

CHAPTER 6.00: HUMAN RESOURCES

POSSESSION OF WEAPONS

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Possession of a weapon on school property or on a school bus with the intention to do bodily harm is a class C felony.

The Board authorizes the Superintendent or designee to immediately and automatically suspend, terminate, or separate from service in accordance with Board policy any employee found in possession of a deadly weapon. A deadly weapon shall be defined as anything manifestly designed, made or adapted for the purpose of inflicting death or serious physical injury. Deadly weapons are not to be carried by any employee on school grounds, on school buses and/or at any school-sponsored event, during or after regular school hours. Authorized law enforcement personnel are expressly exempted from this prohibition.

Any employee determined to have brought to school or have in his/her possession a firearm defined in Section 921, Title 18 of the U.S. Code in a school building, on school grounds, or at other school-sponsored functions shall be subject to suspension, termination and/or separation from service in accordance with Board policy.

STATUTORY AUTHORITY:

**CODE OF ALABAMA
16-1-30**

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