

Williamsburg Community

POLICY GUIDES

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: Students and the Police

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	<p>225 Students and the Police</p>
1. Purpose	<p>The Board recognizes that compulsory attendance laws impose on the Board the custodianship of the public school children of the district while they are present in the schools.</p>
3. Authority SC 1317.2	<p>When the police request permission to interrogate a student at school, the principal shall inform the Superintendent; request that any person conducting such interrogation be in plain clothes where possible; determine why such interrogation should not occur at the student's home or Other location and must make parents aware and approve of the police interviewing /questioning.</p> <p>Whenever the Superintendent or delegate has determined that the police have a legitimate purpose in interrogating a child within the confines of a school building, the principal or his/her representative shall be present throughout the proceedings.</p> <p>When the policy request permission to arrest a student at the school the principal or his/her designee shall:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Inform the Superintendent2. To the degree possible, determine why such arrest could not be made at the student's home;3. Attempt to inform student's parents; and4. Request and inspect arrest warrant. <p>No child shall be released to the police authorities without proper warrant, appropriate evidence or written parental permission, except in the event of emergency or for the protection of life or property as determined by the principal.</p> <p>The above procedure is also applicable to students of noncompulsory age, if so requested.</p>