

Richmond School District Policy Statement
Reporting Child Abuse/Neglect

Policy #: 454

The Board of Education recognizes that the most important role of the school in today's society is to provide students with the best possible opportunities for educational success. The District also recognizes that children who are abused and/or neglected not only are harmed physically and emotionally but also educationally. The District is committed to providing a positive and safe environment within the school. The District is also committed to assisting families and community child protection agencies when providing positive and safe environments in the home and community. All School District employees, as mandated reporters, must report any threatened or suspected child abuse or neglect in accordance with state law and established procedures.

Legal Ref: Section 48.02 Wisconsin Statutes
48.981
118.01(2)(d)8
118.125
938.396
939.22(14)
940.225
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