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**Married Students**  
**Policy Series: 3000 Students** **Policy No. 3116**

9 **Purpose**

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11 The purpose of this policy is to ensure that all students are afforded equal access to educational  
12 opportunities and school programs regardless of marital status. In accordance with applicable  
13 federal and state laws, the Board affirms that students who are married retain the same rights,  
14 privileges, and responsibilities as other enrolled students.  
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16 The Board is committed to maintaining a learning environment that treats all students fairly and  
17 supports their continued engagement in their education.  
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20 **Policy**

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22 This policy establishes that marriage shall not be used as a basis to deny, limit, or otherwise  
23 restrict a student's participation in academic programs, extracurricular activities, services, or  
24 other school-sponsored opportunities. Married students shall have the same rights and  
25 responsibilities as unmarried students. This includes the right to participate in any  
26 extracurricular activities on the same basis, and subject to the same requirements, as unmarried  
27 students.  
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30 **Legal References**

- 31 [Utah Constitution, Article X, Section 2](#)
- 32 [Utah Code § 53G-6-302](#)
- 33 [34 C.F.R. § 106.40](#)
- 34 [Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. § 1681](#)

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37 **Board Approved:**  
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