

**Caesar Rodney School District
Code of Conduct
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<u>Academic Dishonesty</u>	<u>Falsely Signing & Impersonating</u>	<u>Other School Crime</u>	<u>Safety Violation</u>
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<u>Defiance of School Authority</u>	<u>Inappropriate Touch-Student Victim</u>	<u>Possession and/or Use of Explosive Devices</u>	<u>Theft (\$1500 or more)</u>
<u>Destruction of Property</u>	<u>Instigation</u>	<u>Possession and/or Use of Firearms</u>	<u>Threat of Physical Attack with Weapon</u>
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<u>Distribution of Alcohol and/or Drugs</u>	<u>Loitering</u>	<u>Possession and/or Use of Tobacco or Electronic Smoking Devices</u>	<u>Threat of Physical Attack w/out Weapon</u>
<u>Dress Code Violation</u>	<u>Misuse of Technology</u>	<u>Rape</u>	<u>Unauthorized Use of Electronic Device</u>
<u>Exposure</u>	<u>Mutual Group Fight</u>	<u>Robbery</u>	<u>Unsafe Item</u>

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Behavior: Academic Dishonesty				
State Offense Code(s): S1002				
Description: Fraudulent deception in preparing or presenting coursework or class assignments as a student's own work when it is not. This includes, but is not limited to: (1) copying another student's work, (2) unauthorized use of notes or sharing answers during a test, (3) presenting another person's work as one's own, (4) presenting quotations, words or ideas without proper references or credit (plagiarism), (5) unauthorized use of AI for completion of student assignments, and (6) collusion, working together to provide or receive answers on an independent assignment or assessment.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Classroom discussion/intervention	Classroom intervention; Administrative intervention	Privilege restriction	Extended time out with in-person parent/guardian meeting
3-5	Classroom discussion/ administrative intervention	Privilege restriction	50 given on assignment; Extended time out	50 given on assignment; RISS 1 day with in-person Parent/guardian meeting
6-8	Make-up assignment	50 given on assignment	50 given on assignment; RISS-½ day	50 given on assignment; RISS 1 day Parent/guardian conference
9-12	0 on assignment	0 on assignment; Detention	0 on assignment; Extended day	0 on assignment; RISS 1 day; Parent/guardian meeting

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Behavior: Alleged Bullying				
State Offense Code(s): D0701*				
Description: Means any intentional written, electronic, verbal, or physical act against another student, a school district or charter school volunteer, or a school district or charter school employee that a reasonable person under the circumstances should know will have any of the following effects: a. Place a student, school district or charter school volunteer, or school district or charter school employee in reasonable fear of substantial harm to the student's, volunteer's, or employee's emotional or physical well-being or substantial damages to the student's, volunteer's, or employee's property. b. Create a hostile, threatening, humiliating, or abusive educational environment due to the pervasiveness or persistence of actions or due to a power differential between the bully and the target. c. Interfere with a student having a safe school environment that is necessary to facilitate educational performance, opportunities, or benefits. d. Perpetuate bullying by inciting, soliciting, or coercing an individual or group to demean, dehumanize, embarrass, or cause emotional, psychological, or physical harm to another student, school district or charter school volunteer, or school district or charter school employee. The checkbox on the event details screen should be used for any substantiated bullying incidents. *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS 1 day	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 1-3 days; Behavior Agreement	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days
3-5	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 1-3 days; Behavior Agreement	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days	DOE Bullying Investigation; Referral to District Hearing Officer. OSS 5 days
6-8	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 1-3 days; Behavior/Avoidance Agreement	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior/Avoidance Agreement	DOE Bullying Investigation; Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days	DOE Bullying Investigation; Referral to District Hearing Officer. OSS 5 days
9-12	DOE Bullying investigation;	DOE Bullying investigation;	DOE Bullying investigation;	DOE Bullying investigation;

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	RISS/OSS 1-3 days; Parent/guardian conference; Counseling Intervention; Behavior/Avoidance Agreement	OSS 3-5 days; Parent/guardian conference;; Counseling Intervention;Behavior/ Avoidance Agreement	OSS 5 days; Parent/guardian conference; Counseling Intervention; Behavior/ Avoidance Agreement	Referral to District Hearing Officer; Suspended pending meeting.
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Behavior: Assault Causing Physical Injury	
State Offense Code(s): C0720**	
Description: Students who intentionally engage in an act that causes physical injury or serious physical injury to another person. This includes, but is not limited to, bruises, lacerations, puncture and stab wounds, dislocations, sprains, and/or bone fracture(s). This offense is not used for students under the age of 12, unless the student causes a serious physical injury, which are injuries that create the risk of death or cause disfigurement, impairment of health, or loss or impairment of the function of any bodily organ or limb. *Mandatory Department of Education Report **Mandatory Police Report	
Grade Band	1st offense +
K-4	
5 (if 12 years of age)	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> Suspended until parent meeting with District Hearing Officer
6-8	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> Suspended until parent meeting with District Hearing Officer
9-12	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> Suspended until parent meeting with District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Attorney General Report	
State Offense Code(s): S0161	
Description: Students in regular school programs who engage in alleged out-of-school criminal conduct, regardless of jurisdiction, which demonstrates the propensity to show disregard for the health, safety, and welfare of others, including serious acts of violence, weapons offenses, and drug offenses. The school must also receive a report from the Department of Justice.	
Grade Band	1st offense
K-4	
5 (if 12 years of age)	Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Careless or Reckless Behavior				
State Offense Code(s): S0107				
Description: Unintentional behavior that threatens to or causes injury or property damage, or intentional behavior that causes or may cause unintentional injury or property damage.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Administrative intervention	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	RISS 1 day;Parent/guardian conference
3-5	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	Parent/guardian conference; RISS 1 day	OSS 1 day
6-8	RISS Up to Half Day	RISS 1 day	OSS 1 day	OSS 2+ days;Parent/guardian conference
9-12	Extended Day	RISS 1-3 days	OSS 1-2 days; Parent/guardian conference	OSS 3-5 days; Parent/guardian conference

