LIONSGATE ACADEMY

502 CHEMICAL AND DRUG USE AND ABUSE

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I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this policy is to establish a chemical and drug free school and workplace.

II. POLICY STATEMENT

Lionsgate Academy recognizes that chemical and drug use and abuse constitutes a threat to the physical and mental well-being of students and employees and significantly impedes the learning process. Under Lionsgate Academy's Policy 610 - Drug-Free School Policy, use of controlled substances, toxic substances, and alcohol is prohibited in the school setting. Lionsgate Academy will educate and assist employees and students about:

- A. The dangers and health risks of chemical and drug use,
- B. Lionsgate Academy's Drug-Free School policy, and the consequences of violating it, and
- C. any available drug or alcohol counseling, treatment, rehabilitation, reentry and/or assistance programs.

Legal References:

Minn. Stat. § 121A.25-121A.29 (Chemical Abuse)
Minn. Stat. § 121A.40-121A.56 (Pupil Fair Dismissal Act)
Minn. Stat. § 144.343 (Pregnancy, Venereal Disease, Alcohol or Drug Abuse, Abortion)
41 U.S.C. §§ 8101-8106 (Drug-Free Workplace Act)
20 U.S.C. §§ 7101-7165 (Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act)
34 C.F.R. Part 84

Cross-references:

Lionsgate Academy Drug Free School Policy #610