

## **IN-SCHOOL SUSPENSION**

The board believes that students who are not present at school because their behavior has resulted in out-of-school suspension are at increased risk of academic failure and dropping out of school.

The Board authorizes the use of in-school suspension as an alternative to out-of-school suspension as a means of addressing unacceptable behavior while keeping students in the educational setting and providing them with the opportunity to keep up with their school work.

Through the use of in-school suspension, the Board's objectives are to limit educational disruption and to decrease the likelihood of repeated or escalated misconduct.

The Board delegates to the Superintendent/designees the responsibility for determining when in-school suspension is appropriate and for developing such procedures and conduct rules as deemed necessary for implementing this policy.