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Behavior: Consensual Sexual Misconduct			
State Offense Code(s): S0108			
Description: Consensual sexual act(s) between students within the school environment. This may require a report to the Division of Family Services.			
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense
K-5			
5- (if 12 years +) 6-8			
9-12	OSS 5 days Pending Parent/guardian conference;Possible Police Notification	OSS 5-10 days Pending Parent/guardian conference; Counseling Referral; Avoidance Techniques; Potential Referral to District Hearing Officer	Referral to District Hearing Officer

Behavior: Defiance of School Authority				
State Offense Code(s): S1003				
Description: A verbal or non-verbal refusal to comply with a reasonable request from school personnel, or refusal to identify oneself at the request of school personnel, and/or refusal to comply with disciplinary action that causes either a substantial disruption or material interference with school activities. This does not include a student who walks away to de-escalate or manage their emotions.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Administrative intervention	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	RISS 1 day
3-5	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	RISS 1 day	RISS/OSS 2 days
6-8	RISS Up to Half Day	RISS 1 day	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3+ days Parent/Guardian Conference
9-12	Extended Day	RISS 1-3 days	RISS/OSS 1-3 days Pending Parent/guardian conference	OSS 3-5 days Pending Parent/guardian conference

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Behavior: Destruction of Property				
State Offense Code(s): D0301*				
Description: Students who damage or deface school property or the personal property of another person. This includes tampering with security, medical, or fire protective equipment. May include <u>restitution</u> . *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Possible Restitution to School; Privilege restriction	Possible Restitution to School; RISS 1 day	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days depending on amount of property damage.	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days depending on amount of property damage.
3-5	Possible Restitution to School; RISS 1 day	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days depending on amount of property damage	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days depending on amount of property damage.	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days depending on amount of property damage; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days depending on amount of property damage	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days depending on amount of property damage.	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days depending on amount of property damage; Referral to District Hearing Officer	
9-12	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days depending on amount of property damage	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days depending on amount of property damage.	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days depending on amount of property damage; Referral to District Hearing Officer	

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Behavior: Disruptive Behavior				
State Offense Code(s): S0091				
Description: Students who intentionally disrupt the school environment by not following expectations and/or interrupt learning or school activities despite non-verbal and verbal redirection. This can include excessive talking that limits others' ability to learn and behaviors by the student or with other students that are distracting to other people.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Administrative intervention	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	RISS 1 day
3-5	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	RISS 1 day	RISS/OSS 1-3 days; Parent/guardian conference
6-8	Detention; Time-out for the period	RISS 1 day	OSS 1-3 days; Behavior Agreement; Parent/guardian conference	OSS 3-5 days; Parent/guardian conference
9-12	Time-out for the period; Extended Day	RISS 1-3 days	RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Parent/guardian conference	OSS 3-5 days; Parent/guardian conference

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Behavior: Distribution of Alcohol and/or Drugs	
State Offense Code(s): C0721**,	
Description: Students who are found to be selling and/or distributing alcohol, drugs, or other substances in the school environment. This includes, but is not limited to, inhalants, marijuana (cannabis, edible, liquid, etc.), drug-like substances, look-alike substances, nonprescription medication, and prescription medications. *Mandatory Department of Education Report **Mandatory Police Report	
Grade Band	1st offense
K-5	Mandatory Police Report OSS 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	Mandatory Police Report OSS 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	Mandatory Police Report OSS 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

Behavior: Dress Code Violation				
State Offense Code(s): S0291				
Description: Failure to comply with the school-level dress code. Dressing in a manner that is unsafe and/or disrupts the learning environment. This includes, but is not limited to, clothing that promotes drugs, alcohol, or profanity.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-5	Warning; Asked to Change	Detention; Asked to Change	Detention; Asked to Change	Detention; Asked to Change
6-8	Warning; Asked to Change	Detention; Asked to Change	Detention; Asked to Change	Detention; Asked to Change
9-12	Warning; Asked to Change	Detention; Asked to Change	Extended Day; Asked to Change	RISS 1 day; Asked to Change

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Behavior: Exposure				
State Offense Code(s): D2012*				
Description: Students who expose their genitals, breasts, or buttocks to another person: *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Privilege restriction	Extended time out; Parent/guardian conference	RISS/OSS 1 day	RISS/OSS 1-3 days
3-5	RISS/OSS 1 day	RISS/OSS 1-3 days; Parent/guardian conference	OSS 3-5 days; Possible Police Notification; Mental Health Referral	OSS 5+ days; Meeting Possible Police Notification; Mental Health Referral
6-8	OSS 1-3 days; Parent/guardian conference; Possible Police Notification; Mental Health Referral	OSS 3-5 days; Parent/guardian conference; Possible Police Notification; Mental Health Referral	OSS 3-10 days; Parent/guardian conference; Possible Police Notification; Mental Health Referral	Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	OSS 5 days; Parent/guardian conference; Possible Police Notification; Mental Health Referral	OSS 5-10 days; Parent/guardian conference; Possible Police Notification; Mental Health Referral Potential referral to hearing officer	Referral to District Hearing Officer	

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Behavior: Falsely Signing & Impersonating				
State Offense Code(s): S1004				
Description: Falsely or fraudulently signing or altering a document or electronic record, such as a hall pass, early dismissal note, progress report, absence excuse, etc. Forgery shall also include impersonating another student or falsely identifying oneself or others inaccurately via electronic, verbal, or written means.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Classroom discussion/intervention; Parent/guardian conference	Classroom intervention; Counselor intervention; Parent/guardian conference	Privilege restriction; Parent/guardian conference	Privilege restriction; Parent/guardian conference
3-5	Classroom intervention; Counselor intervention	Extended Time Out	RISS 1 day, Parent/guardian conference	RISS 1-2 day, Parent/guardian conference
6-8	RISS up to 1 day	RISS 1-2 days	OSS 1-3 days; Parent/guardian conference	OSS 3-5 days; Parent/guardian conference
9-12	Extended Day-RISS 1 day Depending on severity	RISS 1-2 days Depending on Severity	OSS 1-3 days Depending on Severity; Parent/guardian conference	OSS 3-5 days Depending on Severity; Parent/guardian conference

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Behavior: Fighting				
State Offense Code(s): D1101*				
Description: Students who willingly engage in a one-on-one physical altercation. This is a physical altercation in which none of the participants are identified as victims. *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Extended Time Out	RISS/OSS 1 Day; Return from Suspension Meeting	RISS/OSS 1-3 days, Return from Suspension Meeting	OSS 3-5 days, Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	RISS 1-3 day, Return from Suspension Meeting	RISS/OSS 3-5 days, Return from Suspension Meeting	OSS 3-5 days, Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	OSS 3-5 days, Return from Suspension Meeting	OSS 5+ days, Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	Referral to District Hearing Officer	
9-12	OSS 5-10 days depending on severity; Police Notification; Behavioral Agreement upon return; Parent/guardian conference; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS Pending Referral to District Hearing Officer; Police Notification		

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Behavior: Harassment				
State Offense Code(s): D2013*				
Description: Students who engage in unwelcome verbal, written, electronic, graphic or physical conduct relating to another person's actual or perceived sex, gender, age, race, color, national origin, sexual orientation, gender identity expression, pregnancy or related conditions, religion, disability, English language proficiency, socioeconomic status, and/or physical appearance. The behavior must be considered severe, persistent, or pervasive to be considered harassment. The behavior does not have to include intent to harm, be directed at a specific target, or involve repeated incidents. The harassment type must also be specified on the participant details screen. *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS 1 day	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation
3-5	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer. OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation
6-8	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer; OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation
9-12	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Contact SRO; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Contact SRO; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer; Contact SRO; OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer. Suspended pending meeting; Contact SRO; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation

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Behavior: Hate Speech/Conduct				
State Offense Code(s): D0750**				
Description: Verbal or electronic communication and/or actions directed toward a member or members of a protected class of individuals for the explicit purpose of creating alarm, fear, and/or causing emotional distress. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u>				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS 1 day	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation
3-5	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer. OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation
6-8	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Behavior Agreement; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer; OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation
9-12	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS1-3 days; Contact SRO; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Parent/guardian conference; intervention(s) provided by support staff; RISS/OSS 3-5 days; Contact SRO; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer; Contact SRO; OSS 5 days; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation	Referral to District Hearing Officer. Suspended pending meeting; Contact SRO; Possible DOE Bullying Investigation

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Behavior: Inappropriate Language and Gestures				
State Offense Code(s): S1005				
Description: Cursing/swearing or using written or spoken language, gestures, electronic images, photos, or actions, directed towards another person, that are considered sexually explicit, offensive, obscene, or vulgar.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Administrative intervention	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	RISS 1 day; Parent/Guardian meeting
3-5	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	RISS 1 day; Parent/Guardian meeting	RISS/OSS 1-3 day; Parent/Guardian Meeting
6-8	RISS up to 1 day	RISS 1-3 days	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days
9-12	Extended Day - RISS up to 1 day depending on severity	RISS 1-3 days	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days

