

## **Student Rights and Responsibilities**

The public charter school board has the responsibility to afford students the rights that are theirs by virtue of guarantees offered under federal and state constitutions and statutes. In connection with rights are responsibilities that must be assumed by students.

Among these student rights and responsibilities are the following:

1. Civil rights — including the rights to equal educational opportunity and freedom from discrimination; the responsibility not to discriminate against others;
2. The right to due process of law with respect to suspension, expulsion and decisions which the student believes injure his/her rights;
3. The right to free inquiry and expression; the responsibility to observe reasonable rules regarding these rights;
4. The right to privacy, which includes privacy with respect to the student's education records.

Students have the right to know the behavior standards expected of them as well as to know the consequences of misbehavior.

Students' rights and responsibilities, including standards of conduct, will be made available to students and their parents through information distributed annually.

END OF POLICY

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### **Legal Reference(s):**

<a href="#">ORS 332.061</a>	<a href="#">ORS 339.240</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-021-0045</a>
<a href="#">ORS 332.072</a>	<a href="#">ORS 339.250</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-021-0046</a>
<a href="#">ORS 337.150</a>	<a href="#">ORS 659.850</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-021-0050 to -0075</a>
<a href="#">ORS 338.115(a)</a>	<a href="#">ORS 659.865</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-022-1140</a>
<a href="#">ORS 339.155</a>		

Hazelwood Sch. District v. Kuhlmeier, 484 U.S. 260 (1988).  
Bethel Sch. Dist. v. Fraser, 478 U.S. 675 (1986).

### **Cross Reference(s):**

JFC - Student Conduct