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## **USE OF TOBACCO BY STUDENTS**

In order to promote the general health, welfare and well-being of students and staff, smoking, chewing or any other use of any tobacco products and the conspicuous possession of tobacco products by students while in or on school properties, or under the school's jurisdiction during school hours, or while participating in a school-sponsored event is prohibited.

Disciplinary measures for students who violate this policy shall include confiscation of the tobacco product and notification of the student's parent(s)/guardian(s). The confiscated items may be returned, in person, to the parent(s)/guardian(s) at the parent(s)/guardian(s) request. In accordance with state law, no student shall be expelled solely for tobacco use.

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LEGAL REFS.: 20 U.S.C. 6083 (Federal law prohibits smoking in any indoor facility

used to provide education services to children.)

C.R.S. 18-31-121

C.R.S. 22-32-109(1)(bb) C.R.S. 25-14-103.5

6 CCR 1010-6, Rule 5-306

CROSS REFS.: ADC, Tobacco-Free Schools

IHAMA, Teaching About Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco

JKD/JKE, Suspension/Expulsion of Students