



STUDENTS: Students' Responsibilities' and Rights

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I. Policy Statement

- A. The Board of Education of Baltimore County (Board) is committed to providing an educational environment which promotes intellectual development, responsibility, citizenship, and respect. The Board believes that all students have the right to free inquiry and expression, due process, equal educational opportunity, and freedom from discrimination. In exercising these rights, each student is expected to respect the rights, privileges, and welfare of others.
- B. The Board recognizes the need to provide students with information regarding their rights and responsibilities.

II. Implementation

- A. The Superintendent shall ensure that this policy is disseminated periodically to all members of the school community, including students, administrators, teachers, and parents/guardians.
- B. The Board directs the Superintendent to implement this policy.

Legal Reference: COMAR 13A.08.01.10, *Guidelines for Students' Responsibilities and Rights*

Related Policies: Board of Education Policy 0100, *Equity*  
Board of Education Policy 1300, *Use of Facilities*  
Board of Education Policy 5120, *Attendance and Excuses*  
Board of Education Policy 5150, *Residents and Nonresidents*  
Board of Education Policy 5320, *Student Organizations and Clubs*  
Board of Education Policy 5460, *Searches*  
Board of Education Policy 5500, *Code of Student Conduct*  
Board of Education Policy 5510, *Positive Behavior*

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Board of Education Policy 5520, *Student Dress Code*  
Board of Education Policy 5550, *Disruptive Behavior*  
Board of Education Policy 5580, *Bullying, Cyberbullying,  
Harassment, or Intimidation*  
Board of Education Policy 5610, *School-Sponsored Publications  
and Productions*  
Board of Education Policy 6202, *Technology Acceptable Use Policy  
(TAUP) for Students*  
Board of Education Policy 6306, *Prayer and Religious Literature*

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