

Student Conduct Expectations and Reasonable Sanctions

The board acknowledges that conduct and behavior is closely associated to 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 shall develop written rules of conduct which will carry out the intent of the board and establish procedures necessary to implement this policy.

The Board also recognizes that schools must take reasonable steps so that students who fail to adhere to the district's rules and regulations and who receive discipline for such misconduct remain engaged or are effectively reengaged in their educational program.

Cross References:	Policy 3241	Classroom Management, Discipline and Corrective Action
	Board 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
	9.41	Firearms and dangerous weapons
	9.91.160	Personal protection spray devices
	28A.210.310	Prohibition on use of tobacco products on school property
	28A.320.128	Notice and disclosure policies – Threats of violence – Student conduct – Immunity for good faith notice - Penalty
	28A.400.110	Principal to assure appropriate student discipline
	28A.600.015	Rules incorporating due process guarantees of pupils with regard to expulsions and suspensions
	28A.600.020	Exclusion of student from classroom-Written disciplinary procedures-Long-term suspension or expulsion

28A.600.022	Suspended or expelled students-Reengagement plan
28A.600.040	Pupils to comply with rules & regulations
28A.635.060	Defacing or injuring school property — Liability of pupil, parent or guardian
28A.635.090	Interference by force or violence—Penalty
28A.635.100	Intimidating any administrator, teacher, classified employee, or student by threat of force or violence unlawful-Penalty
WAC 392-400-205	Definitions
392-400-210	Student responsibilities and duties
392-400-215	Student rights
392-400-225	School district rules defining misconduct — Distribution of rules
392-400-226	School district rules defining harassment, intimidation and bullying prevention policies and procedures – Distribution of rules
392-400-227	School district rules defining students’ religious rights
392-400-233	Unexcused absences and tardiness
20 USC 3171 et. seq.	Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act
ESSB 5946	New sections added to Chapter 28A.600, RCW to be codified October 2013

Management Resources:

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