

## **Human Sexuality Education**

The district shall provide age-appropriate, comprehensive human sexuality instruction for all students.

The course instruction shall be integrated in the health education curriculum. The course shall include, but not be limited to, the following information:

1. Abstinence
2. Responsible Sexual Behavior
3. Hygienic Practices
4. Consequences of Sexual Intercourse: STD's, HIV, Immune Deficiency Syndrome , Pregnancies
5. Laws Pertaining to Financial Responsibility for Children
6. Laws Regarding Sexual Relations with Persons Under age 18
7. Unwanted Physical or Verbal Sexual Advances
8. Sexual Abuse
9. Honesty, Respect, and Responsibility for one's Actions: Promote Inclusion and Acceptance of all People Regardless of Sexual Orientation
10. Communication Skills
11. Family Communications

The district shall coordinate the course with the local public health nurse, as well as other medical assistants, where applicable.

The district shall make known to parents and district residents that the human sexuality instructional materials used in class, in a course, assembly or school-sponsored activity, are available for review.

Parents of minor students shall be notified in advance of any human sexuality instruction. The notice shall state an opportunity to review materials and give an opt-out option. No student shall be required to take or participate in the instruction, and the written objection submitted to the district will excuse a student with no disciplinary consequence. All students will be treated with respect and their decision will not be disparaged.

**END OF POLICY**