

**School Board Meeting:**

November 26, 2012

**Subject:**

**Policies – Final Reading**

**Presenter:**

Moreen Martell

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**SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:**

Board approval

**DESCRIPTION:**

The first reading of these policies took place in October. Revisions include MSBA recommended language revisions and revisions due to legislative updates. Also included are policies which are due for review due to the District's five-year policy review cycle. Policy #613 has an additional revision (highlighted in yellow) since the first reading.

**Final Reading of a Revised/Reviewed Policy**

The following policies are being presented to the School Board for final reading:

- **Policy #501 - School Weapons Policy**  
X Mandatory Policy  
Brief Description:
  - Title change
  
- **Policy #502 – Search of Student Lockers, Desks, Personal Possessions and Student's Person**  
Brief Description:
  - Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.
  
- **Policy #503 – Student Attendance**  
Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes
  
- **Policy #509 – Enrollment of Nonresident Students**  
Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes and addition of MDE form
  
- **Policy #512 – School-Sponsored Student Publications and Activities**  
Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes
  
- **Policy #513 – Student Promotion, Retention Program**  
Brief Description:
  - Added MSBA language regarding gifted and talented

- **Policy #520 – Student Surveys**  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes
  
- **Policy #521 – Student Disability Non-Discrimination**  
 X Mandatory Policy  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes.
  
- **Policy #525 - Violence Prevention**  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes.
  
- **Policy #530 – Immunization Requirements**  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes.
  
- **Policy #531 – The Pledge of Allegiance**  
 Brief Description:
  - Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.
  
- **Policy #533 - Wellness**  
 X Mandatory Policy  
 Brief Description:
  - No Changes
  
- **Policy #603 – Curriculum Development**  
 X Mandatory Policy  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes.
  
- **Policy #604 – Instructional Curriculum**  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes
  
- **Policy #609 - Religion**  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes.
  
- **Policy #613 – Graduation Requirements**  
 Brief Description:
  - MSBA language revisions
  
- **Policy #616 – School District System Accountability**  
 X Mandatory Policy  
 Brief Description:
  - Reflects minor changes

- **Policy #707 – Transportation of Public School Students**

Brief Description:

- MSBA language revisions

The following policies were reviewed due to the required 5-year review cycle:

- **Policy #102 – Equal Educational Opportunity**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #104 – School District Mission Statement**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #201 – School Board Operational Philosophy and Goals**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #203.1 – School Board Procedures; Rules or Order**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #203.2 – Order of the Regular School Board Meeting**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #203.6 – Consent Agendas**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #204 – School Board Meeting Minutes**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #402 – Disability Nondiscrimination**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #420 – Students and Employees with Sexually Transmitted Infections and Diseases and Certain Other Communicable Diseases and Infectious Conditions**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.

- **Policy #907 – Rewards**

Brief Description:

- Required five-year review cycle. No revisions.