

STUDENT DISCIPLINE

The Board, administrators, and staff have joint responsibility for the maintenance of student discipline. The administrator and the staff of each school will develop appropriate student policies and procedures that shall govern student conduct as approved by the Board in school handbooks. School rules and regulations are applicable to school grounds and adjacent premises, all activities sponsored by the school, school-provided or school-arranged vehicles, and while students are traveling to and from school. School authorities may discipline students for out-of-school conduct negatively impacting students, staff and/or the school environment in any way.

An administrator, teacher or staff member may use reasonable force as necessary to prevent conduct negatively impacting the school environment, prevent injury to another person, protect himself/herself from attack while acting within the scope of his/her employment, or to prevent damage to property.

The Board shall give every reasonable support and protection, legal and otherwise, to its staff in carrying out their respective responsibilities to maintain a safe learning environment.

The procedures for suspension and expulsion of students are set forth in policy JKD/JKE.

See also policy:

JKD/JKE - Suspension or Expulsion of Students

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