

MEDICINE HAT SCHOOL DISTRICT #76

OFF-CAMPUS FIELD TRIPS, TOURS AND PROJECTS

BACKGROUND

The District supports the view that there is a broad range of projects, activities, or visits of educational value which occurs outside the classroom.

POLICY

The Board of Trustees will support off-campus field trips, tours, projects, and activities subject to available finances, legal restrictions, and the extent of coverage by the district's liability insurance. Safety is a primary consideration for all field trips.

GUIDELINES

1. Organizers of off-campus activities for students will take the necessary steps to ensure the safety of students participating in such activities.
2. The conduct of students and supervisors during off-campus activities must, at all times, be consistent with the mission, beliefs and values of the district.
3. Organizers of field trips, excursions and community based activities will consider in their planning the students' ability to pay
4. Board approval is required for all out of country student trips.

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