



Parent-Teacher Advisory Committee Recommendations

JANUARY 16, 2024

Committee Information

Meeting Dates:

- 9/12/2023
- 9/26/2023
- 10/10/2023
- 10/24/2023
- 11/7/2024
- 12/5/2024
- 12/12/2024

Membership

- 5 Administrators
- 1 Board of Education Member
- 2 Deans
- 3 Teachers
- 4 Community Members
- 1 Parent

Committee Purpose

105 ILCS 5/10-20.14

JTHS Board Policy 2:150

- Assist in development of student behavior policy and procedure
- Provide information and recommendations
- Review the following:
 - Administering medicine at school (7:270)
 - Reciprocal reporting between JTHS and JPD regarding criminal offenses (7:190 AP2)
 - Student behavior and intervention Guidelines (7:190e)
 - School bus safety procedures (7:220)
 - Dissemination of student conduct information (Handbook Language)

Committee Recommendations

7:270

- Ensure policy and procedure are updated to reflect PA103-0348

7:190 AP2

- No recommendations

7:220

- No recommendations

Recommendations 7:190e

☐ Introduction

- ☐ Updated language relating to classroom management plans
- ☐ Adjusted language on Corporal Punishment to align to School Code
- ☐ Added specific language to definitions which previously referenced the handbook
- ☐ Changed "Disrespect" to "Disobedience"
- ☐ Separated Hallway/Classroom Conduct into separate categories
- ☐ Updated Harassment, Intimidation and Bullying (HIB) language to match categories defined in School Code (105 ILCS 5/27-23.7)

Recommendations 7:190e

- ❑ Clarified ID Expectations
 - ❑ On Lanyard, around student's neck
- ❑ Clarifications about Sexual Harassment:
 - ❑ Updated language to match Board Policy
 - ❑ Added two new categories of behaviors:
 - ❑ Inappropriate Display of Affection
 - ❑ Involuntary Sex Acts or Sexual Violence
- ❑ Updated "Student Violence" to "Threat of Violence"
- ❑ Updated intervention/consequence list to reflect current consequences and interventions

Next Steps...

- District Attorney will review updates/recommendations
- Approval by Board of Education during February Meeting
- Update student Handbook for 24-25 School Year
- Develop and administer feedback opportunities for stakeholders relating to discipline procedures
- Utilize feedback to develop a draft of a leveled handbook for the Parent-Teacher Advisory to review and edit in Fall 2024