Students

Campus Disturbances

The Board of Education recognizes that all school staff must be prepared to cope with campus disturbances and to minimize the risks they entail. Staff should be especially sensitive to conditions that foster racial conflict, student protest or gang intimidation and confrontations.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish at each school a disturbance response plan for curbing disruptions which create disorder and may lead to riots, violence or vandalism at school or school-sponsored events.

The Superintendent or designee shall consult with law enforcement authorities to plan for police support during school disruptions. Each school's disturbance response plan shall address the role of law enforcement. When a disturbance directly threatens students or staff, the Superintendent or designee has the authority to call in law enforcement personnel for assistance and may dismiss school.

Students who participate in disturbances may be subject to disciplinary action. (cf. 3515 - School Safety and Security) (cf. 5136 - Gangs) (cf. 5144 - Discipline)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

32210Willful disturbance of public school or meeting

32211Threatened disruption or interference with classes

35294-35294.5School safety plans

39670-39675 Security patrols

44810Willful interference with classroom conduct

44811Disruption of classwork or extracurricular activities

48907Student exercise of free expression

PENAL CODE

403-420Crimes against the public peace, especially:

415Fighting; noise; offensive words

415.5Disturbance of peace of school

416Assembly to disturb peace; refusal to disperse

626-626.10Crimes on school grounds

627-627.7Access to school premises

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