

Executive Summary

Board of Trustees Meeting

June 13, 2023

Student and Parent Handbook Report

Board Goal

Domain 1 – **Teaching & Learning**

- establish high expectations with a curriculum fostering inquiry, critical thinking, civic responsibility and exemplary citizenship

Domain 2 – **Culture & Climate**

- foster a positive, welcoming environment encouraging parent and community partnerships
- promote health, wellness and emotional well-being

Domain 3 – **Growth & Management**

- remain committed to providing equitable and outstanding opportunities for every student on every campus

Domain 4 – **Opportunities for Students**

- develop academic skills and interpersonal relationships necessary for student success in college, the workplace, and for life.

Purpose of Report:

The purpose of this report is to provide Denton ISD’s response to the requirements for Chapter 37 of the Texas Education Code. This report will also provide Denton ISD’s plan for a unified, district-wide set of practices and procedures that will ensure the best learning environment for our students.

Objective:

The objective is to provide Denton ISD students and their parents with a resource that will guide their understanding of general rules and guidelines for attending and receiving an education in our district. It will also communicate behavioral expectations that reflect our community’s values and standards. Finally, this handbook will be a review of basic information available to administration, faculty and staff to assist them with related board policies, administrative procedures, and district practices.

Operational Impact:

When provided with accurate information, all students and parents can make sound judgements related to the interests of themselves, others, and the district. In addition, students and parents will be encouraged to assume responsibility for maintaining an environment where they can get the most out of their education and will play a key role in maintaining Denton ISD’s high standards for expectations.

Results:

In collaboration with district leaders, updates have been made to the handbook. Being a legislative year, further updates may be necessary before the beginning of the 23-24 school year.

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The following information was **UPDATED** from the Denton ISD Student and Parent Handbook:

- I. The handbook is divided into two sections:
 - Section I: Parental Rights
 - Section II: Other Important Information for Parents and Students
- II. Medicine at School (All Grade Levels) p. 58
 - A link is provided to the Denton ISD Health Services website