

Approval of New Rule 6A-10.085, F.A.C., Field Trips, Extracurricular Activities, and Other Supplemental Programs and Activities

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Purpose of Rule 6A-10.085, F.A.C.

- School District Policies for Field Trips, Extracurricular Activities, and Supplemental Programs. Any policies adopted by a school district under s. 1001.43(3), F.S., for field trips, extracurricular activities, and supplemental programs must:
 - Be consistent with the Parental Bill of Rights created under Chapter 1014, F.S;
 - Make student safety a priority;
 - Protect the privacy of educational records as set forth in s. 1002.22, F.S., as well as the privacy interests of all students and parents; and
 - Provide for parental notification.



Parental Notification

- District procedures must require signed parent or guardian permission forms for field trips that include, at a minimum, the following information:
 - 1. The nature of the field trip;
 - 2. The date(s) and time(s) of the field trip;
 - 3. Specific location(s) and type(s) of establishment(s) to be visited;
 - 4. Mode(s) of transportation;
 - 5. Method of student supervision provided, such as anticipated number of chaperones; and
 - 6. Whether room assignments for overnight lodging are not separated by biological sex at birth.



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