
Student Conduct Expectations and Reasonable Sanctions

The board acknowledges that conduct and behavior is closely associated with learning. An effective instructional program requires a wholesome and orderly school environment. The board requires that each student adhere to the rules of conduct and submit to corrective action taken as a result of conduct violations. The rules of conduct are applicable during the school day as well as during any school activity conducted on or off campus. Special rules are also applicable while riding on a school bus.

Students are expected to:

- A. Respect the rights, person and property of others;
- B. Pursue the required course of study;
- C. Preserve the degree of order necessary for a positive climate for learning; and
- D. Comply with district rules and regulations;
- E. Submit to the authority of staff and reasonable discipline imposed by school employees and respond accordingly.

The superintendent will develop written rules of conduct which will carry out the intent of the board and establish procedures necessary to implement this policy.

Cross References:

Policy 3241	Classroom Management, Corrective Actions or Punishment
Policy 6605	Student Safety Walking to School and Riding Buses

Legal References:

RCW	4.24.190	Action against parent for wilful injury to property by minor — Monetary limitation — Common law liability preserved
	9A.16.020	Use of force — when lawful
Chapter	9.41 RCW	Firearms and dangerous weapons
	9.91.160	Personal protection spray devices
	28A.210.310	Prohibition on use of tobacco products on school property
RCW	28A.400.110	Principal to assure appropriate student discipline — Building discipline standards — Classes to improve classroom management skills
RCW	28A.600.020	Exclusion of student from classroom — Written disciplinary procedures — Long-term suspension or expulsion
RCW	28A.600.040	Pupils to comply with rules and regulations
RCW	28A.635.060	Defacing or injuring school property — Liability of pupil, parent or guardian Withholding grades, diploma, or transcripts — Suspension and

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		restitution — Voluntary work program as alternative — Rights protected.
WAC	392-400-205	Definitions_[ESSB 5946, effective 9/28/13, requires update]
	392-400-225	School district rules defining misconduct — Distribution of rules
20 U.S.C. 7101 et seq. ESSB 5946		Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act [New sections added to Chapter 28A.600, RCW to be codified October 2013]

Management Resources;

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