

Banks School District 13

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Student Recognition and Awards

The Board instructs the professional staff to maintain a set of criteria and procedures for presenting suitable awards to students for scholarship and distinguished service in school activities.

The professional staff is authorized to review, approve or reject proposed trophies, prizes, scholarships or other awards from nonschool donors. Acceptance shall require affirmative answers to the following questions:

1. Can the proposed award be considered free from motives of personal gain?
2. Are the criteria for making the award under the control of the professional staff or acceptable to the staff?
3. Are the purposes, either implied or explicit, of the proposed award consistent with the school's goals?

All honors and awards presented to students by the schools shall serve as an incentive to enrichment of their school programs and a stimulation to their level of thinking and living. All honors, awards and scholarships presented by the schools shall be awarded strictly on the merits of the student receiving them.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 332.107
ORS 332.385