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Behavior: Inappropriate Touch- Employee Victim				
State Offense Code(s): D2014*				
Description: Students who intentionally engage in physical aggression towards a school employee or volunteer, either with their own body or with an object, and it does not result in physical injury. This includes, but is not limited to pushing, pinching, punching, kicking, slapping, grabbing, scratching, poking with an object, throwing an object at, or spitting on a school employee or volunteer. The behavior does not have to include intent to harm. This offense should be used for students under the age of 12 who caused a physical injury to a school employee or volunteer that is not classified as serious. *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	OSS 1-3 days, Return from Suspension Meeting	OSS 2-3 days, Return from Suspension Meeting	OSS 3-5 days, Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days, Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	OSS 1-3 days, Return from Suspension Meeting	OSS 3-5 days, Return from Suspension Meeting	OSS 5+ days, Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	Referral to District Hearing Officer		
9-12	OSS 5+days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS Pending Referral to District Hearing Officer		

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Behavior: Inappropriate Touch-Student Victim				
State Offense Code(s): D2015*				
Description: Students who intentionally engage in physical aggression towards another student, either with their own body or with an object, and it does not result in physical injury. This includes, but is not limited to pushing, pinching, punching, kicking, slapping, grabbing, scratching, poking with an object, throwing an object at, or spitting on another student. The behavior does not have to include intent to harm. This offense should be used for students under the age of 12 who caused a physical injury to another student that is not classified as serious. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u>				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Extended Time Out and/or RISS 1 day	RISS/OSS 1 day	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	RISS/OSS 1 day	RISS/OSS 2-3 days	RISS/OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	RISS/OSS 1-3 days; Behavior Agreement	RISS/OSS 3-5 days	OSS 3 days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	RISS/OSS 3-5 days	OSS 3 days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days Referral to District Hearing Officer	
*****Admin discretion based on severity				

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Behavior: Instigation				
State Offense Code(s): S0302				
Description: Students incite aggressive or physical conflict between two or more students, resulting in a confrontation without directly participating in the confrontation.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Extended Time Out	RISS/OSS 1 day	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	RISS/OSS 1 day	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	RISS/OSS 3-5 days	OSS 3-5 days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	RISS/OSS 3-5 days	OSS 3-5 days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Leaving School Grounds Without Permission				
State Offense Code(s): S0051				
Description: Leaving the school building or the school grounds during school hours without required staff permission.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	RISS/OSS 1 day	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	RISS/OSS 1 day	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	RISS/OSS 1 day	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	RISS/OSS 1 day	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer

Behavior: Loitering				
State Offense Code(s): S0071				
Description: Student's unauthorized presence in any school area for an extended period of time and/or student's failure to leave the school grounds at the time designated.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Documented Warning	Detention	Privilege Restriction	Extended Timeout
3-5	Documented Warning	Detention	Privilege Restriction	Extended Timeout
6-8	Documented Warning	Detention	RISS up to 1 day	RISS/OSS 2+ days
9-12	RISS 1 day	RISS 1-3 days	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days

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Behavior: Misuse of Technology (Acceptable Use Policy)				
State Offense Code(s): S1006				
Description: Any use of school technology for unauthorized purposes, such as, but not limited to, copying software, inappropriate internet or email usage, unauthorized use of school-issued electronic devices , tampering with databases, passwords or configurations, or deletion of files. Also includes the use of school technology equipment in: soliciting, using, posting on social media, receiving or sending inappropriate images or materials; accessing unauthorized email; or the unauthorized downloading and/or installing of files; or intentionally damaging technology equipment in the school environment. *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Extended Timeout	RISS 1-3 days	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	RISS 1-3 days	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	RISS 1-3 days	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	RISS/OSS 1-3 days Based on severity; possible police notification	OSS 3-5 days based on severity; possible police notification	OSS 5+ days; Parent/guardian meeting; possible police notification	OSS 5+ days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Mutual Group Fight				
State Offense Code(s): D2016*				
Description: Students who willingly engage in a physical altercation with multiple willing participants. This is a physical altercation in which none of the participants are identified as victims. *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	RISS 1 day	OSS 1-3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	OSS 3 days	OSS 3-5 days	OSS 5+ days; Referral to District Hearing Officer	Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	OSS 5 days	OSS 5+ days; Referral to District Hearing Officer		
9-12	OSS 5-10 days; Police Notification; Behavior Agreement; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS pending meeting with District Hearing Officer; Police Notification		

Behavior: Physical Restraint-No Code Violation
State Offense Code(s): D2019*
Description: . A student was physically restrained by an employee or contractor of a public school district or charter school, private program, or alternative program, but there was no violation of the student code of conduct by the student. *Mandatory Department of Education Report

