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STUDENT SAFETY

The Jefferson Davis Parish School Board recognizes the importance of providing a wholesome, safe, and healthy environment for the students, faculty, and other employees of the school system. The School Board, through the Superintendent and staff, will organize and monitor the safety and health program for the Jefferson Davis Parish School Board. The Superintendent will delegate authority and responsibility to principals and other supervisory personnel to implement a sound safety and health program for each school. This program will consist of the following:

1. The school, through the principal, will provide and maintain a safe environment which includes buildings, grounds, equipment, supplies, machinery, heating, lighting, and ventilation.
2. Safety education will include constant surveillance for, and progressive reduction of, hazards to the safety and health of all students, faculty, and other employees.
3. Provision shall be made for cooperation with other agencies, such as fire and police departments in the interest of improving the safety program of the school.
4. Proper reporting and adequate records shall be kept on all accidents.
5. All accidents shall be investigated by a staff member in charge of safety.
6. Adherence to an Emergency Plan Guide that has been developed in cooperation with federal, state and local governments in case of natural or man-made disasters.

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