

Weapons on District Property - Staff

Weapons under the control of law enforcement personnel are permitted.

Employees and approved district volunteers shall not possess a dangerous weapon or deadly weapon as defined by ORS 161.015 (1) and (2) or firearm on district property or at district events. This prohibition includes those who may otherwise be permitted by law to carry such weapons.

For purposes of this policy, and as defined by state and federal law, weapon includes:

1. “Dangerous weapon” - any weapon, device, instrument, material or substance, which under the circumstances in which it is used, attempted to be used or threatened to be used is readily capable of causing death or serious physical injury;
2. “Deadly weapon” - any instrument, article or substance specifically designed for and presently capable of causing death or serious physical injury;
3. “Firearm” - any weapon (including a starter gun) which will or is designed to or may readily be converted to expel a projectile by the action of an explosive, frame or receiver of any such weapon, any firearm silencer or any other destructive device including any explosive, incendiary or poisonous gas.

The superintendent will ensure all staff have notice of this policy.

Employees in violation of this policy will be subject to discipline up to and including dismissal. Individuals contracting with the district and volunteers will be subject to appropriate sanctions. A referral to law enforcement may be made.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 161.015](#)

[ORS 166.210 - 166.370](#)

[ORS 332.107](#)

Gun-Free School Zones Act of 1990, 18 U.S.C. §§ 921(a)(25)-(26), 922(q) (2006).