

444 SCHOOL AGE PARENTS/MARRIED STUDENTS

Marital, maternal, or paternal status shall not affect the rights and privileges of students to receive a public education nor to take part in any extracurricular activity offered by the school.

Pregnant students shall be permitted to continue in school when continued attendance has the sanction of the expectant mother's physician. The physician's approval of this continued attendance must be on file at the school. The Board or school employees shall not, in any manner, compel a pregnant girl to withdraw from her regular educational program. Program modifications and services shall be made available to school-age parents in the District in accordance with state law.

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