual to be on school premises. The superintendent or designee may grant admission to such individual, deny admission, provide direct supervision, or require that the delivery person's employer provide appropriate supervision.

The decision to grant or deny the request for an exception, and/or impose other restrictions, is not appealable to the board.

The decision shall be based upon a review of all of the relevant circumstances, including the risk to the morals, health, and safety of other students, employees and patrons.

School personnel and students shall not use information received by the district regarding any registered sexual offender to harass, intimidate, commit a crime against, or cause harm to any person.

For purposes of this policy, “school premises” shall mean all school buildings, grounds, events or activities sponsored by the district without regard to the location of the event or activity, and shall include means of transportation sponsored, owned, leased, or contracted by the district.



LEGAL REFERENCE:

Idaho Code Sections

3-512(4) and (11)

18-8301, et seq.

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