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## **705. Safety**

### **Purpose**

The Board recognizes that district facilities must be maintained and operated in a condition that is safe for students, staff and visitors.

### **Authority**

The Board directs that a district-wide safety program shall be maintained to ensure a safe and secure environment for all students, staff and visitors as well as to protect district buildings, equipment and property. The safety program shall provide: instruction for students and staff in safety and accident prevention; protective devices where they are required for safety; and suitable and safe equipment necessary for the conduct of the educational program and operation of the schools.

### **Delegation of Responsibility**

The safety committee shall review accidents/incidents and shall provide the Superintendent with recommendations to improve safety district wide.

The Superintendent or designee shall:

1. Ensure curriculum to instruct students in safety and fire prevention.[\[1\]](#)
2. Provide required drills to instruct students in safety procedures.[\[2\]\[1\]](#)
3. Review and evaluate annually district safety rules and plans.

Administrators shall inform all staff and students of school safety rules at the beginning of the school year.

Legal

[1. 24 P.S. 1518](#)

[2. 24 P.S. 1517](#)

[24 P.S. 510](#)

[77 P.S. 1038.2](#)

[34 PA Code 129.1001 et seq](#)

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