

SCHOOL VOLUNTEER SERVICES

The Colorado Springs School District 11 Board of Education (the “Board”) believes students are best served through a cooperative effort between the school and the community and believes in utilizing all of the resources available in the community to increase student achievement, maximize learning opportunities for students and striving to provide a safe learning environment. All efforts using community resources will be aligned with Colorado Springs School District 11’s (the District) Business Plan. Volunteers are valuable resources; however, they are not meant to replace District staff members.

Individuals seeking to volunteer for the District shall register with Volunteer Services and Community Partnerships (“Volunteer Services”). Individuals may not volunteer for the District until they have met all of the requirements outlined in IJOC-R, the regulation to this policy. At no time may a volunteer who has not passed an extensive criminal background check be alone with District students other than his/her own child. For the purposes of this policy, alone means without a District employee.

The Board directs the Superintendent/designee to develop a regulation, in alignment with this policy, for the purpose of augmenting and supporting the work of District staff with Volunteer Services to meet the goal of the District to increase student achievement.

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LEGAL REFS.: C.R.S. 8-40-101, et seq. (Workers’ Compensation Act of Colorado)
C.R.S. 24-10-101, et seq. (Colorado Governmental Immunity Act)

CROSS REFS.: EB, Safety Program
ECA/ECAB, Security/Access to Buildings
ECA/ECAB-R, Access to Buildings (Keys)
EEAG, Transportation in Private Vehicles
EI, Insurance and Self-Insurance Program/Risk Management
IJOA, Field Trips
IJOC-R, Regulation to Policy IJOC, School Volunteer Services
KF, Community Use of District Property (for Non-District Use)
KI, Visitors to Schools

CONTRACT REFS.: CSEA Master Agreement