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. Conform to reasonable standards of acceptable behavior;

B. Respect the rights, person and property of others;

C. Preserve the degree of order necessary for a positive climate for learning; and

D. Submit to the authority of staff and reasonable discipline imposed by school employees and respond accordingly.

E. Pursue the required course of study.

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 Reference:  
Board Policy 3210  Nondiscrimination
Board Policy 6605  Student Safety Walking to School and Riding Buses
Board Policy 3241  Classroom Management, Discipline and Corrective Action

Legal References:  
RCW 4.24.190  Action against parent for willful injury to person or property by minor -- Monetary limitation -- Common law liability preserved.
RCW 9.41  Firearms and dangerous weapons.
RCW 9.91.160  Personal protection spray devices.
RCW 9A.16.020  Use of force -- When lawful.
RCW 28A.210.310  Prohibition of 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 -- Suspension and restitution -- Voluntary work program as alternative -- Rights protected.
RCW 28A.320.128  Notice and disclosure policies- Threats of violence-Student conduct-Immunity for good faith notice -- Penalty
RCW 28A.635.100  Intimidating any administrator, teacher, Classified employee, or student by threat of force or violence unlawful--Penalty
WAC 392-400-210  Student responsibilities and duties
WAC 392-400-215  Student rights
WAC 392-400-226  School district rules defining harassment, intimidation and bullying prevention policies and procedures-Distribution of rules
WAC 392-400-227  School district rules defining students' religious rights
WAC 392-400-233  Unexcused absences and tardiness
WAC 392-400-205  Definition.
WAC 392-400-225  School district rules defining misconduct -- Distribution of rules.

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