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Behavior: Possession and/or Production of Pornography			
State Offense Code(s): D0101*			
Description: Students who possess, share, or produce any known pornographic or obscene material in the school environment. This would include a student who distributes photos or videos of another student who did not consent to getting their photos taken or shared, or cannot consent to the photos due to their age (under age 12). <u>Mandatory Department of Education Report</u>			
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense
K-2	RISS/OSS up to 5 days	OSS up to 5 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer	
3-5	RISS/OSS up to 5 days	OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer	
6-8	RISS/OSS up to 5 days	OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer	
9-12	OSS up to 5 days; Police Notification	OSS up to 10 days; Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS pending meeting with the District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Possession and/or Use of Alcohol and/or Drugs		
State Offense Code(s): C0723*		
Description: Students who use alcohol, drugs, or other substances, or who are found to be in possession of alcohol, drugs, other substances, or drug paraphernalia in the school environment. This includes, but is not limited to, inhalants, marijuana (cannabis, edible, liquid, etc.), drug-like substances, and look-alike. <i>Nonprescription & prescription medications removed the definition</i> <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u> <u>**Mandatory Police Report</u> (Under the influence is not a mandatory police report)		
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense
K-2	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer; possible substance use prevention program	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer; possible substance use prevention program

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Behavior: Possession and/or Use of Dangerous Instrument	
State Offense Code: D2017**	
Description: Students who possess and/or use any object, device, or instrument in the school environment are classified as a dangerous instrument under 11 <i>Del. C. § 222</i> . This includes, but is not limited to, pellet/air guns, tasers, mace, or other dangerous instruments. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u>	
Grade Band	1st offense
K-2	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Possible Referral to District Hearing Officer

Behavior: Possession and/or Use of Deadly Weapons	
State Offense Code(s): C0724*	
Description: Students who possess and/or use any object, device, or instrument in the school environment classified as a deadly weapon under 11 <i>Del. C. § 222</i> . This includes, but is not limited to, a knife of any sort, switchblade knife, billy, blackjack, bludgeon, metal knuckles, slingshot, and/or razor. This does NOT include toys, or ordinary objects, including pocket knives with blades less than 3.75 inches . Firearms and bombs are captured under separate offenses <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u> <u>**Mandatory Police Report</u>	
Grade Band	1st offense
K-2	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Possession and/or Use of Nonprescription and/or Prescription Medications			
State Offense Code(s): D1601*			
Description: Students who use or are under the influence of nonprescription and/or prescription medications, or who are found to be in possession of nonprescription and/or prescription medications in the school environment without proper documentation. *Mandatory Department of Education Report			
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense
K-2	RISS/OSS up to 3 days	OSS 3+ days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS up to 10 days; Police Notification;Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	RISS/OSS up to 3 days	OSS 3+ days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS up to 10 days; Police Notification;Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	RISS/OSS up to 3 days	OSS 3+ days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS up to 10 days; Police Notification;Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	RISS/OSS up to 3 days	OSS 3+ days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	OSS up to 10 days; Police Notification;Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Possession and/or Use of Tobacco or Electronic Smoking Devices				
State Offense Code(s): D1401*				
Description: Students who use or possess any tobacco product or any electronic smoking device in the school environment. This includes, but is not limited to, products containing tobacco, electronic cigarettes, and any vape device. *Mandatory Department of Education Report				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Extended Timeout	RISS 1 day	RISS/OSS 2 days	RISS/OSS 3 days
3-5	Extended Timeout	RISS 1 day 1	RISS/OSS 2 days	RISS/OSS 3 days
6-8	RISS 1 day; cessation class	RISS 2 days, cessation class	OSS 1 day, cessation class	OSS 2 days, cessation class
9-12	RISS 1 day;cessation class	RISS 2 days, cessation class	OSS 1 day, cessation class	OSS 2 days, cessation class

Behavior: Safety Violation				
State Offense Code(s): S0102				
Description: Students who engage in any behavior that is not appropriate for school and has the potential to put themselves or others in danger.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Privilege Restriction	Extended Time out	RISS up to 1 day	RISS/OSS 2+ days
3-5	Extended Time out	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	OSS 2+ days	OSS 3+ days
6-8	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	OSS 2+ days	OSS 3+ days	OSS 5 days, Possible referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	RISS/OSS 1-3 days	OSS 2+ days	OSS 3+ days	OSS 5 days, Possible referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Skipping/Leaving Class				
State Offense Code(s): S1007				
Description: Absence from school or class without authorization or permission, and/or leaving the assigned classroom without permission.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-5	Privilege Restriction	Extended Time out	RISS up to 1 day	RISS/OSS 2+ days
6-8	RISS up to half day	RISS 1 day	OSS 1 day	OSS 2 days
9-12	Detention/Extended Day	2 Extended Days	RISS 1 day	RISS 2 days;parent/guardian meeting
	Additional offenses will be classified as a safety violation			

Behavior: Tardiness to Class				
State Offense Code(s): S1008				
Description: Unexcused lateness to class without authorization or permission.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-5				
6-8	Parent Contacted after third incident of tardiness	Detention	RISS ½ day	RISS/OSS 1 day
9-12-reset each marking period	3rd tardy first offense; detention (1st tardy verbal warning by teacher, 2nd tardy phone call home by teacher)	2 Detentions	1 Extended Day	2 Extended Days;parent/guardian meeting
	Additional offenses will be classified as disruptive behavior			

