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**STUDENT/SPONSOR ATTENDANCE AT NATIONAL CONVENTIONS**

Central City Public Schools recognizes the importance of national trips to extend and build upon student experiences. When students qualify for a national competition or national convention through a school-sponsored activity, the Board of Education believes that district funds should help support the student and sponsor.

In the event that a student(s) qualify for a national competition or national convention through a school-sponsored activity, the district will pay ½ of the expenses incurred to represent the district to include: transportation, meals (at a per meal or daily rate approved by the Superintendent), entry fees, and lodging (at a reasonable and pre-approved rate). The student(s) may fund-raise, utilize representing organization funds approved by the sponsor, or seek additional support for the remaining ½ of their expenses.

In the event that a student(s) qualify for a national competition or national convention through a school-sponsored activity, the district will pay the expenses of the sponsor required to represent the district to include: transportation, meals (at a per meal or daily rate approved by the Superintendent), entry fees, and lodging (at a reasonable and pre-approved rate).

The above policy is based on available funds in the budget.

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