

1 **Bainville K-12 Schools**

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3 **STUDENTS**

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5 Use of Alcohol-Sensor Device

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7 Students are prohibited by Montana law and District policy from using or possessing alcoholic
8 beverages. It is District policy to deter use or possession of alcoholic beverages by students on
9 District property or at school-sponsored or related activities or events, through use of an alcohol-
10 sensor device.

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12 Anytime the Superintendent, another administrator, or a teacher has reasonable suspicion that a
13 student has consumed an alcoholic beverage, the student will be given an opportunity to admit or
14 deny consumption of alcohol. If the student admits consumption of alcohol, appropriate
15 disciplinary action will be taken under applicable District policies and student handbook
16 provisions, including potential restriction of or exclusion from participation in extra- and co-
17 curricular activities.

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19 If the student denies consumption of alcohol, the Superintendent or another District employee
20 designated by the Superintendent may utilize an alcohol-sensor device to either confirm alcohol
21 consumption or eliminate the suspicion. Confirmation of alcohol consumption will result in
22 appropriate disciplinary action under applicable District policies and student handbook
23 provisions, including potential restriction of participation in or exclusion from extra- and co-
24 curricular activities.

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26 If the student refuses to submit to testing for the presence of alcohol, the District may rely upon
27 other evidence of alcohol consumption in determining whether District policy has been violated.
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31 Cross Reference: 1312 Administrative Procedures
32 3300 Suspension and Expulsion
33 3300P Corrective Actions and Punishment
34 3310 Student Discipline
35 3310P Discipline of Students with Disabilities
36 3340 Extra- and Co-Curricular Alcohol, Drug, and Tobacco Use
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38 Legal Reference: § 20-5-201, MCA Duties and sanctions
39 § 45-5-624, MCA Unlawful attempt to purchase or possession of
40 intoxicating substance – interference with sentence
41 or court order
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43 Policy History:

44 Adopted on:
45 Reviewed on: 7/13/10
46 Revised on: