

Policy 5300

Code of Conduct Public Hearing

Annual review, proposed updates, and opening of the required 30-day public review period.

Purpose of the Hearing

- Introduce the amended draft of the Code of Conduct
- Summarize the limited proposed revisions
- Open the required 30-day public review period
- Provide the community with a clear process for submitting comments

Legal & Annual Review Requirement

- Education Law §2801(1) requires each school district to adopt and maintain a written Code of Conduct
- The Code governs conduct on school property and at school functions
- It applies to students, teachers, other school personnel, and visitors
- The District reviews the Code annually and the updated draft has been reviewed by Ingerman Smith

Proposed Updates: Transportation

- The proposed revisions are limited in scope
- Updates clarify expectations for automobiles, electric bicycles, scooters, and similar modes of transportation
- Students are expected to operate and park vehicles safely
- Use must comply with District policy, posted regulations, and applicable law

Prohibited Conduct Clarification

- Unsafe, unauthorized, or noncompliant vehicle use is identified as prohibited conduct
- The public conduct section clarifies that “vehicles” include automobiles, electric bicycles, scooters, and similar transportation modes
- Existing Code provisions remain in place, including student conduct, DASA, discipline procedures, searches, visitors, public conduct, dissemination, and definitions

30-Day Review & Comment Process

- The amended draft is posted on [the District website](#).
- The public review and comment period will remain open for 30 days
- **Comments may be submitted to Mr. Richard Zwyczewicz at 631-224-2015 or richard.zwyczewicz@eischools.org**
- Barring concerns requiring revision, the Code will be placed on the August Board agenda for approval