

COUNCIL ROCK SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYEES

TITLE: ACADEMIC FREEDOM

ADOPTED: August 28, 1997

REVISED:

<p>1. Purpose</p> <p>2. Authority</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">420. ACADEMIC FREEDOM</p> <p>The Board acknowledges the right of its professional employees as citizens in a democratic society to speak out on issues of public concern. When those issues are related to the school system and its programs, however, the employee's freedom of expression must be balanced against the interests of this district.</p> <p>Academic freedom shall be in accordance with the rights guaranteed and inherent under the Constitution of the United States of America and the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.</p> <p>Violations of these guidelines may result in disciplinary action, including dismissal.</p>
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