

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 73 (KAMLOOPS/THOMPSON)

POLICY 606.2

Effective Date, September 22, 2008

ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS – STUDENT ATHLETES

The Board of Education believes there is no place for alcohol or other drugs in sports.

REGULATIONS

1. The suspensions set out in this policy are in addition to any discipline which may be imposed pursuant to Policy 606.1. For the purposes of this policy, an “Athlete” is a student who is participating in a school sport and who has signed a [Student Athlete's Code of Conduct](#). For the purposes of this policy, ‘participation’ includes tryouts, exhibition play, season of play and playoffs.
2.
 - (a) Any Athlete who violates Policy 606.1 at any athletic event under the jurisdiction of the District will be suspended from participation in the athletic program for one calendar year from the date of violation.
 - (b) Any Athlete who violates Policy 606.1 at any non-athletic event under the jurisdiction of the District or under the jurisdiction of any other school district while representing his/her school or School District No. 73 (Kamloops/Thompson) will be suspended from participation in the athletic program for the season of play as defined in the current British Columbia School Sports Handbook.
3. Before the Athlete can be reinstated, the Athlete and parent or guardian must have a formal meeting with the athletic director and the principal to discuss further participation in school athletics.
4. Nothing herein is to be interpreted so as to prevent the Athlete from attendance at regular physical education classes during school time.