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Behavior: Teen Dating Violence	
State Offense Code(s): No code; check box only	
Description: Means assaultive, threatening, or controlling behavior, including stalking as defined in § 1312 of Title 11, that one person uses against another person in order to gain or maintain power or control in a current or past relationship and can occur in both heterosexual and same sex relationships and in serious or casual relationships. *Mandatory Department of Education Report	
Grade Band	1st offense
K-5	
6-8	OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

Behavior: Theft (Less than \$1500)				
State Offense Code(s): S0111				
Description: Students who take, obtain, or intentionally have possession of school property or the personal property of another person(s).				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Possible Restitution to School; extended timeout	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 1-3 days	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days, Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	Possible Restitution to School; extended timeout	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 1-3 days	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 5+ days, Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 1-3 days depending on amount of theft.	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days depending on amount of theft.	Referral to District Hearing Officer	Referral to District Hearing Officer

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9-12	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 1-3 days depending on amount of theft.	Possible Restitution to School; RISS/OSS 3-5 days depending on amount of theft.	Referral to District Hearing Officer	
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Behavior: Theft (\$1500 or more)		
State Offense Code(s): D0601		
Description: Students who take school property or the personal property of another person(s). <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u>		
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense
K-2	Possible Restitution to School, OSS 3+ days, Possible referral to district hearing officer	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	Possible Restitution to School, OSS 3+ days, Possible referral to district hearing officer	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	Possible Restitution to School, OSS 3+ days, Possible referral to district hearing officer	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	Possible Restitution to School; OSS 3+ days depending on the amount of theft; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer; Possible Police Notification	OSS up to 10 days; Possible Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Threatening Mass Violence		
State Offense Code(s): C0730		
Description: Students who threaten to engage in an act that causes serious physical harm or creates a substantial risk of serious physical harm in the school environment. This includes, but is not limited to, bomb threats and other threats that are likely to cause an evacuation of a building. See Threats of Physical Attack with/ and w/out weapon for threats against people. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u> <u>**Mandatory Police Report</u>		
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense
K-2	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 5 days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 5 days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS 5+ days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS 5-10 days; Possible referral to District Hearing Officer	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Threat of Physical Attack with Weapon	
State Offense Code: C0102	
Description: Students who threaten to engage in an act that causes harm and introduces fear in another person, and the threat is made while displaying, brandishing, or discharging a weapon, but with no actual physical contact with any person. A threat may or may not be made in person. A threat of physical attack using words that refer to a weapon would be considered a threat without a weapon. *Mandatory Department of Education Report **Mandatory Police Report	
Grade Band	1st offense
K-2	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

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Behavior: Threat of Physical Attack w/out Weapon			
State Offense Code(s): D2018			
Description: Students who threaten to engage in an act that causes harm and introduces fear to another school community member. Threats can be made verbally, in writing, or with gestures and may refer to a weapon that is not present. A threat may or may not be made in person. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u>			
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense
K-2	RISS/OSS 1-3 days, Return from suspension meeting	OSS 3-5 days, Possible referral to district Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days; Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer
3-5	RISS/OSS 1-3 days, Return from suspension meeting	OSS 3-5 days, Possible referral to district Hearing Officer	OSS 5+ days; Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	RISS/OSS 3+ days, Return from suspension meeting	OSS 5+ days, Possible referral to district Hearing Officer	OSS up to 10 days; Police Notification; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	OSS 3-5 days; Police Notification	Police Notification; OSS pending meeting with District Hearing Officer	

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Behavior: Unauthorized Use of Electronic Device (Cell Phone Policy)

State Offense Code(s): S1009

Description:

Students who engage in non-educational activities in the school environment, including but not limited to capturing, distributing, displaying, sharing, and/or posting of inappropriate images, videos, movies, and/or music from personal devices. Engaging in social media, texting, playing games, and/or streaming that disrupts the learning environment.

Policy:

In alignment with our mission to prepare students to achieve their academic, social, and emotional potential, the objective of this policy is to strengthen Caesar Rodney School District's focus on learning. To support school environments in which students can fully engage with classmates, teachers, and instruction, the Caesar Rodney School District Board of Education has determined the use of personal electronic devices (including any personally owned device capable of voice, text, image, video, data transmission, recording, or internet connectivity, including cell phones, smartphones, smartwatches, headphones or audio earpieces, handheld games, tablets, laptops, wearable technology such as AI-enabled or augmented reality glasses, and other personal electronic devices that distract from student learning) by students during school hours should be limited.

Smart watches that serve a dual purpose may be worn, but the phone features (texting, Internet viewing, and calls) are to be off when phone use is prohibited. If a student needs to call home for a reason determined to be appropriate by school staff, they may request a pass to the main office for phone access.

Prescription Metaglasses that serve a dual purpose may be worn, but phone features (texting, Internet viewing, and calls) must be turned off when phone use is prohibited. Non-prescription Metaglasses are prohibited.

