Student trips of significant educational value shall be permitted. Student trips support the District's curricular objectives through activities that enhance learning in ways not easily implemented in the school building.

Teachers who organize school sponsored trips must have the approval of the site administrator and prior written consent from the parent or guardian for each student.

Student participation in voluntary trips will not impact grades. Some co-curricular trips may be identified as mandatory if they are an essential part of course of study, and may impact grades.

No student may be denied participation due to financial circumstances in a school-sponsored trip that directly relates to the instructional program.

Trips beyond the boundaries of the continental United States require approval of the School Board.

Promotion of and solicitation for any trip not sponsored by the District as a part of the curriculum shall be prohibited in school facilities. Neither students nor staff may promote a non-sponsored trip at school.

The Superintendent shall establish regulations in compliance with Public Education Department regulations to govern trips.

References

Board Policy 3545 22.16.1-11 NMSA 1978 6.41.4 NMAC (2005)