

**Neah-Kah-Nie
School District 56**

Code: **JGD**
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Orig. Code(s): JGD

Suspension**

The Board authorizes student suspension for one or more of the following reasons:

1. Willful violation of Board policies, administrative regulations or school rules;
2. Willful conduct which materially and substantially disrupts the rights of others to an education;
3. Willful conduct which endangers the student, other students or staff members;
4. Willful conduct which damages or injures district property.
5. Student and parents are given notice of possible discipline actions resulting from student misconduct that may result in suspension in the *Student/Parent Handbook* made available by the district.

Each suspension will include a statement of the reasons for suspension, the length of the suspension a plan for readmission and may include a plan for the student to make up school work. No suspension shall extend beyond 10 school days. The district may require a student to attend school during nonschool hours as an alternative to suspension. Every reasonable and prompt effort must be made to notify the parents of suspended students.

In emergency situations that are a result of risk to health and safety, the district may postpone the suspension notice process above until the emergency condition has passed.

Students who are suspended may not attend after-school activities and athletic events, be present on district property without a parent or participate in activities directed or sponsored by the district

All suspensions shall be reported to the superintendent.

Students shall be allowed to make up school work upon their return from a suspension if that work reflects achievement over a greater period of time than the length of the suspension. For example, the students shall be allowed to make up final, mid-term and unit examinations without an academic penalty, but it is within the teachers' discretion as to whether the students may be allowed to make up daily assignments, laboratory experiments, class discussions or presentations.

Suspensions may be appealed to the Board.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 339.240](#)
[ORS 339.250](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050 to -0075](#)

Cross Reference(s):

JG - Student Discipline