ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE
2024
Laws and Regulations Related to School Safety
Final Submission October 1, 2024

The Hale County BOE Board of Education has adopted and is implementing policies in the following areas:

		Work In Progress	Projected Date of Compliance
1.	Accountability Reports to the Public. A School Safety and Discipline Report. *Code of Alabama (1975), §16-6B-7*		
	(a)(3) School Safety and Discipline Report was made available to the public for year 2023-2024.	x Yes No	10/01/2024
	(b)a School Safety and Discipline Report School Incidenta Report [SIR] data for school year 2023-2024 **was released toa the State Superintendent of Education by June 30, 2024.**a	x Yes No	06/30/2024
2.	Corporal Punishment *Code of (Alabama (1975), €]6-28A-1*		
	A.a The school board has adopted and implementsa written policies and/or guidelines on corporala punishment.a	x Yes No	05/01/2024
	B. The school board has adopted and implements writtena policy on student discipline and behavior.a	x Yes No	06/06/2014
	C. The policy on student discipline and behavior isa disseminated to all teachers, staff, parents/guardians,a and students as follows:a ___ Annually to all. ___ As new students enroll during the school year.	x Yes No	06/06/2024
3.	Gun- Free Schools *Code of (Alabama (1975), §16-1-24.3* The school board has adopted and implements a policy to provide a gun-free environment.	x Yes No	05/01/2014
4.	Regulations Governing Public Schoolsa **Alabama Administrative Code, 290-3-1.02(1)**		
	1.a Safe School Equipment and Facilities, Laboratories, anda Policies.a		
	(a)aSafety precautions must be implemented, anda adequate facilities must be provided fora implementation of programs prescribed by ALSDEa Bulletin(s)a	x Yes No	03/03/2022

	2.e Effective with the 1995-96 school year and thereafter,e local boards of education muste	x Yes No	05/01/2014
	(a)e Adopt a uniform policy allowing law enforcemente agencies to make periodic visits to local public schools to detect the presence of illegal drugs, announced to anyone except the local superintendent and building principal.	x Yes No	05/01/2014
	(b)eAdopt a uniform policy prohibiting the use of tobaccoe products on school property and prescribing specifice penalties for violation of this policy.e	x Yes No	05/01/2014
	(c)e Adopt and enforce a uniform policy prohibiting alle persons, other than authorized law enforcemente personnel, from bringing or possessing any deadlye weapon or dangerous instrument on school propertye and prescribing specific penalties for students ande school personnel who violate this policy,e notwithstanding any criminal penalties which may bee imposed.e	x Yes No	05/01/2014
	(d)e Adopt and implement written policies to governe the use of physical restraint in accordance withe paragraph (f)(2.e (v-xiv).e	x Yes No	03/03/2022
	3.e Local school systems which operate alternativee educational programs shall provide a curriculum thate stresses skills in recognizing and managing anger,e alternatives to aggression (verbal and physical assault),e strategies for developing self-control and personale responsibility, skills for getting along with others,e success through academic achievement, and skills fore success in the workplace.e	x Yes No	03/03/2022
	4.e All policies and actions implemented under thesee mandatory regulations affecting students withe disabilities must comply with federal and state speciale education laws, regulations, and court rulings.e	x Yes No	05/01/2014
5.	***Act 2018-472, HB 366*** ***Code of (Alabama (1975), §16-28b-9***		
	The school board has adopted and implemented a policy to prevent bullying.	x Yes No	03/03/2022
6.	***Act 2016-456, HB 197***		
	The school board has implemented comprehensive programs of sexual abuse prevention.	x Yes No	03/03/2022
7.	***Act 2016-310, SB 11*** The school board has implemented the following statutes below:		

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LEA: _____

	(a) annual training for certified school employees in suicide awareness and prevention.	x Yes No	03/03/2022
	(b) comprehensive program of suicide prevention for grades K-12	x Yes No	03/03/2022
8.	The school board has a process in place to comply with Section 504 of the *Rehabilitation Act of 1973,* as amended (29 U.S.C *§794),* which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicaps. The Local Education Agency does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, disability, or age in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups.	x Yes No	05/01/2014
9.	The school board has a policy or process in place to address Unsafe School Choice Options.	x Yes No	02/01/2024
10.	The LEA certification statement for submission of data to the ALSDE: By submitting this information, I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that the information contained herein is true, complete, and accurate and has been collected in the manner and at the time required under applicable law. I also certify that I am the individual or designated approving authority responsible for submitting the information contained herein. I am aware that any false, fictitious, or fraudulent information, or the omission of any material fact, may lead to criminal, civil or administrative penalties for fraud, false statements, false claims or otherwise.	x Yes No	09/06/2024

I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief that our system of internal controls is effective and working as intended.

Signature of Superintendent

Date 9/4/2024

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