San Dieguito Union High School District

Fire Drills and Fires

AR 3516.1

Business and Noninstructional Operations

Fire Drills

The principal shall cause the fire alarm signal to be sounded at least once every month.

The principal shall also hold fire drills four times every school year at the intermediate level, and not less than twice every school year at the secondary level.

- 1. The principal shall notify staff as to the schedule for fire drills.
- 2. Whenever a fire drill is held, all students, teachers and other employees shall be directed to leave the building.
- 3. Teachers shall ascertain that no student remains in the building.
- 4. Teachers shall be prepared to select alternate exits and shall direct their classes to these exits whenever the designated escape route is blocked.
- 5. The principal or designee shall keep a record of each fire drill conducted and file a copy of this record with the office of the Superintendent or designee.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

17074.50-17074.56 Automatic fire detection, alarm and sprinkler systems

32001 Uniform fire signals

32040 Duty to equip school with first aid kit

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

550 Fire drills

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