



Board Action Required

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To: Coppell ISD Board of Trustees

From: Brad Hunt

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cc: Dr. Jeff Turner

Re: Update to Policy FFH (Local) and FFI (Local)

Many of the Update 93 recommendations regarding FFH (Local) and FFI (Local) are based on HB 1942, which is effective beginning with the 2012-2013 school year. These two updates were removed from Update 93 when it was presented to the board at the April 23, 2012 board meeting. The recommendation was to present these two policies when the Student Code of Conduct is presented for approval because they both deal with student welfare.

FFH (Local) Student Welfare: Freedom from Discrimination, Harassment and Retaliation

This policy addresses:

- Freedom from any type of discrimination, sexual harassment and dating violence,
- Provides definitions and examples of each issue,
- Addresses retaliation and false claims,
- Identifies reporting a claim by a student,
- Changed name and contact information to reflect the current District Title IX and ADA/Section 504 Coordinators, and
- Explains the steps the District will follow when investigating and reporting all claims.

FFI (Local) Student Welfare: Freedom from Bullying

This policy addresses:

- The new definition of “bullying”,
- Provides examples of bullying,
- Addresses retaliation for making a report,
- Identifies reporting a claim by a student,
- Explains the steps the District will follow when investigating and reporting all claims of bullying and developing corrective action,
- Addresses transfers, counseling and appeals.