The recording of inappropriate behavior, including acts of delinquency (including, but not limited to recording fights, vaping, drug use, etc), occurring on school grounds is not permitted.-will be coded as instigation

The principal is authorized to establish procedures to determine whether exceptional circumstances require an individual waiver of this policy, including medical and special education necessity.

Any device that is confiscated shall be considered contraband until such time as it is returned to the student or parent, and Caesar Rodney School District takes no responsibility for the loss or theft of, or damage to, a student's personal electronic device, whether confiscated or otherwise.

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Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
Students in grades K-5: Student's personal electronic devices are to be powered off upon entry into the school building, remain powered off in the student's backpack during the school day until dismissal, at which time students may power on their devices.				
K-5	Documented warning, Student reminder of policy	Device confiscated & returned at end of day	Detention, Device confiscated and must be turned into main office for a week	RISS 1 day;; Device confiscated, parent pick up of device, Device turned into the main office for the remainder of the marking period
Students in grades 6-8: Student's personal electronic devices are to be powered off upon entry into the school building, remain powered off in the student's locker until dismissal, at which time students may power on their devices. The use of student devices for sports or any other after-school activity is at the discretion of the coach/club sponsor.				
6-8	The student will be asked to power the device off. The student can pick up the electronic device(s) from the office at the end of the day.	The student will be asked to power the device off. Detention will be issued. The student can pick up the electronic device(s) from the office at the end of the day.	Detention and must be turned into main office for a week	RISS 1 day, parent pick up of device, Device turned into the main office for the remainder of the marking period. Devices may be required to put in bag.
Students in grades 9-12: Student's personal electronic devices are to be silenced and put away during all instructional periods. Personal electronic devices may be used on campus before the first bell, after the last bell, during passing periods, and lunches, however, the use of these devices are prohibited in restrooms and locker rooms.				
9-12	The electronic device(s) will be confiscated. The student will be asked to power the device off. The student can pick up the electronic device(s) from the office at the end of the day.	The electronic device(s) will be confiscated. The student will be asked to power the device off. An after-school detention will be assigned. The parent/guardian can pick up the electronic device(s) from the office at the end of the day.	The electronic device(s) will be confiscated. The student will be asked to power the device off. An Extended Day will be assigned. The parent/guardian can pick up the electronic device(s) from the office at the end of the day.	For additional violations, the electronic device(s) will be confiscated. The student will be asked to power the device off. Two Extended Days will be assigned. The parent/guardian can pick up the electronic device(s) from the office. The student will turn in the electronic device(s) at the start of each school day. Devices may be required to put in a bag.

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Behavior: Unsafe Item				
State Offense Code: S0131				
Description: Any item, device, or substance that may be deemed disruptive and/or is used for a purpose for which it was not intended.				
Grade Band	1st offense	2nd offense	3rd offense	4th offense
K-2	Administrative intervention	Privilege restriction	Extended time out	Parent/guardian meeting; RISS 1 day
3-5	RISS/OSS 1 day	OSS 1 day	OSS 2+ days	OSS 3+ days
6-8	RISS/OSS 1 day	OSS 1 day	OSS 2+ days	OSS 3+ days
9-12	OSS 1-3 days; Police Notification	OSS 3-5 days; Police Notification; Parent/Guardian Meeting	OSS 5-10 days; Police Notification; Parent/Guardian Meeting	Police Notification; OSS pending meeting with District Hearing Officer

The following offenses will receive the same consequences.

Behavior: Other School Crime
State Offense Code(s): C0722
Description: Any significant incident resulting in disciplinary action not classified previously but required to be reported under the School Crimes Reporting Law (14 Del. C. § 4112). This may include arson, manslaughter, etc. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u> <u>**Mandatory Police Report</u>
Behavior: Possession and/or Use of Explosive Devices
State Offense Code(s): C0725*
Description: Students who are found to be in possession and/or use incendiary devices such as fireworks, firecrackers, pipe bombs, and/or other explosives in the school environment. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report</u> <u>**Mandatory Police Report</u>

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Behavior: Possession and/or Use of Firearms	
State Offense Code(s): C0726*	
Description: Students who possess and/or use any firearm in the school environment. This includes, but is not limited to, handguns, rifles, shotguns, starter guns, and/or other firearms identified in 11 <i>Del. C.</i> § 222, whether loaded or not. BBs are included per § 1457 and § 1457A. This does NOT include toys or pellet/air guns; these should be captured under the Possession and/or Use of Dangerous Instruments. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report **Mandatory Police Report</u>	
Behavior: Rape	
State Offense Code(s): C0727	
Description: Is the penetration, no matter how slight, of the vagina or anus with any body part or object, or oral penetration by a sex organ of another person, without consent, including when a person is unable to give consent. All persons, regardless of sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity, can be victims of rape. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report **Mandatory Police Report</u>	
Behavior: Robbery	
State Offense Code(s): C0728	
Description: Students who take or attempt to take anything of value that is owned by another person or organization, under confrontational circumstances by force or threat of force or violence, and/or by putting the victim in fear. A key difference between robbery and theft is that robbery involves a threat or assault. <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report **Mandatory Police Report</u>	
Behavior: Sexual Assault	
State Offense Code(s): C0729	
Description: Any sexual act directed against another person without consent, including when a person is unable to give consent. It includes threatened rape, fondling, indecent liberties, or child molestation. Rape is not included. All persons, regardless of sex, sexual orientation, or gender identity, can be victims of sexual assault. Classification of these incidents should take into consideration the age and developmentally appropriate behavior of the offender(s). <u>*Mandatory Department of Education Report **Mandatory Police Report</u>	
Grade Band	1st offense
K-2	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

