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The Board believes that the employees and students of this school, as well as visitors, are entitled to function in an environment as free from hazards as can reasonably be provided. In this regard and in accordance with law, the Board will provide reasonable and adequate protection to the lives, safety, and health of its employees.

In accordance with State law, the Board will designate safe areas and comply with disaster protection guidelines. The Principal shall be responsible for the maintenance of standards in the facilities to prevent accidents and to minimize their consequences.

The Principal shall, with the approval of the Board, designate staff members to focus on school safety issues for Edison School of the Arts. The school safety issues include, but are not limited to, the following:

- A. conduct periodic audits of health and safety conditions within the facilities of the school in accordance with the Federal OSHA standards adopted by the State, and report any violations to the Superintendent;
- B. have the authority to organize and direct the activities of a school safety committee;
- C. assist, as necessary, the safety council with the development of a safety plan for each school;
- D. coordinate the safety plans of each school as required by rules adopted by the Indiana State Board of Education;
- E. act as a resource for other individuals in Edison School of the Arts on issues related to school discipline, safety, and security.



The Principal shall ascertain that the employees and students of this school are aware of their rights to an environment free of recognized hazards, that they are properly trained in safety methods, that protective devices and equipment are available to meet safety standards, and that proper guidelines and records are maintained to meet the requirements of the law.