

T. J. WALKER MIDDLE SCHOOL
CO-CURRICULAR CODE OF CONDUCT

The Sturgeon Bay School Board has adopted a Co-Curricular Code of Conduct for T. J. Walker Middle School (IGD-R(4)). The following are the rules and regulations that are contained within the policy.

Scholastic Eligibility - T. J. Walker students must be passing all their classes in order to participate in practice or contests. Utilizing our electronic grading system, weekly lists will be generated of students who are ineligible for these activities due to failing grades. Once a student regains his/her passing status, s/he will be allowed to participate. Students who have a failing grade on the quarter report card will be ineligible to participate in practice or contests for two calendar weeks after the grades are posted.

Illegal Substances – The possession or use of any tobacco product, alcohol, or illegal drugs or drug paraphernalia, including “look alike” substances is both illegal and contrary to leading a healthy lifestyle necessary to participate in co-curricular activities. Students violating this law will be suspended from participation (practice and competition) for a minimum of two weeks. A student and family consultation with the principal must transpire prior to any further participation.

Attendance - A student must be in school by the beginning of 5th period (11:32 a.m.) if they want to attend or participate in after school activities that day, except in cases of family emergencies and/or excused appointments. It is also expected that students be in attendance the day after an activity. Special circumstances and exceptions will be individually reviewed by the principal for attendance issues.

Transportation – When attending a school-sponsored function (i.e. sporting event, solo-ensemble, band festival, etc.) as part of a team or a group, in most instances students will be transported in district owned/approved vehicles to events unless the coach makes arrangements for parents to transport their student. Parents attending the event may sign-out their child to ride home with them. Arrangements to have their child ride home with another responsible adult must be done prior to the event in writing and have the principal’s approval.

Practices – Participants must attend all scheduled practices unless excused for good reason prior to the practice. Frequent or unexcused absences will jeopardize the student’s participation, including practices missed due to academic ineligibility.

General Conduct – Participants of our co-curricular programs are expected to exercise good citizenship and represent our school in an acceptable manner at all times. Frequent, numerous, and/or serious infractions of district, school, or activity policies relative to conduct and expectations may lead to the student being ruled ineligible for participation on a temporary or permanent basis.

RESPONSIBILITY AGREEMENT

I have read and agree to abide by the spirit and intent of the T. J. Walker Co-Curricular Code of Conduct. It is also understood that infractions of the code may lead to disqualification for participation. I will also abide by reasonable expectations and rules as set forth by the advisor/coach.

Date: _____ Student Signature: _____

Date: _____ Parent/Guardian Signature: _____