



POLICY SERVICES

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MANDATED POLICIES ** REVISED July 2025

The following are policies boards of education must include due to federal or state law.

SERIES 0000: MISSION-GOALS-OBJECTIVES

- Statement of Educational Goals and Student Objectives.....#0200
- Nondiscrimination (Title VII – Civil Rights Act of 1964).....#0521

SERIES 1000: COMMUNITY RELATIONS

- Encourage Parent-Teacher Communication/Parent Involvement#1110.1
- Library Material Review & Reconsideration (*dual coded for coverage in both the Community Relations and Instruction Series*).....#1312.3/6161.12*
- Library Collection Development and Maintenance (*dual coded for coverage in both the Community Relations and Instruction Series*).....#1312.4/6161.13*
- Library Display and Program (*dual coded for coverage in both the Community Relations and Instruction Series*)#1312.5/6161.14*

SERIES 3000: BUSINESS/NON-INSTRUCTIONAL OPERATIONS

- Pesticide Application.....#3524.1
- Reporting of Transportation Safety Complaints.....#3541.5
- Food Services Personnel Code of Conduct#3542.22
- Food Service Personnel Professional Standards.....#3542.41
- Charging Policy Food Service.....#3542.43

SERIES 4000: PERSONNEL (a number that begins with a 42 specifies non-certified personnel, all other numbers are certified personnel, many are dual codified to include all personnel)

- Title IX/Sexual Harassment of Employees.....#4000.1/4200.1
- Recruitment and Selection.....#4111/4211
- Fingerprinting and Criminal Justice Information Services - **FBI Requirement**.....#4112.5/4212.5
- Minimum Duty-Free Lunch Periods for Teachers and other Certified Staff#4113.12
- Evaluation and Employment of Coaches.....#4115.3
- Reduction in Force for Certified Staff, *if not covered in negotiated agreements*.....#4117.3
- Nondiscrimination.....#4118.11/4218.11
- Alcohol & Drug Free Workplace.....#4118.232/4218.232

SERIES 4000: PERSONNEL (a number that begins with a 42 specifies non-certified personnel, all other numbers are certified personnel, many are dual codified to include all personnel) (continued)

- Psychotropic Drug Use (**dual coded for coverage in both Personnel Series and Students Series**).....#5141.231, 4118.234*
- Drug and Alcohol Testing for Bus Drivers4212.42

SERIES 5000: STUDENTS

- Ages of Attendance/Admission/Placement.....#5112
- Attendance/Excuses/Dismissal.....#5113
- Truancy.....#5113.2
- Homeless Students#5118.1
- Educational Opportunities for Military Children5118.2
- Promotion and Retention of Students.....#5123
- Student Educational Records/Annual Notification of Parental/Student Rights#5125
- Health/Medical Records (HIPAA)#5125.11
- Use, Sale or Possession of Alcohol, or Controlled Drugs (**Regulation also Required**)#5131.6
- Weapons and Dangerous Instruments.....#5131.7
- Connecticut School Climate Policy#5131.911
- Administration of Medication - policy and administrative regulation (**Procedures Required**).....#5141.21
- Psychotropic Drug Use (**dual coded for coverage in both Personnel Series and Students Series**).....#5141.231, 4118.234*
- Reporting by Mandated Reporters of Suspected Child Abuse, Neglect & Sexual Assault#5141.4
- Youth Suicide Prevention and Youth Suicide Attempts (**Administrative Regulation also Required**) #5141.5
- Physical Restraints/Seclusion/Exclusionary Time Out** (**Administrative Regulation also Required**)#5144.1
- Use of Exclusionary Time Out.....#5144.2
- Physical Exercise and Discipline of Students **or (6142.10, 6142.61)**.....#5144.4*
- Challenging Behavior Prevention: Restorative Practices Response in Student Discipline#5144.12
- Uniform Treatment of Recruiters#5145.14
- Nondiscrimination/Title IX (Title IX of Educational Amendments of 1972).....#5145.44
- Sexual Abuse Prevention & Education Program#5145.511

SERIES 6000: INSTRUCTION

- School Ceremonies and Observances (Pledge of Allegiance).....#6115
- Internet Safety Policy/Filtering - Children’s Internet Protection Act.....#6141.323
- Advanced Courses or Programs, Eligibility Criteria for Enrollment#6141.51
- Challenging Curriculum Policy#6141.52
- Physical Activity and Discipline (**or #5144.4**).....#6142.10, 6142.61*
- Student Nutrition and Physical Activity (Student Wellness).....#6142.101
- Grading/Assessment Systems [weighting of grades].....#6146.1
- FAFSA Completion Program#6148
- Homework#6154
- Individualized Education Program (IEP’s).....#6159
- Library Material Review & Reconsideration (**dual coded for coverage in both the Community Relations and Instruction Series**).....#6161.12/1312.3*
- Library Collection Development and Maintenance (**dual coded for coverage in both the Community Relations and Instruction Series**)#6161.13/1312.4*
- Library Display and Program (**dual coded for coverage in both the Community Relations and Instruction Series**)#6161.14/1312.5*

SERIES 6000: INSTRUCTION (continued)

- Comparability of Services-Title I (Equivalence in Instructional Staff and Materials)#6161.3
- Surveys of Students/Student Privacy#6162.51
- Exemption from AIDS Instruction#6164.12
- Special Education Program and Evaluation#6171
- Preschool Students with Disabilities.....#6171.2
- Alternative Education Programs – *Mandated if district has an alternate program*#6172
- Gifted and Talented Students Program#6172.1
- Title I Parental and Family Engagement Policy/Title I (**Required Only for Districts with Title I Programs. Policy Must Be Reviewed Annually**).....#6172.4, 6161.31*

❖ Several policies are dual coded or have different numbers to include coverage in the appropriate cross-referenced series.

**Any one of these fulfills the mandate.*