STAFF PERSONNEL Series 400

Policy Title: GENERAL POWERS AND AUTHORITY Code: 404.3

In the absence of any statute or rule or regulation of the Board of Trustees, any teacher employed by a school district shall have the right to direct how and when each pupil shall attend to his/her appropriate duties, and the manner which a pupil shall demean himself/herself while in attendance at the school.

It is the duty of the teacher to carry out the rules and regulations of the Board of Trustees in controlling and maintaining discipline, and a teacher shall have the power to adopt any reasonable rule or regulation to control and maintain discipline in, and otherwise govern, the classroom, not inconsistent with any statute or rule or regulation of the Board of Trustees.

Teachers shall adopt reasonable rules for the conduct of pupils in their classrooms or under their supervision. These rules should be designed to promote conduct that is conducive to learning and protecting the health and safety of students and should bear a reasonable relationship to the educational process. The staff and principals shall cooperatively develop general rules that shall be uniformly enforced in the classrooms, and students shall be advised of these rules.

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Related References: