

ALCOHOL & DRUGS

Presence of controlled substances (e.g. marijuana, ecstasy, crystal meth.) or drug related paraphernalia, or alcohol is viewed as a serious offence under the school's code of conduct. Each of the following is viewed as an offence and will result in serious consequences for student(s) found to be affected.

It is viewed as an offence when a student:

- presents with an odor of a controlled substance and/or alcohol and/or,
- is in possession of a controlled substance and/or a drink containing alcohol and/or,
- is in possession of paraphernalia that could be used to consume a controlled substance and/or,
- is in close proximity or associating with a student or students who are in possession of a controlled substance and/or alcohol and/or,
- is under the influence of a controlled substance and/or alcohol.

A student meeting one or more of these situations while at school or while involved in any school related event will be viewed to be in violation of the code of conduct.

Under the authority of the School Act, school administration has the right to search a student who they suspect may be in violation of the school's code of conduct related to controlled substances and /or alcohol. Any illegal items found during any search of the person, his possessions, or locker will be confiscated and turned over to the RCMP. The RCMP may be involved in a further investigation of these violations and may consider charges under narcotics act.

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