

## **HAZING POLICY**

The practice of hazing as a means of initiating new members of athletic teams and/or school clubs or organizations will not be tolerated by the Laconia School District. Hazing is defined as any conduct or method of initiating students onto any student team or club or organization, which subject a student to physical, emotional, or mental abuse and/or publicly embarrasses or humiliates the student. Hazing or initiation practices in any area of student life will be disciplined according to school district procedures and will be reported to the police in accordance with RSA 631:7.

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