Memorandum

To: Victoria Powers, President of Bexley Board of Education
Dr. Jason Fine, Superintendent of Schools
From: Samantha McMasters, Director of Student Services
Date: 02/09/2022
Subject: Reported Bullying Incidents – Fall 2021

In compliance with Ohio Revised Code, the District is required to provide semi-annual written summaries of reported incidents of bullying or harassment to the president of the Board of Education and to post the summaries on the district web site to the extent permitted by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) 1974.

Incidents may be reported online, using a link posted on the District's web site, or may be reported directly to staff. If reported directly to staff, staff are required to log incidents into the online system.

Principals investigate all reported incidents and determine if these are substantiated or unsubstantiated as defined in Board of Education Policy JFCF. Principals record results of all investigations in PowerSchool (student information system), including if the incidents were substantiated or unsubstantiated. Incidents that involve disciplinary action are reported to the state's Education Management Information System (EMIS).

Reported incidents for Fall Semester (July-December) 2021 include the following:

Building	**Total Number Reported Incidents***	**Substantiated**	**Unsubstantiated**
Cassingham	4	3	1
Maryland	1	1	0
Montrose	1	0	1
Middle School	6	1	5
High School	2	0	2

* Principals may receive multiple reports for this same incident. Each report is considered through the investigation process but is not recorded as a separate incident.