

Public Performances by Students

Teachers are encouraged to provide students with opportunities for public performances when:

- Performances fit both the goals of the schools and the needs of the students,
- Students are not exploited for the benefit of any individual or group,
- No student is excluded because of race, color, religion, gender, age, sexual orientation, national origin or disability.

Students as members of recognized school groups or organizations may perform where admission fees are charged only if the proceeds are used for charitable, educational, or civic purposes. Payment for performances may be accepted by the schools but not by individual students. The supervision of the students and liability protection for the participants will be responsibilities of the school district.

Approval of all public performances will be given by the principal involved when the above criteria have been met.

References:

MGL 71: 47 Athletic Programs; School Organizations; Regulations

MGL 71: 51 Exhibition of School Work at Expositions