

INSTRUCTION

Administrative Procedures - Experiments Upon or Dissection of Animals

The following procedures will be followed by a student who wishes to be excused from classroom instruction which involves the dissecting or vivisectioning of animals.

1. The student will submit to the teacher a written request from his or her parent(s)/guardian(s) stating the class, time and reason for not participating in the instruction period.
2. The teacher will review the request with the Building Principal. The Building Principal may request an interview with the student and the student's parent(s)/guardian(s).
3. If the student's request is granted by the Building Principal, the teacher will assign the student to an alternative activity, comparable in academic demand and responsibility.
4. The alternative activity will carry equal credit to the laboratory activity.

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