

Palmyra Area School District

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: PUBLIC PERFORMANCES
BY STUDENTS

ADOPTED: November 9, 1995

REVISED: January 12, 2006

<p>1. Purpose</p> <p>2. Authority</p> <p>3. Delegation of Responsibility</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">230. PUBLIC PERFORMANCES BY STUDENTS</p> <p>The Board recognizes the value to students of sharing their talents and skills with the community through student participation and performances in public events.</p> <p>The Board endorses such performances when</p> <p>they constitute a learning experience which contributes to the educational program; they do not interfere with other scheduled activities of the school; and</p> <p>the circumstances of the event do not pose a threat to the health, safety and well-being of the students who will be involved.</p> <p>All requests for public performances by student groups require the approval of the principal who shall report such requests, through the Superintendent, to the Board.</p> <p>The Superintendent shall develop procedures to implement this policy which require that:</p> <p>parental permission is sought and received before students may participate;</p> <p>no student, group of students or employees of this Board may receive compensation for the performance in public of students organized as a school representative; and</p> <p>the interests of students are protected and guarded against exploitation.</p> <p><u>Contests</u></p> <p>Participation in contests shall be limited to those contests and activities that the appropriate principal determines to be educationally stimulating for the pupil.</p>
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Such contests should be educationally stimulating for the pupil, and support and supplement the school program without interfering with regular school activities.

Dramatic Productions

Dramatic and musical productions, whether for public viewing or for pupil education and entertainment, shall be consistent with standards of decency acceptable to the school and community.

Vulgarity, obscenity, and nudity are prohibited.

The appropriateness of dramatic and musical productions shall be determined by the principal.