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## **Equal Educational Opportunities**

Equal educational opportunity and treatment shall be assured all students legally enrolled in Lowell School District No. 71. No student shall be limited or excluded from participation in any educational program, activity, or benefit on the basis of race, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability, or marital status. Exceptions shall be only as provided in OAR 581-21-046 (1)(c) which allows for separation of students by sex within physical education classes during body contact activities.

Continuous effort will be devoted to providing equal educational opportunities to all students and to the elimination and prevention of discrimination.

Discrimination, as used in this policy, means any educational disadvantage or limitation against any student of this District on the basis of race, national origin, religion, sex, age, disability or marital status.

END OF POLICY

## Legal Reference(s):

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