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## **CORPORAL PUNISHMENT**

Corporal punishment is defined as the intentional use of physical force upon a student for any alleged offense or behavior or the use of physical force in an attempt to modify the behavior, thoughts, or attitudes of a student.

The use of corporal punishment in any form is prohibited in the public schools. No student will be subject to the infliction of corporal punishment by any teacher, student, administrator, or other school personnel.

No teacher, administrator, student, or other person shall subject a student to corporal punishment or condone the use of corporal punishment by any person under his or her supervision or control. Permission to administer corporal punishment will not be sought or accepted from any parent, guardian, or school official.

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