

Instruction

**Drug/Alcohol Instruction**

Drug/Alcohol instruction in compliance with state statutes: Section 10-19 (entitled effect of alcohol, nicotine or tobacco and drugs to be taught), as defined in subdivision (17) of section 21a-240 shall provide instruction on the effect of alcohol, nicotine or tobacco and of drugs on health, character, and personality development. Said instruction shall be taught every academic year to all pupils in all grades.

Each year, the policy will be reviewed by the district health committee to determine compliance in terms of curriculum requirements; training of staff; review of system guidelines for providing information on school based substance abuse programs and review of statutory changes.