

## 2018-2019 Code of Student Conduct Proposed Revisions

### Page 13 - Additional language

#### Hope Scholarship Program

The Hope Scholarship Program (HSP) provides the parent of a public school student who reports an incident at school the opportunity to transfer the student to a public school that has capacity within the school district, receive a scholarship to transport the student to a public school in another school district, or receive a scholarship for the student to attend a private school. For purposes of the program an incident includes battery, harassment, hazing, bullying, kidnapping, physical attack, robbery, sexual offense, assault, threat, intimidation, or fighting at school. Beginning with the 2018-2019 school year, contingent upon funds, scholarships are awarded on a first-come, first-served basis.

### Page 21 – Medication Policy – Additional language

See School Board Policy 5.622 for Administering Medical Marijuana to Qualified Students on District Property.

### Page 32 – Additional language

#### **Bomb Threats/False Report**

3. Notification of parents/guardians of out-of-school suspension and the recommendation for a Disciplinary Hearing in accordance with procedures for out-of-school suspension and expulsion. Any student who is determined to have made a threat or false report will be referred to mental health services for evaluation or treatment, when appropriate.

### Page 35 – Additional language

#### **Drugs: Distribution, Purported\***

*The distribution of any controlled (F.S. 893) or unlawful substance (including “spice” and other synthetic substances); distribution of an inhalant or any substance represented as drugs (such as designer drugs, caffeine pills, herbs, foods); or negotiation for the sale on school property or within one thousand (1000) feet of school property or at a school-sponsored activity on property other than school property.*

### Page 38 – Additional language

#### **False Accusation of a School Staff Member**

*Any false accusation which jeopardizes the professional reputation, employment, or certification of any member of the school staff.*

1. Disciplinary action, up to and including alternative placement or expulsion a recommendation for a Disciplinary Hearing regarding the removal of the student from the regular school program through alternative placement or expulsion as determined by school officials.

### Page 42 – Additional language

#### **Sexual Offense**

*“Sexual contact without force or thrust of force when the victim is both parties are capable of giving consent. It may also include but not be limited to exposing an individual to lewd, sexual behavior or action.”*

### Page 42-43 – Additional language

#### **Tobacco and/or Nicotine Products: Possession/Smoking**

4. Out-of-school suspension of the student for a period of up to five to ten (5-10) days the for a third and subsequent offenses.
5. Notification of parents/guardians of out-of-school suspension in accordance with out-of-school suspension procedures.

Subsequent infractions of this statute and policy may result in the alternative placement or expulsion of the student.  
recommendation for a Disciplinary Hearing regarding the removal of the student from the regular school program through alternative placement or expulsion as determined by school officials.

## Page 44 – Additional language

### **Weapons (Firearms): Use and/or Display**

#### **(Firearms): Replica or Facsimile**

4. Notification of parents/guardians of out-of-school suspension and recommendation for a Disciplinary Hearing in accordance with procedures for out-of-school suspension and alternative placement or expulsion. Any student who is determined to have brought a firearm or weapon will be referred to mental health services.

### **Weapons (Firearms): Possession**

#### *(Firearms): Possession*

4. Notification of parents/guardians of out-of-school suspension and recommendation for a Disciplinary Hearing in accordance with procedures for out-of-school suspension and expulsion. Any student who is determined to have brought a firearm or weapon will be referred to mental health services.

### **Weapons (Firearms): Replica or Facsimile**

- 4 Notification of parents/guardians of out-of-school suspension and recommendation for a Disciplinary Hearing in accordance with procedures for out-of-school suspension and alternative placement or expulsion. Any student who is determined to have brought a firearm or weapon will be referred to mental health services.

## Page 45 – Additional Language

### **Weapons (Other): Possession and/or Use**

3. Notification of parents/guardians of the out-of-school suspension and recommendation for a Disciplinary Hearing in accordance with appropriate procedures for out-of-school suspension and alternative placement or expulsion. Any student who is determined to have brought a firearm or weapon will be referred to mental health services.