

## **JHC Student Organizations**

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Students may form clubs(school sponsored) and other groups (non-school sponsored) organized to promote or pursue specialized activities outside the regular classroom. Membership in student organizations, whether school sponsored or non-school sponsored, must be open to all interested and eligible students. The building principal shall approve (and the board may approve) school sponsored student organizations. A district employee, as a sponsor or supervisor, shall attend the meetings or activities to advise (clubs) or supervise (groups) activities and use of the facilities.

### **Student Clubs**

The administrator shall establish regulations for the operation of school sponsored clubs, and for the use of school facilities by non-school-sponsored groups.

School sponsored clubs shall be under the direct control of school personnel. Every school sponsored club shall have a constitution which has been approved by the building principal and filed in the school office. If non-curriculum related school sponsored clubs are allowed to meet on school facilities then, during non-instructional time, non-school sponsored student groups may also meet in school facilities.

### **Non-School Sponsored Student Groups**

Non-school sponsored groups shall submit a request for use of school facilities prior to using the facilities. A district employee must attend the meetings as a supervisor but may not participate in the group's activities.

The school may deny groups that (1) are directed, conducted, controlled, or regularly attended by nonschool persons, or (2) unlawfully or materially and substantially interfere with the orderly conduct of educational activities.

**Student Government**

Student councils under the direct control of the building principal or designated district employee may be established. Student councils may exercise only the authority expressly delegated to them by the building principal.

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