

Jefferson County School District 509J

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Public Complaints

The Board recognizes the need for the orderly resolution of complaints brought by parents, guardians, or members of the community. The Board believes that all such complaints should be addressed and resolved as close to their origin as possible, but some complaints require a multi-step effort to resolve. Therefore, complaints will be processed through the complaint procedures set forth in administrative regulation KL-AR before investigation or action by the Board, unless a complaint concerns Board policies or actions.

The Board provides members of the public to provide public comment at its regularly scheduled board meetings. However, public comment concerning a personnel matter will not be allowed in open session.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 192.660](#)
[ORS 332.107](#)

[ORS 659.852](#)
[OAR 581-002-0001 - 002-0005](#)

[OAR 581-022-2370](#)

Anderson v. Central Point Sch. Dist., 746 F.2d 505 (9th Cir. 1984).
Connick v. Myers, 461 U.S. 138 (1983).

Cross Reference(s):

AC - Nondiscrimination
ACB - Every Student Belongs
IIA - Instructional Resources/Instructional Materials