

CRITERIA FOR PARTICIPATION IN NON-SCHOOL SPONSORED CONTESTS & COMPETITIONS

The following shall be a guide for determining participation in non-school sponsored competitions and contests:

1. Whether the contest/competition is on the list of approved contests/competitions published annually by the Committee on National Contests and Activities of the National Association of Secondary School Principals.
2. Whether the contest will supplement the regular school program.
3. Whether the contest makes it possible for individual students to work out contributions by their own efforts and does not invite dishonest collaboration.
4. Whether the contest excludes contestants because of race, color, religion, gender, age, national origin, ancestry, disability, other class protected by law, or payment of entry fee. The District shall not participate in discriminatory contests/competitions.
5. Whether the contest will place an undue burden on students, teachers, or the school or require frequent/lengthy absence of participants from the school. The District shall not participate in contests/competitions that interfere with or disrupt the educational program.
6. Whether the contest is sponsored by an organization engaged in a creditable or acceptable enterprise, regardless of the kind or amount of prizes offered.

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