

STUDENT CONDUCT (ZERO TOLERANCE)

A student who fails to comply with established school rules or with any reasonable request made by school personnel in accordance with Board policy is subject to approved student discipline regulations.

Students and parents shall annually receive, at the beginning of the school year or upon entering during the year, written information on the rules and regulations to which they are subject. The information includes the types of conduct which are subject to suspension or expulsion from school or other forms of disciplinary action. The board directs the administration to make all students aware of the student code of conduct and the fact that any violations of the student code of conduct are punishable.

The Board of Education will not tolerate violent, disruptive, or inappropriate behavior, including excessive truancy, by its students. The superintendent or designee shall develop strategies ranging from prevention to intervention to address such misbehavior.

If a student violates this policy or the code of conduct, school personnel, students or parents should report the student to the appropriate principal. The administration cooperates in any prosecution pursuant to the criminal laws of the State of Ohio and local ordinances.

The student code of conduct is made available to students and parents and is posted in a central location within each building.

LEGAL REFS: O.R.C. §3313.534

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