

STUDENT PERSONNEL

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Policy Title . . . LOCKER SEARCHES

Code No. 446.1

The school provides lockers for the convenience of students to be used solely and exclusively for the storage of outer garments, footwear and other school-related items. No student shall use the locker for any other purpose.

The locker assigned to a student is the property of the School District. At no time does the District relinquish its exclusive control over such lockers. A locker may be searched as determined necessary or appropriate without notice, without student consent, and without a search warrant. The search may be conducted by the district administrator, a building principal, an assistant principal, a school employee specifically designated by the district administrator or building principal, a police-school resource officer, or law enforcement or other agency official at the request of or in conjunction with school authorities.

Any unauthorized item found in the locker may be removed. Items removed from the locker may be held by the school for return to the parent(s)/guardian(s) of the student or retained for disciplinary proceeding, or turned over to law enforcement officials. The adult student or parent/guardian of a minor student shall be notified of items removed from the locker and turned over to law enforcement officials.

The District shall include a copy of this policy in the student handbook that is distributed annually to each student enrolled in the District.

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Legal Reference: Code of WI
WI Act 329
Section 118.325 WI Stats.