STUDENTS

“Code of Behavior”

The Prince William County School Board seeks to protect the rights of all students to a quality education, commensurate with their abilities, interests, values, and goals. The Prince William County School Board shall provide safeguards for the health, safety, and rights of the individual students, without discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, pregnancy, childbirth, or related medical conditions, age, marital status, veteran status of parent, disability, or any other basis prohibited by law.

The Prince William County School Board has authorized the Division Superintendent (Superintendent) to develop and implement the Prince William County Public Schools (PWCS) “Code of Behavior,” consistent with Virginia’s Standards of Quality, which require “standards of student conduct and attendance and enforcement procedures designed to provide that public education be conducted in an atmosphere free of disruption and threat to persons or property and supportive of individual rights.” The School Board, acting through the Superintendent, holds all school employees responsible for supervising student behavior when students are legally under the supervision of the School Division. The School Board holds all students responsible for appropriate conduct as defined in School Board policies and regulations, the PWCS “Code of Behavior,” and its annual supplements.

The Associate Superintendent for Special Education and Student Services (or designee) is responsible for implementing and monitoring this policy.

This policy and any related regulations shall be reviewed at least every five years and revised as needed.


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