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3-5	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
6-8	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer
9-12	<u>Mandatory Police Report</u> OSS up to 10 days; Referral to District Hearing Officer

- Parental contact will be made for any referral. The first attempt will be made by phone.
- When students are suspended from school a return to school meeting with the student may occur.
- High School- RISS= 2 extended days and a time out of class period
- Middle School- ½ day RISS= 2 after school detentions and a time out of a class period
- **Two offenses (Any combination of C or D) will result in a meeting with the District Hearing Officer**
- All C Codes- **Mandatory Department of Education Report; **Mandatory Police Report**
- All D Codes- **Mandatory Department of Education Report**
- Students with disabilities will be afforded procedural rights and safeguards under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504). Our district will continue with our responsibility and duty to provide a free and appropriate education for students with disabilities.
- The Student Code of Conduct is not all-inclusive and a student committing an act of misconduct not listed may be subject to the discretionary authority of the principal, designee, or Superintendent (i.e. State Law Reportable Offenses such as Arson, Extortion, etc.)

GLOSSARY OF TERMS

Administration	Includes both District Office and building administrative staff.
Administrative Designee	Administrative designee may include, but is not limited to, deans, coordinators, achievement liaison teachers (ALT's) and/or school-based intervention (SBI) staff.
Behavior Agreement	A written agreement among a student, the student's parent/ guardian, and an administrator which specifically states the conditions that must be met; failure to do so will result in further specific disciplinary action. A behavior agreement may be used in addition to other specified actions.
Behavior Intervention Plan	A strategy where data from a behavior assessment is used to identify the function of a behavior and identify specific behaviors that will be addressed and specific interventions and supports that will be utilized to address the behaviors. Data is utilized to track and review progress and make adjustments, as needed.
Consortium Discipline Alternative	The placement of the student in a special program until the student has satisfied the requirements to return to the

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Program Placement (CDAP)	regular program.
Detention	An established time outside the regular instructional time when a student is assigned to a supervised area.
Expulsion	The exclusion from the regular school setting for a period determined by the local District board. The duration of an Expulsion shall not exceed the total number of student days in a school year.
Hearing	A meeting between a team of key stakeholders to discuss facts surrounding a disciplinary incident and make recommendations for next Responses.
Loss of Privileges	Taking away something as a negative consequence for misbehavior.
Mandatory Department of Education (DOE) Report	After confirming a report concerning a violation of a Delaware Department of Education Offense, the administration must file a written report of the incident via the eSchool Plus Discipline Center with the Department of Education.
Mandatory Police Report	After confirming a report concerning a violation of the Mandatory School Crime Reporting Law, the administration must file a written report of the incident via the eSchool Plus Discipline Center with the Department of Education and report the incident to the proper authorities.
Out-of-School Suspension (OSS)	Students assigned to out-of-school suspension are not to be permitted on school property during the length of their suspension and it is the parent/guardian's responsibility to arrange for their care, including transportation. Students assigned to out-of-school suspension are not permitted to participate in any extracurricular activities, wherever located, during the length of their suspension.
Parent/Guardian Contact	Contact by telephone, email, or in person with a parent/guardian. Initial parent contact should be via phone.
Parent/Guardian Notification	Contact with a parent/guardian by phone, letter, email, or meeting. Initial parent contact should be via phone.
Referral to Counseling Services	Recommendation that the student seek counseling from a public or private social agency.
Referral to In-School Services (RISS)	Students referred to in-school services will remain in school but will be assigned to a designated, supervised area within the school. Students assigned to in-school services are not permitted to participate in any extra-curricular activities during the length of their services.
Restitution	The payment for the replacement of lost or damaged items.

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Short-Term Removal from Class	Temporary removal of a student from class if the student's continued attendance in a particular class causes serious disruption of the educational process or presents an immediate danger of physical harm to either the student or others. The student will be assigned to a supervised area.
Student Code of Conduct	The document that includes the rights and responsibilities of students, defines conduct that disrupts a positive and safe school environment and standardizes procedures for consequences, disciplinary action, as well as, due process and grievance procedures.
Student Services Team	A group of key stakeholders that meets to discuss student progress behaviorally and academically.

Timeline:

Code of Conduct Creation Meeting Dates: 4/1/25, 4/29/25, 5/13/25, 7/7/25, 7/8/25, 7/9/25, 7/16/25, 7/21/25, 7/30/25, 8/5/25, 8/13/25, 4/27/26, 4/28/26, 7/4/26