

# Vernonia School District 47J

Code: **JGD**  
Adopted: 8/14/08  
Orig. Code(s): JGB

## **Suspension\*\***

The Board seeks to assure a school climate which is appropriate for learning and which assures the safety and welfare of personnel and students. The administrator will develop rules, procedures and standards whereby those students who are disruptive of the educational setting or who endanger the safety of others will receive corrective counseling and/or be subject to disciplinary sanctions including but not limited to suspension.

The Board authorizes the building administrator to suspend a student for one or more of the following reasons:

1. Willful violation of school regulations;
2. Willful conduct which materially and substantially disrupts the rights of others to an education;
3. Willful conduct which endangers the student, other students, staff or others;
4. Willful conduct which endangers district property.

When students engage in conduct which would warrant suspension, the student's parent(s) will be notified within 24 hours of the circumstances of the misbehavior.

Each suspension will include a statement of the reasons for suspension, the length of the suspension and a readmission plan. No suspension shall extend beyond 10 consecutive 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.

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. Students who violate these provisions may be referred to law enforcement officials.

END OF POLICY

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

[ORS 339.240](#)

[ORS 339.250](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050](#)

[OAR 581-021-0065](#)