



## **SECTION IV: STUDENTS**

## **POLICY 4260**

### **REPORTING STUDENTS UNDER INFLUENCE/POSSESSION OF CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES**

In compliance with the provisions of Oklahoma School Law, a teacher, counselor or administrator who has reasonable cause to suspect that a student is under the influence of or has possession of a controlled dangerous substance (as defined in Section 2-101 of Title 63 of the Oklahoma Statutes), alcoholic beverages (as defined in Section 506 of Title 37 of the Oklahoma Statutes) or low-point beer (as defined in Section 163.2 of Title 37 of the Oklahoma Statutes) shall immediately notify the school principal or designee of his or her suspicions. The principal or designee shall notify the parent or legal guardian of the student involved, and may notify the Broken Arrow Police Department.

Any suspension and/or search of a student shall be in accordance with school district policy, applicable law and student handbook rules and regulations.

Any teacher, counselor or administrator employed by the Broken Arrow Board of Education, who reports the information to the appropriate school official, shall be immune from civil liability. (Reference: O.S. Title 70, Section 24-138.)

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