

DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION ABOUT JUVENILE OFFENDER POLICY

Purpose: The purpose of this policy is to comply with the requirements of Utah Administrative Code R277-6714.

Policy: Utah Code 53A-11-910.

The Principal, school secretary, and teacher of students have authority to receive private information about students who are designated juvenile offenders if the offense poses a potential future threat to the welfare of the offender, other students, or staff members. Such information will be disseminated by the Principal or his/her designee. Violent crimes and drug related crimes are examples of offenses that pose possible future threats. Petty theft is an example of an offense that would be left to the discretion of the Principal. The School reserves the right to judge the potential threats of any juvenile offender and to act in good faith to preserve the safety of the staff and students, while respecting the privacy of the offender.

Discipline and confidentiality.

School officials shall strictly protect student confidentiality in matters of discipline and take all reasonable measures to keep information dissemination on a need to know basis.