

BEND - LA PINE SCHOOL DISTRICT
Administrative School District No. 1
Deschutes County, Oregon

Selection of Projects for
Professional Technology and
Science Classrooms
Section: Instruction
Code: IIABA – AR

ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATION

The delivery of professional technology and science instruction appropriately includes the use of classroom projects to reinforce and expand student understanding of subject matter. In addition to meeting curricular objectives, student and staff safety is of paramount importance.

In order to maintain a safe environment for learning the following guidelines must be used for selection of student projects that are not already authorized within district-approved subject-area curricula.

Before the project is started:

1. Specific skills or concepts students will learn must be clearly defined.
2. These skills and concepts must be directly related to and further district-adopted subject-area curricula goals and objectives.
3. Potential safety hazards must be minimized by using proper safety equipment and safe operating procedures.

Generally, projects should be restricted to commercially available products or designs obtained from nationally recognized educational or professional organizations, such as the International Technology Education Association. Further, principal approval is required for projects not authorized in approved curriculum.

The local office of Oregon OSHA may be accessed with appropriate lead time to provide consultative services to review any potential safety hazards related to a proposed project.

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