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#### 5600 - **STUDENT DISCIPLINE**

The Board of ~~Trustees~~ **Managers** acknowledges that conduct is closely related to learning and that an effective instructional program requires an orderly school environment, which is, in part, reflected in the behavior of students.

The Board believes that (  ) the best discipline is self-imposed. (  ) students should learn to assume responsibility for their own behavior and the consequences of their actions. **[END OF OPTION]**

The Board requires each student of this Cooperative to adhere to the Code of Conduct promulgated by the administration and to submit to such disciplinary measures as are appropriately assigned for infraction of those rules.

Discipline on Cooperative vehicles is the responsibility of the driver on regular bus runs. However, when Cooperative vehicles are used for field trips and other Cooperative activities, the teacher, coach, or advisor is responsible for student discipline. If a student becomes a serious discipline problem on the vehicle, the Director may suspend the transportation privileges of the student, provided such suspension conforms with ~~due process~~ due process and does not result in a deprivation of a free appropriate public education.

~~The Director will request that the State Department of Education provide information and assistance to the Cooperative regarding the implementation of the Code of Conduct to ensure that teachers and administrators receive appropriate professional development and other resources in preparation for carrying out the plan.[-]~~

**[X ]** Teachers and other employees of this Board having authority over students shall have the authority to take such means as may be necessary to control the disorderly conduct of students:

- A. (  ) in all situations and in all places where such students are within the jurisdiction of this Board;
- B. (  ) in accordance with the student's behavioral intervention plan, if any;
- C. (  ) when such conduct interferes with the educational program of the schools or threatens the health and safety of others.

Discipline of students who are eligible for special education and related services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act ("IDEA") or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 must be done in accordance with ~~511 I.A.C. 7-29~~ 511 I.A.C. 7-32-1 et seq. and the applicable Federal regulations.

~~I.C. 20-33-8-1 et seq.~~

20 U.S.C. 1415

29 U.S.C. 794

34 C.F.R. 104.36

34 C.F.R. 300.519-300.529

[I.C. 20-26-5-32](#)

[I.C. 20-33-8-1 et seq.](#)

~~511 I.A.C. 7-29-1 thru 7-29-9~~

[511 I.A.C. 7-44-1 through 7-44-10](#)

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