

# FLEETWOOD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: SOCIAL EVENTS AND  
OVERNIGHT STUDENT TRIPS

ADOPTED: January 19, 2010

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<p>1. Purpose</p> <p>2. Authority SC 511</p> <p>SC 517</p> <p>3. Guidelines SC 510</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">231. SOCIAL EVENTS AND OVERNIGHT STUDENT TRIPS</p> <p>The Board recognizes the value of student social events and class trips in enhancing and enriching the school experience for students.</p> <p>The Board shall make school facilities available and provide appropriate staff for school social events within the school facilities that have been approved by the building principal.</p> <p>Overnight student trips and social events that take place outside of school facilities require approval by the Board.</p> <p>As voluntary participants in school social events and class trips, students shall be held responsible for compliance with district policies and rules. Infractions of those policies or rules will be subject to the same disciplinary measures applied during the regular school program.</p> <p>Participation in school events is not a right and may be denied to any student who has demonstrated disregard for the policies and rules of the district or the school.</p> <p><u>Senior Class Trips</u></p> <p>The Senior Class Advisor must present a copy of the trip itinerary for Board approval before signing a contract with a travel agency.</p> <p>Only one (1) regularly scheduled school day may be used for the purpose of a class trip.</p> <p>A majority of senior class members must participate in order for a trip to be sanctioned.</p> <p>Every effort should be made for the class to return by twelve (12) midnight, prior to a scheduled school day.</p>
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<p>4. Delegation of Responsibility</p> <p>SC 511</p>	<p><u>Overnight Student Trips</u></p> <p>The instructors responsible for the trip must present a copy of the trip itinerary and expenses for Board approval.</p> <p>Trip options:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Typically, trips will be limited to one (1) regularly scheduled school day. (may include additional nonschool days)</li><li>2. Longer trip requests requiring a maximum of two (2) school days may be approved by the Board, based upon the merit of the trip and the length of previous trips. Such trips will not be approved in consecutive years.</li></ol> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall develop procedures for the conduct of student social events and overnight student trips which include the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Designation of a staff member who shall be the Board employee responsible for the event.</li><li>2. Provision of adequate adult supervision or police protection, as required by the circumstances of the event.</li><li>3. Formulation of rules and regulations governing the conduct and safety of all participants and distribution of such rules and regulations to all students and adults involved.</li></ol> <p>References:</p> <p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 510, 511, 517</p>
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