TEACHER INITIATED STUDENT SUSPENSION POLICY

A teacher may suspend a student from the teacher's classroom for up to one (1) school day. The law requires a teacher who imposes this option to immediately report the suspension to the office, then, as soon as possible, schedule a meeting with the suspended student's parent(s) or guardian(s) and attempt to include the school counselor, social worker or psychologist. If the teacher or parent requests that a school administrator attend, the teacher must also include the administrator in the meeting. A student may return that school day to the classroom, subject or activity for which he/she was suspended, with the concurrence of the teacher and the administrator. (MCL 380.1309)

A student may be removed from a class, subject or activity for up to one (1) day by his/her teacher for certain conduct as specified in the Code of Conduct pursuant to MCL 380.1309. A student so removed will be allowed to attend other classes taught by other teachers during the term of the one (1) day removal.

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