

CASWELL COUNTY SCHOOLS BOARD OF EDUCATION POLICY	<u>STUDENTS</u> Illicit Drug Alcohol Use, Possession of Other Drugs	470
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The Caswell County Board of Education recognizes that a serious drug/alcohol problem exists both nationally and locally. Prevention and/or early identification can restore individuals to their potential in school, job, and everyday life.

It is the intent of this policy to promote a healthier, safer school environment for students. All personnel employed by the Caswell County Board of Education will advise students and guard their rights to learn in a drug-free environment.

ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS

The use of illicit drugs and the unlawful possession and use of alcohol is wrong and harmful. A student enrolled in the Caswell County School System shall not possess, use, transmit, or be under the influence of any illicit drug, alcohol products, and/or other drugs:

1. In or on the premises of any building owned by the Caswell County Board of Education (including the Civic Center), before, during, or after school hours.
2. At school sponsored, related, and/or sanctioned activities, including "off campus activities", or while being transported to or from any event.

Students shall not possess any counterfeit substance misrepresented as a controlled substance, drug paraphernalia, or other drugs.

DISCIPLINE PROCEDURES

The Drug and Alcohol Policy of the Caswell County Board of Education mandates that any student engaging in the activities addressed in this policy be subject to the penalties listed in the Student Code of Conduct.