

Environmental and Safety Program

Every possible precaution will be taken to protect the safety of all students, employees, visitors, and others present on district property or at school-sponsored events.

The practice of safety also will be considered an integral part of the instructional program through fire prevention, emergency procedures and drills, driver education and traffic and pedestrian safety.

Each principal will be responsible for the supervision of a safety program for his/her school. The superintendent will serve as safety officer with overall responsibility for the safety program of the district.

General areas of emphasis in the safety program will include, but not be limited to, inservice training, plant inspection, fire prevention, accident record keeping, driver and vehicle safety programs, emergency procedures and drills, and traffic safety problems relevant to students, employees, and the community.

Before a driver's education vehicle is used for instruction, a qualified mechanic must inspect the vehicle using the Vehicle Inspection Form provided by the Idaho Department of Education. Vehicles not passing inspection shall be placed out of service until the needed repairs are made and the vehicle is re-inspected by a qualified mechanic using the appropriate Vehicle Inspection Form. Annual inspections expire on June 30th of each year.

Legal source: Idaho Standards for Public School Driver Education and Training Federal Motor Carriers Safety Regulations (49C FR 391.41-391.49, page 12).

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