

HB 35 -- School-Sponsored Clubs and Extracurricular Activities

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This bill requires school districts to develop policies and procedures that offer parents the opportunity to withhold permission for a child to join clubs or participate in extracurricular activities. A description of the club's purpose and activities and the planned program for any extracurricular activity will be part of an annual notification, using the student handbook or other appropriate method. Beginning with the 2007-2008 school year, districts must obtain written permission from a parent or guardian for a student to be a member of a club or participate in an extracurricular activity.