

**Use of School Facilities****STUDENT DANCES**

- I. Proper student decorum can best be brought about through adequate supervision. In order that proper care may be taken of school property and continued permission granted for these activities, the following procedures should be followed when these dances are sponsored by the school or school-allied organizations.
  - A. An adequate number of chaperones over 21 years of age should station themselves in strategic locations.
  - B. Students and guests should not be readmitted to the building after leaving.
  - C. Illegal drugs, tobacco, and alcoholic beverages are prohibited. Weapons, including licensed, concealed weapons, are prohibited, except when in the possession of law enforcement officers during the execution of their official duties.
  - D. Dress should be suitable for the occasion.
  - E. Only students currently attending Miami-Dade County schools should be permitted to attend. Students may invite guests, however, the school administrator will have the authority to determine who will be admitted.
  - F. Student identification cards should be required.
  - G. All students should be encouraged to respect school rules and property.
  - H. If the size of the affair warrants, off-duty police should be hired by the organization. The district office of the School Police must be contacted to arrange an off-duty School Police officer if available. If School Police cannot provide the necessary service then the organization should contact the local police department.

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