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### AMENDMENT TO STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT FOR 2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR

EFFECTIVE DATE: APRIL 10, 2023

Section: **Conduct Warranting Disciplinary Action**

Page: 16, Section part 11 renamed TOBACCO AND ALTERNATIVE NICOTINE OR VAPOR PRODUCT USE BY STUDENTS (**EXCEPT FOR VAPOR (VAPE) PRODUCTS**)/ Board Policy 09.4232

Page: 21, Section part 41 addition. Summary below:

#### **41.VAPOR (VAPE) PRODUCT AND/OR PARAPHERNALIA USE BY STUDENTS / Board Policy 09.4232**

If a student is found in possession of a vape and/or paraphernalia while on a school bus, the student will be subject to bus discipline in addition to the sanctions below. Paraphernalia includes any items that would be used to produce, conceal, or consume vapes.

	<b>1<sup>ST</sup> OFFENSE</b>	<b>2<sup>ND</sup> OFFENSE</b>	<b>3<sup>RD</sup> OFFENSE</b>
<b>Elementary</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Parent/family contact</li><li>• 1 day out of school suspension</li><li>• Guidance/counseling provided by school</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Parent/family contact</li><li>• 2 days out of school suspension</li><li>• Referral to counseling services (family choice of provider)<sup>3</sup></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Parent/family contact</li><li>• 3 days out of school suspension</li><li>• No extracurricular activities for the remainder of the year</li><li>• Referral to counseling services (family choice of provider)<sup>3</sup></li></ul>
<b>Middle High</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Parent/family contact</li><li>• 1 day out of school suspension</li><li>• Guidance/counseling provided by school</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Parent/family contact</li><li>• Day Treatment referral for 50 hours<sup>1</sup></li><li>• Loss of extracurricular activities for time at Day Treatment<sup>1</sup></li><li>• Referral to counseling services (family choice of provider)<sup>3</sup></li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Parent/family contact</li><li>• Day Treatment referral for 100 hours<sup>2</sup></li><li>• Loss of extracurricular activities for time at Day Treatment<sup>2</sup></li><li>• Referral to counseling services (family choice of provider)<sup>3</sup></li></ul>

<sup>1</sup> Student will attend Day Treatment until the end of the day that 50 hours is met and lose extracurricular activities for that entire day. <sup>2</sup> Student will attend Day Treatment until the end of the day that 100 hours is met and lose extracurricular activities for that entire day. <sup>3</sup> School will provide referral to counseling services, with the parent/guardian choosing the provider. The District shall endeavor to locate free or low-cost counseling/assistance program options. Parents/guardians shall be responsible for the cost of any counseling or treatment program.

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