

# VALLEY VIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: STUDENT ACCIDENT  
INSURANCE

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211. STUDENT ACCIDENT INSURANCE	
1. Purpose	The Board recognizes the need for insurance coverage for unforeseen accidents that may occur to students in the course of attendance at school or participation in the athletic and extracurricular programs of the schools.
2. Authority	<p>The Board does not provide accident insurance coverage for students. The Board shall offer an individual insurance plan which enables the parent/guardian to purchase insurance protection for students at a set cost for injury resulting from accidents sustained by students while participating in:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Any activity during school hours.</li> <li>2. Any activity sponsored by the school, including driver education training.</li> <li>3. Any activity round-the-clock.</li> </ol> <p>The Board shall require parents/guardians of students who participate in an interscholastic sport, cheerleader program, band program and designated extracurricular programs to purchase the student accident insurance available through the school district or provide proof of comparable insurance, prior to the student's participation.</p>
3. Guidelines	Parents/Guardians may also purchase insurance coverage for students that covers a student for twenty-four (24) hours a day.
4. Delegation of Responsibility	<p>The Superintendent or designee shall be responsible to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Prepare specifications and secure suitable coverage from qualified insurance carriers for recommendation and Board approval.</li> <li>2. Notify all students and parents/guardians of students who may be eligible for insurance purchase.</li> </ol>

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References:

School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 511

Board Policy – 122, 123