

1 **St. Regis School District**

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3 **STUDENTS**

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5 Student Fees, Fines, and Charges

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7 Within the concept of free public education, the District will provide an educational program for
8 students as free of costs as possible.

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10 The Board may charge a student a reasonable fee for any course or activity not reasonably related
11 to a recognized academic and educational goal of the District or for any course or activity taking
12 place outside normal school functions. The Board may waive fees in cases of financial hardship.

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14 The Board delegates authority to the Superintendent to establish appropriate fees and procedures
15 governing collection of fees and asks the Superintendent to make annual reports to the Board
16 regarding fee schedules. The Board also may require fees for actual cost of breakage and for
17 excessive supplies used in commercial, industrial arts, music, domestic science, science, or
18 agriculture courses.

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20 The District holds a student responsible for the cost of replacing materials or property that are
21 lost or damaged because of negligence. A building administrator will notify a student and parent
22 regarding the nature of violation or damage, how restitution may be made, and how an appeal
23 may be instituted. The District may withhold a student’s grades or diploma until restitution is
24 made. A student or parent may appeal the imposition of a charge for damages to the
25 Superintendent and to the Board.

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29	Legal reference:	20-5-201, MCA Duties and sanctions
30		20-7-601, MCA Free textbook provisions
31		20-9-214, MCA Fees

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33 Policy History:

34 Adopted on: March 8, 2006

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