Miami-Dade County Public Schools



Subject: DISTRICT EMPLOYEE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT

PURPOSE

The purpose of these guidelines is to provide references to District policies for employee standards of conduct.

GUIDELINES

A. Per the <u>School Board of Miami-Dade County Policy 4210 - STANDARDS OF ETHICAL</u> <u>CONDUCT</u>,

"All employees are representatives of the District and shall conduct themselves, both in their employment and in the community, in a manner that will reflect credit upon themselves and the school system."

A support staff member shall:

- N. Not engage in harassment or discriminatory conduct which unreasonably interferes with an individual's performance of work responsibilities or with the orderly processes of education or which creates a hostile, intimidating, abusive, offensive, or oppressive environment; and, further, shall make reasonable efforts to assure that everyone is protected from such harassment or discrimination.
- T. Report any criminal act, and/or disruptive, and/or inappropriate behavior to the administrator or designee to whom the employee is responsible. . . .

B. Per the <u>School Board of Miami-Dade County Policy 1380 - THREATENING BEHAVIOR</u> <u>TOWARD STAFF MEMBERS</u>,

Employees have a right to work in a safe environment. Violence or the threat of violence by or against students and employees will not be tolerated.

Threatening behavior consisting of any words or deeds that intimidate a staff member or cause anxiety concerning physical well-being is strictly forbidden. Any student, parent, visitor, staff member, volunteer, or agent of the Board who is found to have threatened a member of the staff will be subject to discipline or reported to the appropriate law enforcement agency. **Miami-Dade County Public Schools**



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More information and additional resources may be obtained at the <u>Employee Assistance</u> <u>Program</u> website.

Employee protections in this procedure do not supersede the terms of any applicable bargaining agreement.

For Action By: Principals, Food Service Managers, Satellite Assistants and All Food Service Employees

Refer Questions to: Department of Food and Nutrition

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