

Clatskanie School District 6J

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Student Complaints

The Board, administration and staff will honor the students' rights of inquiry and rights to express matters of concern through existing processes of communication which do not infringe upon the rights of others.

All personnel are dedicated to the belief that students shall have adequate opportunity to communicate matters of concern to the staff and administration and shall have ample opportunity to discuss these matters with members of the student body.

If these processes of communication do not produce a satisfactory solution and if grievances are to be advanced, it is the student's right and obligation to utilize grievance procedures.

A student grievance is defined as a complaint lodged by a student with a member of the staff or administration alleging one or more of the following unfair practices:

1. A school rule is unfair;
2. A school rule or regulation discriminates between students;
3. An unfair procedure has been used in arriving at a punishment.

The superintendent is directed to establish a procedure for student complaints.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)