

Equal Education, Nondiscrimination and Sex Equity

Equal educational opportunities shall be available for all students without regard to race, color, national origin, ancestry, sex, ethnicity, language barrier, religious beliefs, physical and mental handicap or disability, economic or social conditions, or actual or potential marital or parental status or status as a homeless child. Any student may file a discrimination grievance using the procedure that follows this policy.

No student shall, on the basis of sex, be denied equal access to programs, activities, services, or benefits or be limited in the exercise of any right, privilege, advantage, or denied equal access to educational and extracurricular programs and activities.

Inquiries regarding discrimination or intimidation should be directed to the District Title IX Coordinator. An individual with a complaint alleging a violation of this policy shall follow the Uniform Grievance Procedure.

In compliance with federal regulations, the District will notify annually all students, parents, staff, and community members of this policy and the designated coordinator to receive inquiries. Notification should include the name and location of the coordinator and will be carried in all handbooks.

The District will not tolerate hostile or abusive treatment, derogatory remarks, or acts of violence because of disability against students, staff or volunteers with disabilities. The District considers this behavior to constitute discrimination on the basis of disability in violation of state and federal law.

Legal Reference:	I.C. § 67-5909	Commission on Human Rights- Act Prohibited
	20: U.S.C. 1681-1682	Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972
	29:U.S.C. 794	Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973- Nondiscrimination under Federal Grants and Programs
	42 U.S.C. 6101, <i>et seq.</i>	Age Discrimination in Federally Assisted Programs
	42 U.S.C. 12101 <i>et seq.</i> &	12131, <i>et seq.</i> The Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990

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