

**Discipline for Use, Possession, Distribution or Sale of Tobacco Products or Inhalant Delivery Systems\*\***

The following procedures will be used for students who violate the district's policy on use, possession, distribution or sale of tobacco products or inhalant delivery systems:

**First Offense**

Suspension in-school/out-of-school (may be up to five days). Conference with parents and referral to a tobacco education program that provides information concerning the harmful effects of smoking, vaporizing or aerosolizing of inhalants. The school counselor will be notified.

**Second Offense** - within an 18 month period of the first offense

Out-of-School suspension (may be up to five days). Student may be required to complete a cessation program before returning to classes. Student completing or on track to complete the cessation program may be allowed to return to school prior to serving the entire suspension.

**Third Offense** - within an 18 month period of the first offense

Out-of-school suspension (may be up to seven days) or expulsion.

Due process procedures shall be followed.

**Alternative**

As an alternative to suspensions, students may be referred to cessation program. Students completing or on track to complete the cessation program may be allowed to return to school prior to serving entire suspension. Any cost related to cessation program will be the responsibility of the student and his/her parent/guardian.

**Other**

A referral to law enforcement may be made at any time.